

Kortrijk Older Adult Oncology Care Model

Are there **any** concerns about the patient's ability to tolerate cancer-specific treatment?

No Yes

G8 > 14

Yes

No

G8 + short CGA

Obvious concerns

- Intervention of geriatrician is needed (e.g. 75+, high risk surgery)
- Need for an extended CGA in opinion of THCW or treating physician

G8 + Extended CGA

Modifiable abnormalities identified

Non-modifiable abnormalities identified

Successful intervention

Schedule appropriate intervention:

- Nutrition → Oncodietitian
- Emotional → Oncopsychologist, Oncocoach
- Functional → Occupational therapist/Speech therapist/Physiotherapist
- Social status → Social worker
- Affective status → Complementary therapist/Chaplaincy services
- Cognition → Memory clinic/Neurologist/Geriatrician (if 75+)
- Polypharmacy → Oncologist/Geriatrician → Clinical pharmacist or pharmacologist
- Medical needs → Geriatrician and other specialists
- Other → ...

Examine alternate treatment options that would reduce toxicity to an acceptable level

Standard treatment

Special precautions

Palliative treatment

Trained Healthcare Worker-led

Geriatrician-led