

Pegylated liposomal irinotecan for treating pancreatic cancer after gemcitabine

Information for the public

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Pegylated liposomal irinotecan (Onivyde), taken with 5-fluorouracil and leucovorin, is not normally available on the NHS for treating pancreatic cancer that has got worse after gemcitabine-based treatment.

Your doctor should talk with you about other treatment options. If you are already taking it, you should be able to continue until you and your doctor decide when best to stop.

Information and support

[NHS Choices](#) may be a good place to find out more.

These organisations can give you advice and support:

- [Pancreatic Cancer Action](#), 0303 040 1770
- [Pancreatic Cancer UK](#), 0808 801 0707
- [Macmillan](#), 0808 808 0000
- [Cancer Research UK Patient Information](#) (previously CancerHelp UK), 0808 800 4040

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