

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLES

Supplementary Table 1. Cancer-Directed Treatments Received Before Metastatic SCCHN Diagnosis^a

Cancer-Directed Treatment	n = 105 (47.7%)	%
Number (%) of patients		
Surgery only	14	13.3
Radiotherapy only	5	4.8
Radiotherapy preoperative	6	5.7
Radiotherapy postoperative	48	45.7
Systemic chemotherapy only	0	0.0
Systemic chemotherapy preoperative (neoadjuvant or induction)	15	14.3
Systemic chemotherapy postoperative without clinically evident residual disease (adjuvant)	16	15.2
Systemic chemotherapy postoperative for residual disease	3	2.9
Systemic chemotherapy concurrent with radiotherapy	27	25.7
Radiotherapy followed by chemotherapy	13	12.4
Chemotherapy followed by radiotherapy	23	21.9
Not reported	3	2.9

SCCHN = squamous cell carcinoma of the head and neck.

Note: Totals may sum to more than 100% because respondents were able to provide multiple answers.

^a Patients initially diagnosed with stage I through stage IVB disease.

Supplementary Table 2. Chemotherapy and Targeted Therapy Agents Used to Treat Metastatic SCCHN, by Therapy Line

	First Line		Second Line		Third Line		Fourth Line	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Specific Chemotherapy and Targeted Therapy Agents								
Number (%) of patients receiving each treatment	220	100.0	220	100.0	220	100.0	4	1.8
Single agents								
Capecitabine	—	—	—	—	6	2.7	1	25.0
Carboplatin	—	—	4	1.8	10	4.6	—	—
Cetuximab	—	—	19	8.6	43	19.6	—	—
Cisplatin	8	3.6	6	2.7	—	—	—	—
Docetaxel	—	—	99	45.0	40	18.2	1	25.0
Gemcitabine	—	—	6	2.7	27	12.3	1	25.0
Lapatinib	—	—	—	—	1	0.5	—	—
Methotrexate	—	—	1	0.5	43	19.6	—	—
Paclitaxel	—	—	28	12.7	16	7.3	—	—
Vinorelbine	—	—	2	0.9	4	1.8	—	—
Combination therapy (two agents)								
Capecitabine + carboplatin	2	0.9	1	0.5	—	—	—	—
Capecitabine + cisplatin	10	4.5	1	0.5	—	—	—	—
Capecitabine + lapatinib	—	—	—	—	1	0.5	—	—
Carboplatin + cetuximab	—	—	3	1.4	2	0.9	—	—

	First Line		Second Line		Third Line		Fourth Line	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Specific Chemotherapy and Targeted Therapy Agents								
Carboplatin + docetaxel	—	—	1	0.5	—	—	—	—
Carboplatin + etoposide	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	25.0
Carboplatin + 5-FU	26	11.8	2	0.9	2	0.9	—	—
Carboplatin + gemcitabine	9	4.1	2	0.9	4	1.8	—	—
Carboplatin + paclitaxel	11	5.0	19	8.6	3	1.4	—	—
Cetuximab + cisplatin	—	—	4	1.8	—	—	—	—
Cetuximab + docetaxel	—	—	1	0.5	—	—	—	—
Cetuximab + 5-FU	—	—	1	0.5	—	—	—	—
Cetuximab + paclitaxel	—	—	1	0.5	—	—	—	—
Cisplatin + docetaxel	2	0.9	5	2.3	—	—	—	—
Cisplatin + 5-FU	102	46.4	3	1.4	4	1.8	—	—
Cisplatin + gemcitabine	4	1.8	—	—	—	—	—	—
5-FU + gemcitabine	—	—	1	0.5	1	0.5	—	—
5-FU + paclitaxel	—	—	—	—	1	0.5	—	—
Gemcitabine + vinorelbine	—	—	5	2.3	10	4.6	—	—
Combination therapy (three agents)								
Capecitabine + cetuximab + cisplatin	1	0.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Capecitabine + cisplatin + epirubicin	—	—	—	—	1	0.5	—	—
Carboplatin + cetuximab + 5-FU	3	1.4	4	1.8	1	0.5	—	—
Carboplatin + cetuximab + paclitaxel	1	0.5	1	0.5	—	—	—	—

Specific Chemotherapy and Targeted Therapy Agents	First Line		Second Line		Third Line		Fourth Line	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Cetuximab + cisplatin + 5-FU	36	16.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cisplatin + docetaxel + 5-FU	3	1.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cisplatin + 5-FU + paclitaxel	2	0.9	—	—	—	—	—	—
Not reported	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

5-FU = 5-fluorouracil; SCCHN = squamous cell carcinoma of the head and neck. "Paclitaxel" refers to the non-protein-bound form of the drug.