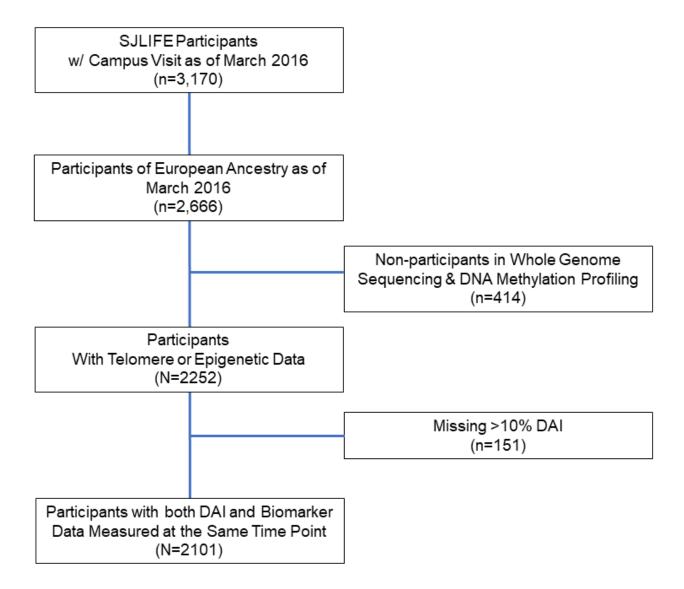
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eTable 1: St. Jude Lifetime Cohort Aging-Related Deficits Accumulation Index

DAI Construct	SJLIFE ITEM	Value/Criteria	DAI Item Weight
1. Can take	Does your health now limit you in	Yes limited a lot	1
bath/shower	Bathing or dressing yourself? If so, how	Yes, limited a little	0.5
	much?	No Not limited at all	0
		Missing	-
2. Can walk	Does your health now limit you in	Yes limited a lot	1
	Walking 100 yards? If so, how much?	Yes, limited a little	0.5
		No Not limited at all	0
		Missing	-
3. Health limited	Does your health now limit you in	Yes limited a lot	1
moderate activities	Moderate activities? If so, how much?	Yes, limited a little	0.5
		No Not limited at all	0
		Missing	-
4. Can eat and dress	Because of any impairment of health problems, do you need the help of other	Yes	1
	persons with personal care needs, such as eating, bathing dressing or getting around your home?	No	0
	•	Missing	-
5. Take care of one's self	Because of any impairment or health problems do you need the help of other persons in handling routine needs, such	Yes	1
	as everyday household chores, doing necessary business, shopping, or	No	0
	getting around for other purposes?	Missing	-
6. Trouble getting	Have you ever been told by a doctor or	Yes, and the condition is still present	1
to bathroom on	other health care professional that you	No or Yes but the condition is no	0
time	have or have had urinary incontinence?	longer present	
		Missing	-
7. Health limited	Does your health now limit you in	Yes limited a lot	1
climbing stairs	climbing several flights of stairs? If so,	Yes, limited a little	0.5
	how much?	No Not limited at all	0
		Missing	-
8. Can go shopping	Does your health now limit you in lifting	Yes limited a lot	1
for groceries or	or carrying groceries? If so, how much?	Yes, limited a little	0.5
clothes		No Not limited at all	0
		Missing	-
9. Can do your	During the past 4 weeks, how much did	Extremely	1
housework	pain interfere with your normal work,	Quite a bit	0.75

