

# Research Evaluation Committee (REC) Update

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# In Progress-



Study	Principal investigators	Protocol	REB approval	DSA	Update	Manuscript
<b>Intra-Abdominal Desmoids</b>	C Nessim, A. Gronchi	Yes	Yes	Yes	To be submitted March 2026	
<b>Myxoid LPS</b>	C. Nessim, B. Purgina, C Raut	Yes	Yes	Yes	Evaluating data – Abstract for CTOS 2026	pending
<b>DSRCT Database</b>	S. Rejjers, W. Graaf, W. vanHoudt	Yes	Yes	Yes	Cleaning and Analysing data	pending
<b>iSARC</b>	J. Farma, A. Villano, E Papai	Yes	Yes	Yes	Manuscript to circulate Feb 2026 – Additional analysis for abstract CTOS 2026	pending

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<b>Retroperitoneal lipomas</b>	W. Tseng, A Gronchi, C Raut	Yes	Yes	Yes	Data analysis – Preparing for manuscript submission	Pending
<b>Surveillance</b>	S Ford, D Maes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Data analysis	pending
<b>Vascular resection in RPS</b>	F Tirotta, S Ford	Yes	Yes	Yes	Data cleaning and analysis	pending



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## Update – FLORRAL Study

### **Risk stratification for patients with First Local Recurrence of Retroperitoneal Liposarcoma- FLORRAL**

PI: **David Gyorki**

Co-PI: Eyal Mor, Jean-Philippe Dulude

*Primary outcome:* To identify novel risk factors to predict recurrence risk and tailor optimal management of patients with first local recurrence of retroperitoneal liposarcoma

*Secondary outcome:* To describe the pattern of recurrence of primary retroperitoneal liposarcomas

- Data received from 14 sites (226 patients), and pending data from 5 remaining centers
- Data cleaning and analysing ongoing - Potential abstract submission CTOS 2026
- **David.gyorki@petermac.org**



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## Update – Ewing Study

**Soft tissue Ewing sarcomas and undifferentiated round cell sarcomas of the retroperitoneum: retrospective multicentric TARPSWG study**

PI: **Alessandra Borghi**

Co-PI: Dario Callegaro, Alessandro Gronchi, Marco Fiore

*Primary outcomes:* Overall Survival, CCI of local recurrence and distant metastasis

*Secondary outcomes:* Outcomes over time, Need for multivisceral resection, Postoperative complications and Predictors of oncological outcomes

- Study is opened in 21 centers, data collection ongoing in 2 centers
- New centers welcomed to join the study
- **[Alessandra.borghi@istitutotumori.mi.it](mailto:Alessandra.borghi@istitutotumori.mi.it)**



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## Update – New study Proposal

### **Radiation-Induced Breast Angiosarcoma after Breast Radiotherapy: a Retrospective Cohort Study of Treatment Patterns and Outcomes**

Principal investigator: **Valerie Grignol**, Ohio State University James Cancer Center

Co-author: McKenzie Schaefer

*Primary objectives:* Evaluate contemporary treatment paradigms for breast angiosarcoma across high-volume sarcoma centers

- Distribution of treatment strategies (upfront surgery, neoadjuvant therapy, multimodal approaches)
- Systemic therapy utilization patterns (taxane vs others, sequencing relative to surgery)
- Surgical management characteristics (extent of resection, margin status, reconstructive approach)



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*Secondary objectives:*

- Characterize oncologic outcomes (LR, DR, RFS, OS)
- Evaluate associations between treatment strategies and oncologic outcomes (margin negative resection rate, path response, LR rates, DR rates, RFS and OS by treatment paradigm)
- Describe inter-institution variability in management approaches (variation in neoadjuvant therapy, surgical extent and reconstruction, and adjuvant therapy)

Inclusion from 2010 to 2025; Classification into primary AS vs RAAS



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# Roles of Research Evaluation Committee

- Oversee all new proposals for new consensus guidelines, retrospective and prospective studies
- Oversee all new proposals for studies not related to the RESAR registry
- Ensure proper application of the Authorship policy
- Ensure proper application of Data Sharing Agreements

## **Any TARPSWG member can submit a proposal**

Study protocol

Data collection sheet

IRB approval letter

DSA contract



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## Questions / Discussion

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