

Selinexor Supportive Care

Guidelines in r/r MM

A brief summary of prophylactic
support and supportive care

THROMBOCYTOPENIA

Prophylaxis

- Monitor CBC and standard electrolyte / chemistry; monitor more frequently during first three months of treatment

Management

- Platelet transfusions per institutional guidelines
- In the STORM study, romiplostim^{1,2,3,*} (5 µg/kg QW) or eltrombopag^{2,3,*} (100-150 mg QD) was used.

Dosage Modification Guidelines

First 3 months

close monitoring and consider early intervention

Adverse Reaction

Action

Platelet count:
<LLN to 75,000/mcL

- **Maintain Dose**

Platelet count:
25,000 to <75,000/mcL

Without Bleeding

- **Consider** platelet growth factors per institutional guidelines.
- **Reduce** selinexor by 1 dose level (see Table 1).

With Bleeding

- **Interrupt** selinexor.
- **Start** selinexor at 1 dose level lower (see Table 1), after bleeding has resolved and the patient is clinically stable.

Platelet count:
<25,000/mcL

- **Interrupt** selinexor.
- **Consider** platelet growth factors and transfuse per clinical institutional guidelines.
- **Monitor** until platelet count returns to $\geq 50,000/\text{mcL}$.
- **Restart** selinexor at 1 dose level lower (see Table 1).

Dose can be re-escalated when platelets have stabilized above 50K/ μL or baseline at physician discretion.

**are not indicated to normalize platelet counts*

NAUSEA/ VOMITING

Prophylaxis

- **5-HT3 antagonist**^{2,3}
- **Olanzapine**^{2,3,4}

Management

- **NK1R antagonist**^{2,3}: rolapitant, aprepitant or equivalent for emesis
- **Olanzapine**^{2,3,4}

Dosage Modification Guidelines

Rule out other causes of nausea.

Adverse Reaction	Action
Grade 1 or 2 nausea OR Grade 1 or 2 vomiting (≤5 episodes per day)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Maintain selinexor dose and initiate additional anti-nausea medications.
Grade 3 Nausea OR Grade 3 or higher vomiting (≥episodes per day)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Interrupt selinexor.• Monitor until nausea or vomiting has resolved to ≤Grade 2 or baseline.• Restart selinexor at 1 dose level lower (see Table 1).

WEIGHT-LOSS / ANOREXIA

Prophylaxis

- Consult dietitian or nutritionist at start of Rx.
- Nutritional supplements: Boost[®], Ensure[®], etc.

Management

- Nutritional counseling
- **Megestrol acetate**⁵: 400 mg QD
- **Olanzapine**⁶: Low dose QPM until weight is within 5lbs of starting weight

Dosage Modification Guidelines

- **Monitor** closely and consider early intervention.
- **Rule out** other causes.
- **Consider** nutritional consultation.
- **Institute** supportive care medications per NCCN guidelines¹.

Adverse Reaction	Action
Grade 2 weight loss of 10% to <20% OR anorexia associated with significant weight loss or malnutrition.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Interrupt dose and institute supportive care.• Monitor until weight returns to more than 90% of baseline weight.• Restart selinexor at 1 dose level lower (see Table 1).

Dose can be re-escalated when weight has returned to $\geq 90\%$ of baseline after ≥ 4 weeks.

HYPONATREMIA

Prophylaxis

- Maintain fluid intake.
- Recommend 8 glasses of electrolyte-containing fluids QD.
- Weekly office visit for labs (electrolytes/CBC) and body weight for cycle 1.

Management

- IV saline as needed
- Salt tablets
- Dietary modification

Dosage Modification Guidelines

- **Monitor** closely and consider early intervention.
- **Rule out** other causes including drug (e.g., diuretic) effects. Be certain that reported sodium level is corrected for concurrent hyperglycemia (serum glucose >150 mg/dL).
- **Treat** hyponatremia per institutional guidelines including dietary review.
- **Consider** addition of salt tablets to patient's diet.

Adverse Reaction	Action*
Sodium level: ≤ 130 mmol/L	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Interrupt selinexor provide appropriate supportive care.• Monitor until sodium levels return to ≥ 130 mmol/L.• Restart selinexor at 1 dose level lower (see Table 1).

Dose can be re-escalated when sodium levels have stabilized above 130 mmol/L or baseline at physician discretion.

* Correct for hyperglycemia as outlined under Grade 1.

FATIGUE

Prophylaxis

- Check for underlying causes of preexisting or predisposition to developing fatigue (e.g. hydration status, anemia).

Management

- **Dexamethasone**⁷ supportive care dose
- **Methylphenidate**^{*,2,3} (5-10 mg PO QAM)

Dosage Modification Guidelines

- Rule out other causes of fatigue (dehydration and anemia).
- If anemic, consider transfusing for hemoglobin <8 g/dL.
- Institute supportive care medications per institutional and NCCN guidelines¹.

Adverse Reaction	Action
Grade 1 OR Grade 2 lasting ≤7 days	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Maintain Dose
Grade 2 (lasting >7 days) or Grade 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Interrupt selinexor:<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Monitor until fatigue resolves to Grade 1 or baseline.- Restart selinexor at 1 dose level lower (see Table 1).

**Optimal dosing and schedule have not been established for use of psychostimulants in older adults and patients with cancer*

SUPPORTIVE CARE AND MONITORING

- monitor closely and consider early intervention

Adverse Reaction	Action
Nausea and vomiting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5-HT3 antagonist combination antiemesis regimen for standard anti-emetic moderate risk protocol or olanzapine^{2,3,4}. • Add NK1 receptor antagonist, or olanzapine if not started as prophylaxis^{2,3,4}
Anorexia	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Add appetite stimulant (e.g. olanzapine⁶ or megestrol⁵) and weight monitoring
Fatigue	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Add psychostimulant^{2,3}, physical activity
Cytopenias *anemia/neutropenia/thrombocytopenia	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consider blood transfusions, colony-stimulating or growth factors^{1,2,3}
Cytopenias; hyponatremia; hydration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Weekly CBC, standard chemistry and serum sodium monitoring for first 8 weeks, and at least monthly thereafter^{2,3}

Table 1

Recommended Starting Dosage	First Reduction	Second Reduction	Third Reduction	
80 mg Days 1 and 3 of each week (160 mg total per week)	100 mg once weekly	80 mg once weekly	60 mg once weekly	DISCONTINUE

Any and all treatment decisions are solely at the discretion of the treating physician or healthcare professional.

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