DAI Construct	SJLIFE ITEM	Value/Criteria	DAI Item Weight
	including both work outside the home	Moderately	0.5
	and housework?	A little bit	0.25
		Not at all	0
		Missing	-
10. Pain	How much bodily pain have you had	Very Severe	1
	during the past 4 weeks?	Severe	0.8
		Moderate	0.6
		Mild	0.4
		Very Mild	0.2
		None	0
		Missing	-
11. General Health	In general, how would you say your	Poor	1
	health is?	Fair	0.75
		Good	0.5
		Very Good	0.25
		Excellent	0
		Missing	-
12. Physical health	During the past 4 weeks, how much of	All of the time	1
limited work or	the time have you had any of the	Most of the time	0.75
activities	following problems with your work or	Some of the time	0.5
	other regular daily activities as a result	A little of the time	0.25
	of your physical health? A: Cut down on	None of the time	0
	the amount of time you spent on work or other activities	Missing	-
13. Emotional	During the past 4 weeks, how much of	All of the time	1
problems limited work or activities	the time have you had any of the following problems with your work or	Most of the time	0.75
	other regular daily activities as a result	Some of the time	0.5
	of any emotional problems? A: Cut	A little of the time	0.25
	down on the amount of time you spent on work or other activities.	None of the time	0
		Missing	-
14. Physical or	During the past 4 weeks, to what extent	Extremely	1
emotional health	has your physical health or emotional	Quite a bit	0.75
interfered with	problems interfered with your normal	Moderately	0.5
social activities	social activities with family, friends,	Slightly	0.25
	neighbors, or groups?	Not at all	0
		Missing	-
	During the past 4 weeks, how much of	All of the time	1
	the time have you had any of the	Most of the time	0.75

DAI Construct	SJLIFE ITEM	Value/Criteria	DAI Item Weight
15. Physical health	following problems with your work or	Some of the time	0.5
resulted in	other regular daily activities as a result	A little of the time	0.25
accomplishing less	of your physical health? B:	None of the time	0
	Accomplished less than you would like	Missing	-
16. Emotional	During the past 4 weeks, how much of	All of the time	1
problems resulted	the time have you had any of the	Most of the time	0.75
in accomplishing less	following problems with your work or other regular daily activities as a result	Some of the time	0.5
	of any emotional problems? B: Accomplished less than you would like.	A little of the time	0.25
	Accomplished less than you would like.	None of the time	0
		Missing	-
17. Had a lot of	How much of the time during the past	All of the time	0
energy	four weeks did you have a lot of	Most of the time	0.25
	energy?	Some of the time	0.5
		A little of the time	0.75
		None of the time	1
		Missing	-
18. Felt	How much of the time during the past	All of the time	1
downhearted or	four weeks have you felt downhearted	Most of the time	0.75
blue	and depressed?	Some of the time	0.5
		A little of the time	0.25
		None of the time	0
		Missing	-
Felt calm or	How much of the time during the past	All of the time	0
peaceful	four weeks have you felt calm and	Most of the time	0.25
	peaceful?	Some of the time	0.5
		A little of the time	0.75
		None of the time	1
		Missing	-
20. Heart Disease Comorbidity:	Clinically Assessed and CTCAE Graded Cardiovascular Conditions - Atrioventricular Heart Block - Conduction Abnormalities - Prolonged QT Interval - Cardiac Dysrhythmia	≥ 1 Grade 3 or 4 Condition	1

DAI Construct	SJLIFE ITEM	Value/Criteria	DAI Item Weight
 Sinus Bradycardia Sinus Tachycardia Cardiomyopathy Right Ventricular Systolic Dysfunction Cor Pulmonale 		≥ 1 Grade 2 Condition (but no grade 3 or 4)	0.5
	 Pulmonary Hypertension Heart Valve Disorder Pericarditis Aortic Root Aneurysm Atrial Myxoma Thrombus Vascular Disease Hypertriglyceridemia Hypercholesterolemia 	None or Only Grade 1 Conditions Missing	-
21. Diabetes	 Myocardial Infarction Raynaud's Phenomenon Clinically Assessed and CTCAE Graded 	≥ 1 Grade 3 or 4 Condition	1
Comorbidity	Abnormal Glucose Metabolism	≥ 1 Grade 2 Condition (but no grade 3 or 4)	0.5
		None or Only Grade 1 Conditions	0
		Missing	-
22. Respiratory Comorbidity:	Clinically Assessed and CTCAE Graded Respiratory Conditions	≥ 1 Grade 3 or 4 Condition	1
	 Asthma Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease Obstructive, Restrictive, Diffusion Deficits 	≥ 1 Grade 2 Condition (but no grade 3 or 4)	0.5
	- Pleural Space Disorders	None or Only Grade 1 Conditions	0
	Pulmonary EmbolismObstructive Sleep Apnea	Missing	-
23. Chronic Liver, Kidney, or Gastrointestinal Comorbidity:	Clinically Assessed and CTCAE Graded Gastrointestinal/Renal Conditions - Constipation - Cholecystitis - Chronic Kidney Disease - Chronic Hematuria - Dysphagia	≥ 1 Grade 3 or 4 Condition	1

