

Key Clinical Trials and Real World Outcomes

<p>ELIANA registration trial¹</p>	<p>Maude SL, Laetsch TW, Buechner J, et al. Tisagenlecleucel in Children and Young Adults with B-Cell Lymphoblastic Leukemia. <i>N Engl J Med.</i> 2018;378(5):439-448. doi:10.1056/NEJMoa1709866</p>	<p>https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/29385370/</p>
<p>Humanized CAR T-cell therapy²</p>	<p>Myers RM, Li Y, Barz Leahy A, et al. Humanized CD19-Targeted Chimeric Antigen Receptor (CAR) T Cells in CAR-Naive and CAR-Exposed Children and Young Adults With Relapsed or Refractory Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia. <i>J Clin Oncol.</i> 2021;39(27):3044-3055. doi:10.1200/JCO.20.03458</p>	<p>https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/34156874/</p>
<p>Phase 2 ZUMA-3 trial^{3,4}</p>	<p>Shah BD, Ghobadi A, Oluwole OO, et al. KTE-X19 for relapsed or refractory adult B-cell acute lymphoblastic leukaemia: phase 2 results of the single-arm, open-label, multicentre ZUMA-3 study. <i>The Lancet.</i> 2021;398(10299):491-502. doi:10.1016/S0140-6736(21)01222-8</p> <p>Bouchkouj N, Lin X, Wang X, et al. FDA Approval Summary: Brexucabtagene Autoleucel for Treatment of Adults With Relapsed or Refractory B-Cell Precursor Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia. <i>The Oncologist.</i> 2022;27(10):892-899. doi:10.1093/oncolo/oyac163</p>	<p>https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/34097852/</p> <p>https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/30309857/</p>
<p>Phase 1 ZUMA-4 trial⁵</p>	<p>Wayne AS, Huynh V, Hijiya N, et al. Three-year results from phase 1 of ZUMA-4: KTE-X19 in pediatric relapsed/refractory acute lymphoblastic leukemia. <i>Haematologica.</i> Published online October 20, 2022. doi:10.3324/haematol.2022.280678</p>	<p>Three-year results from phase 1 of ZUMA-4: KTE-X19 in pediatric relapsed/refractory acute lymphoblastic leukemia - PubMed (nih.gov)</p>
<p>CD19-directed CAR T with defined CD4+, CD8+ T-cell composition^{6,7}</p>	<p>Gardner RA, Finney O, Annesley C, et al. Intent-to-treat leukemia remission by CD19 CAR T cells of defined formulation and dose in children and young adults. <i>Blood.</i> 2017;129(25):3322-3331. doi:10.1182/blood-2017-02-769208</p> <p>Shah NN, Highfill SL, Shalabi H, et al. CD4/CD8 T-Cell Selection Affects Chimeric Antigen Receptor (CAR) T-Cell Potency and Toxicity: Updated Results From a Phase I Anti-CD22 CAR T-Cell Trial. <i>J Clin Oncol.</i> 2020;38(17):1938-1950. doi:10.1200/JCO.19.03279</p>	<p>https://ashpublications.org/blood/article/129/25/3322/107614/Intent-to-treat-leukemia-remission-by-CD19-CAR-T</p> <p>https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/32286905/</p>
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<p>CAR T-cell associated HLH-like toxicities^{24,25}</p>	<p>Lichtenstein DA, Schischlik F, Shao L, et al. Characterization of HLH-Like Manifestations as a CRS Variant in Patients Receiving CD22 CAR T-Cells. <i>Blood</i>. Published online September 15, 2021: blood.2021011898. doi:10.1182/blood.2021011898</p> <p>Hines MR, Keenan C, Maron Alfaro G, et al. Hemophagocytic lymphohistiocytosis-like toxicity (carHLH) after CD19-specific CAR T-cell therapy. <i>Br J Haematol</i>. 2021;194(4):701-707. doi:10.1111/bjh.17662</p>	<p>https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/34525183/</p> <p>https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/34263927/</p>
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<p>Special Considerations for CAR T-cells in Unique Populations</p>		
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