# Assessment of Dasatinib versus Nilotinib as Upfront Therapy for Chronic-Phase of Chronic Myeloid Leukemia in Qatar: A Cost Effectiveness Analysis

## Highlights:

#### What do we already know about this topic?

The goals for standard treatment for CML-CP using TKIs such as nilotinib, dasatinib has well been established to achieve clinical remission while optimizing patient's quality of life.

# How does your research contribute to the Cancer Control field?

Upfront therapy of chronic myeloid leukemia –chronic phase patients by nilotinib plan appears to be more cost-effective than dasatinib i.e. more cost-effective strategy in terms of incremental costs per additional MMR/CCyR response gained.

## What are your research's implications towards theory, practice, or policy?

The main finding identified will provide clinicians and healthcare policy makers in Qatar with better CML treatment decision making.