DAI Construct	SJLIFE ITEM	Value/Criteria	DAI Item Weight
	 Esophageal Stricture Esophageal Varices Esophagitis Enterocolitis Fecal Incontinence Gastritis/Duodenitis 	≥ 1 Grade 2 Condition (but no grade 3 or 4)	0.5
	- Gastroesophageal Reflux	None or Only Grade 1 Conditions	0
	Disease - Hepatopathy - Hepatic Failure - Pancreatitis - Pancreatic Insufficiency - Fibrosis/Cirrhosis - Portal Hypertension - Proctitis - Steatohepatitis - Veno-occlusive Disease of Liver - Urinary Bladder Dysfunction - Urinary Tract Calculi	Missing	-
24. Other	Secondary and Recurrent Malignancies	≥ 1 Grade 3 or 4 Condition	1
Cancer/Leukemia Comorbidity:	excluding "Non Melanoma Skin Cancer"	≥ 1 Grade 2 Condition (but no grade 3 or 4)	0.5
		None or Only Grade 1 Conditions	0
		Missing	-
25. Glaucoma, Cataracts, or decreased vision	Have you ever been told by a doctor or other heath are professional you have or have had legal blindness, problems	≥ 1 Grade 3 or 4 Condition	1
Comorbidity:	with double vision, or other eye problems?	≥ 1 Grade 2 Condition (but no grade 3 or 4)	0.5
	Clinically Assessed and CTCAE Graded Ocular Conditions	None or Only Grade 1 Conditions	0
	CataractGlaucoma	Missing	-
26. Blood Pressure	Clinically Assessed and CTCAE Graded	≥ 1 Grade 3 or 4 Condition	1
Comorbidity:	Hypertension	≥ 1 Grade 2 Condition (but no grade 3 or 4)	0.5
		None or Only Grade 1 Conditions	0

DAI Construct	SJLIFE ITEM	Value/Criteria	DAI Item Weight
		Missing	-
27.	Clinically Assessed and CTCAE Graded	≥ 1 Grade 3 or 4 Condition	1
Cerebrovascular disease	Neurologic Conditions - Cerebrovascular Disease	≥ 1 Grade 2 Condition (but no grade 3 or 4)	0.5
uisease	- Intracranial Hemorrhage - Cerebrovascular Accident	None or Only Grade 1 Conditions	0
	- Gerebiovasculai Accident	Missing	-
28. Osteoporosis	Clinically Assessed and CTCAE Graded	≥ 1 Grade 3 or 4 Condition	1
Comorbidity	Bone Mineral Density: BMD below expected range for age and sex	≥ 1 Grade 2 Condition (but no grade 3 or 4)	0.5
	(adjusted for amputation)	None or Only Grade 1 Conditions	0
		Missing	-
29. Thyroid	Clinically Assessed and CTCAE Graded	≥ 1 Grade 3 or 4 Condition	1
Comorbidity	Endocrine Conditions: - Hypothyroidism	≥ 1 Grade 2 Condition (but no grade 3 or 4)	0.5
	HyperthyroidismThyroid cyst/nodule	None or Only Grade 1 Conditions	0
	HypoparathyroidismHyperparathyroidism	Missing	-
30. Shingles or other chronic infections	Have you ever had Zoster (shingles)? And do you take chronic medications because of shingles?	Any grade 3 or higher condition or Any "yes, and the condition is still present" (for questionnaire)	1
	Clinically Assessed and CTCAE Graded - Immunodeficiency	Any grade 2 or higher condition or Any "yes, and the condition is still present" (for questionnaire)	0.5
	Chronic HepatitisHIV Infection	No grade 2 or higher condition and No or Yes, but the condition is no longer present (for questionnaire)	0
		Missing	-
32. Weight/BMI	Self-reported current weight and height	Obese BMI >=30	1
		Underweight BMI <18.5	1
		Normal/Overweight BMI >=18.5 and <30	0
		Missing	-
33. Poly-pharmacy	Self-reported medications taken	>= 5 Prescription Meds	1
	regularly during the last two years	<5 Prescription Meds	0
		Missing	-
34. Timed Up and	Timed Up and Go[1, 2]	>6 seconds	1
Go		<=6 seconds	0

