











Phase Cancer 1 trials and building a sustainable portfolio in Wales Rob Jones Reader and Consultant in Medical Oncology, Cardiff

















Phase 1 trials in Wales

- Provide access for Welsh patients to novel treatment options in high quality trials without needing to travel to English centres
- Provide new treatment options for patients who have exhausted conventional treatments
- Enhance reputation of Welsh Cancer Research
- Contributes to vibrant working conditions to help retain and recruit high quality staff
- Provide opportunities for translational research in collaboration with CU, UHW, Swansea and others
- Collaboration opportunities with partnership funders (VCC CF, WCRC, CRUK, CRW, CU, ECMC, Pharma)





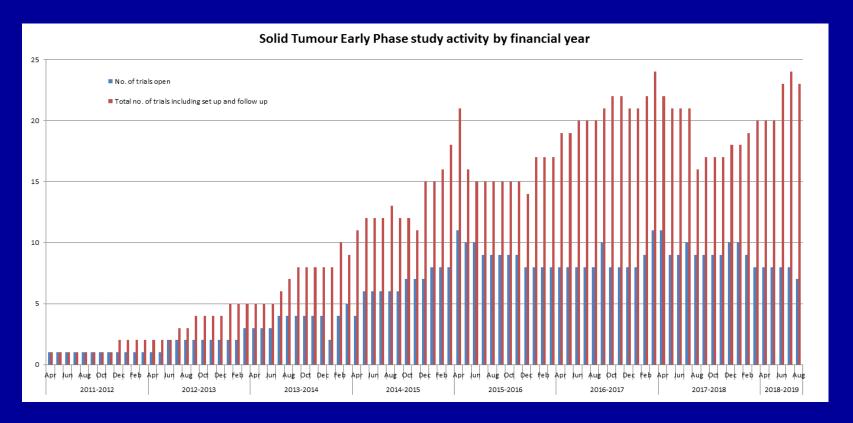












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Drug RT





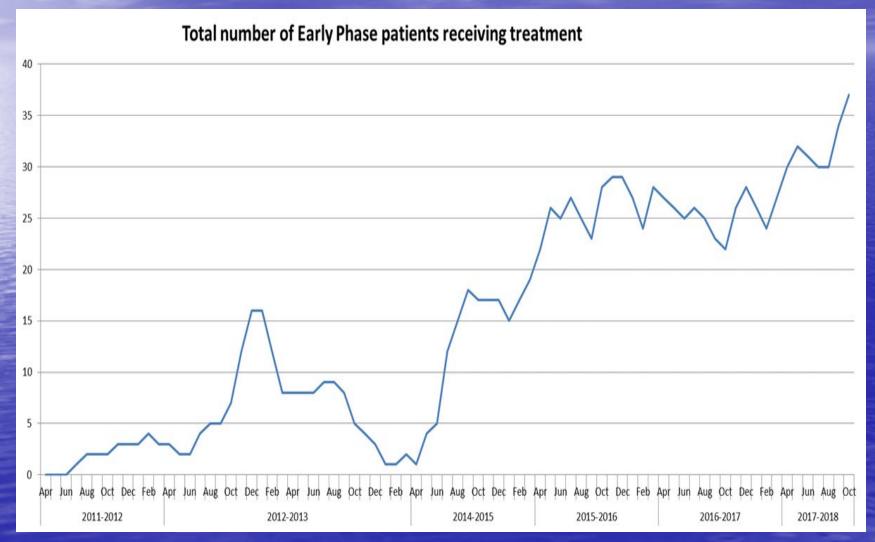








Expanding numbers of patients on treatment





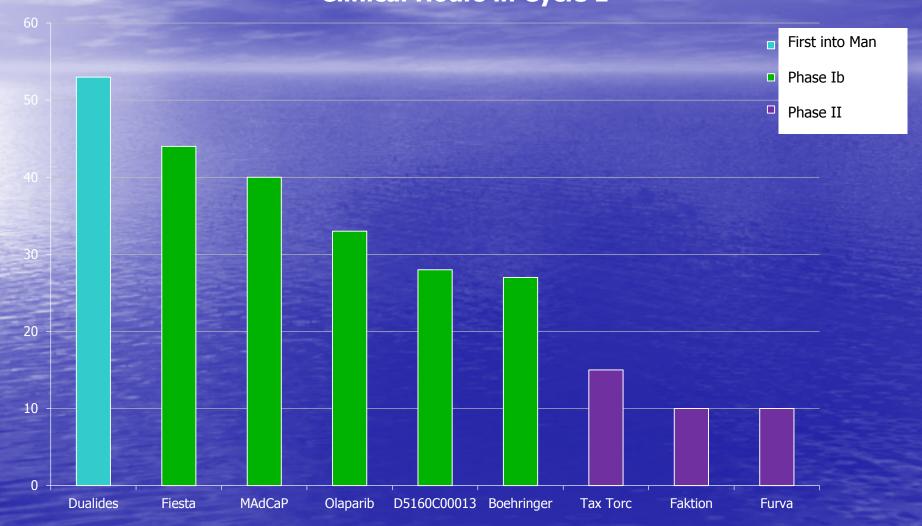








Clinical Hours in Cycle 1

















How to futureproof Clinical Research

- Attract investment from external grant bodies (WCRC, ECMC, Velindre CF, CRW)
- Attract Pharma to run commercial trials
- Lead on new trial design by local Chief Investigators (FAKTION, FURVA, FIESTA)
- Generate research outputs in recognised Medical journals (3 in Lancet Oncology)
- Generate good collaborations locally/nationally
- Demonstrate benefit to patients







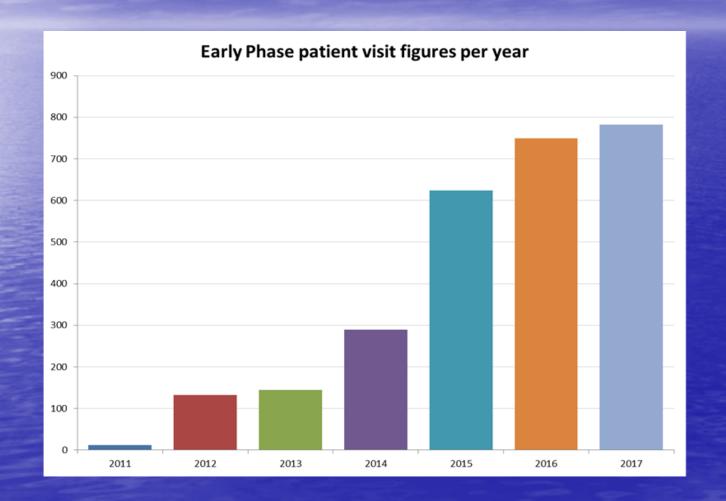








Increasing patient visits solid tumours



Over last 3 years over 11,000 hours of patient travel saved















Financial considerations 2014-2018

- Staff and service costs
- External grants (ECMC WCRC)
- Commercial trial income (including drug reimbursement)
- Net

£1,720,470

£ 361,452

£1,739587

£ 380,569















Challenges in futureproofing

- Fluctuations in activity through circumstances beyond our control
- Ring-fencing trial income and rolling over financial years
- Claiming drug savings from LHB's