DAI Construct	SJLIFE ITEM	Value/Criteria	DAI Item Weight
		Missing	-
35. Depression	Brief Symptom Inventory Depression	T-Score <=65	0
•	Subscale[3]	65> T-score <=70	0.5
		T-score >70	1
		Missing	-
36. Anxiety	Brief Symptom Inventory Anxiety	T-Score <=65	0
·	Subscale[3]	65> T-score <=70	0.5
		T-score >70	1
		Missing	-
37. Fatigue	Vitality subscale of Short-Form Health	T-Score <10 th percentile	1
· ·	Survey-36[4]	T-Score >=10 th percentile	0
	,	Missing	-
38. Balance Problems	Have you ever been told by a doctor or other heath are professional you have	Any "yes, and the condition is still present"	1
1 100101110	or have had problems with balance,	No or Yes, but the condition is no	0
	equilibrium or ability to reach for or	longer present, not sure	· ·
	manipulate objects?	Missing	-
39. Hearing	Have you ever been told by a doctor or	Any "yes, and the condition is still	1
Problems	other heath are professional you have	present"	
	or have had hearing loss requiring	No or Yes, but the condition is no	0
	hearing aid, deafness, tinnitus?	longer present	
		Missing	-
40. Smell and taste problems	Have you ever been told by a doctor or other heath are professional you have	Any "yes, and the condition is still present"	1
,	or have had abnormal sense of taste or	No or Yes, but the condition is no	0
	loss of taste or smell lasting for 3	longer present	
	months or more?	Missing	-
41.Weakness	Have you ever been told by a doctor or	Yes and the conditions is still present	1
	other heath are professional you have	No or Yes but the condition is longer	0
	or have had weakness or inability to	present	
	move arms or legs?	Missing	-
42.Loss of sense of	Have you ever been told by a doctor or	Yes and the conditions is still present	1
touch	other heath are professional you have	No or Yes but the condition is longer	0
	or have had decreased sense of touch	present	
	or feeling in hands, fingers, arms or legs	Missing	-
43.Problems	Have you ever been told by a doctor or	Yes and the conditions is still present	1
chewing and	other heath are professional you have	No or Yes but the condition is longer	0
swallowing	or have had problems chewing or	present	
	swallowing solids or liquids?	Missing	-

DAI Construct	SJLIFE ITEM	Value/Criteria	DAI Item Weight
44. Vigorous	Does your health now limit you in	Yes limited a lot	1
Activity	vigorous activities, such as running,	Yes, limited a little	0.5
	lifting heavy objects, participating in	No Not limited at all	0
	strenuous sports?	Missing	-
44. Arthritis	Clinically Assessed and CTCAE	≥ 1 Grade 3 or 4 Condition	1
	graded:	≥ 1 Grade 2 Condition (but no grade 3	0.5
	-arthritis	or 4)	
	-arthralgia	None or Only Grade 1 Conditions	0
		Missing	-

eTable 2: Characteristics of those with and without complete data.

	Without Biomarker Data n=565	With Biomarker Data n=2101
Age at Baseline Evaluation (mean(SD))	30.5 (8.0)	32.5 (8.6)
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	N(%)	N(%)
Sex	, ,	•
Female	264 (46.7)	979 (46.6)
Male	301 (53.3)	1122 (53.4)
Diagnosis		
Retinoblastoma	17 (3.0)	53 (2.5)
Wilms tumor	24 (4.2)	135 (6.4)
Others	44 (7.8)	114 (5.4)
Acute lymphoblastic leukemia	202 (35.8)	717 (34.1)
Acute Myeloid Leukemia	43 (7.6)	54 (2.6)
CNS tumor	51 (9.0)	227 (10.8)
Neuroblastoma	15 (2.7)	105 (5.0)
Hodgkin lymphoma	64 (11.3)	260 (12.4)
Non-Hodgkin lymphoma	34 (6.0)	166 (7.9)
Osteosarcoma	24 (4.2)	72 (3.4)
Ewing sarcoma	17 (3.0)	75 (3.6)
Soft tissue sarcoma	30 (5.3)	123 (5.9)
Cranial Radiation ¹		
No	342 (62.2)	1431 (68.8)
Yes	208 (37.8)	649 (31.2)
Chest Radiation ²		
No	391 (71.1)	1611 (77.3)
Yes	159 (28.9)	474 (22.7)
Abdomen/Pelvic radiation ³		
No	354 (64.5)	1456 (69.9)
Yes	195 (35.5)	628 (30.1)
Vincristine		
No	187 (33.1)	610 (29.0)
Yes	378 (66.9)	1491 (71.0)
Anthracyclines		
No	203 (35.9)	872 (41.5)
Yes	362 (64.1)	1229 (58.5)
Alkylating Agents		
No	198 (35.0)	861 (41.0)
Yes	367 (65.0)	1240 (59.0)
Platinum Agents		

	Without Biomarker Data n=565	With Biomarker Data n=2101
Age at Baseline Evaluation (mean(SD))	30.5 (8.0)	32.5 (8.6)
	N(%)	N(%)
No	476 (84.2)	1867 (88.9)
Yes	89 (15.8)	234 (11.1)
Corticosteroids		
No	277 (49.0)	1074 (51.1)
Yes	288 (51.0)	1027 (48.9)
Neurosurgery		
No	512 (90.6)	1853 (88.2)
Yes	53 (9.4)	248 (11.8)

eTable 3: Specific results from linear regression models examining the associations of mean LTL and EAA among survivors of childhood cancer.

	Mean LTL Residual		Epigenetic Age Acceleration			
	Adjusted Mean (95%C)	Adjusted Mean Difference (95%CI)	p-value	Adjusted Mean (95%C)	Adjusted Mean Difference (95%CI)	p-value
Overall					, ,	
Low DAI (<0.2)	0.03(-0.03, 0.09)	0.0 (ref.)	-	-0.84(-1.23, -0.45)	0.0 (ref.)	-
Medium DAI (0.2 to <0.35)	-0.05(-0.16, 0.06)	-0.07 (-0.22, 0.07)	0.426	0.93 (0.23, 1.64)	1.77(0.85, 2.69)	<.001
High DAI (>=0.35)	-0.04(-0.18, 0.11)	-0.06 (-0.25, 0.12)	0.679	2.82 (1.87, 3.78)	3.66 (2.47, 4.85)	<.001
Overall Model 2 ¹						
Low DAI (<0.2)	0.019(-0.07, 0.08)	0.0 (ref.)	-	0.07(-0.38, 0.51)	0.0 (ref.)	-
Medium DAI (0.2 to <0.35)	-0.051(-0.16, 0.06)	-0.06(-0.20, 0.08)	0.575	1.27(0.57, 1.96)	1.20(0.32, 2.09)	0.005
High DAI (>=0.35)	-0.03(-0.18, 0.12)	-0.04(-0.22, 0.15)	0.864	2.63(1.70, 3.55)	2.56(1.41, 3.71)	<.001
Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia						
Low DAI (<0.2)	-0.06(-0.16, 0.04)	0.0 (ref.)	-	-0.77(-1.39, -0.16)	0.0 (ref.)	-
Medium DAI (0.2 to <0.35)	-0.08(-0.27, 0.12)	-0.02(-0.27, 0.23)	0.982	1.50(0.36, 2.63)	2.27(0.78, 3.76)	0.001
High DAI (>=0.35)	0.01(-0.28, 0.29)	0.06(-0.29, 0.41)	0.902	1.08(-0.61, 2.77)	1.85(-0.22, 3.93)	0.088
Hodgkin Lymphoma						
Low DAI (<0.2)	-0.09(-0.26, 0.08)	0.0 (ref.)	-	3.80(2.71, 4.87)	0.0 (ref.)	-
Medium DAI (0.2 to <0.35)	-0.21(-0.49, 0.07)	-0.11(-0.50, 0.27)	0.741	4.17(2.42, 5.92)	0.37(-2.02, 2.76)	0.922
High DAI (>=0.35)	-0.08(-0.37, 0.21)	0.01(-0.38, 0.41)	0.996	6.00(4.16, 7.84)	2.20(-0.27, 4.68)	0.089
CNS Tumors						
Low DAI (<0.2)	0.11(-0.10, 0.32)	0.0 (ref.)	-	-1.85(-3.08, -0.62)	0.0 (ref.)	-
Medium DAI (0.2 to <0.35)	-0.10(-0.41, 0.21)	-0.21(-0.64, 0.22)	0.458	-2.27(-4.12, -0.42)	-0.41(-2.96, 2.13)	0.916
High DAI (>=0.35)	0.22(-0.24, 0.67)	0.11(-0.47, 0.69)	0.893	2.49(-0.29, 5.26)	4.34(0.82, 7.86)	0.012
Age <30						
Low DAI (<0.2)	-0.02(-0.11, 0.08)	0.0 (ref.)	-	-0.66 (-1.24, -0.08)	0.0 (ref.)	_
Medium DAI (0.2 to <0.35)	-0.01(-0.23, 0.20)	0.01(-0.27, 0.28)	0.999	1.42(0.12, 2.72)	2.08(0.45, 3.71)	0.009
High DAI (>=0.35)	-0.26(-0.64, 0.12)	-0.24(-0.69, 0.21)	0.407	4.28(1.90, 6.67)	4.94(2.14, 7.75)	<.001
Age 30 to <40	0.20(0.0 1, 0.12)	0.2 ((0.00, 0.21)	0.107	1126(1166) 6161)		4.00.
Low DAI (<0.2)	0.13(0.03, 0.22)	0.0 (ref.)	-	-0.49(-1.13, 0.15)	0.0 (ref.)	-
Medium DAI (0.2 to <0.35)	-0.09(-0.27, 0.09)	-0.22(-0.45, 0.01)	0.066	0.01(-0.23, 0.24)	-0.12(-0.42, 0.17)	0.573
High DAI (>=0.35)	0.76(-0.37, 1.90)	1.26(-0.24, 2.75)	0.115	1.75(0.19, 3.31)	2.24(0.31, 4.17)	0.019
Age 40+					(,	
Low DAI (<0.2)	-0.07(-0.20, 0.05)	0.0 (ref.)	-	-1.63(-2.54, -0.71)	0.0 (ref.)	-
Medium DAI (0.2 to <0.35)	-0.04(-0.21, 0.13)	0.04(-0.20, 0.28)	0.926	0.55 (-0.70, 1.77)	2.17 (0.43, 3.92)	0.011
High DAI (>=0.35)	-0.001 (-0.20, 0.19)	0.08 (-0.19, 0.34)	0.766	2.78(1.37, 4.19)	4.41(2.50, 6.31)	<.001

Note: All models were adjusted for sex and time since diagnosis. ¹ Model 2 is further adjusted for treatment exposures that are associated with either mLTL or EAA. © 2023 Williams AM et al. JAMA Network Open

eTable 4: Distribution of DAI groups by age categories.

	Age Group			
	<30	30 to <40	40+	
DAI				
Low	617 (79.5)	553 (69.4)	266 (50.4)	
Medium	120 (15.5)	158 (19.8)	150 (28.4)	
High	39 (5.0)	86 (10.8)	112 (21.2)	