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Major achievements

In line with its mission, the EBMT Nurses Group (NG) continued to strengthen and connect the global community of nurses and allied health professionals working in Haematopoietic Stem Cell Transplantation (HCT) and Cellular Therapy (CT), now representing 1120 members across 65 countries. Throughout the year, the NG delivered a wide range of educational and collaborative activities designed to advance practice and share expertise.

The **51st Annual Meeting of the EBMT** in Florence was a major highlight, bringing together 650 registered nurses and showcasing 197 submitted abstracts. The education programme centred on the four pillars of HCT and CT nursing: *Clinical Practice, Research, Education, and Leadership*. The second edition of the Next Generation Session stood out as one of the most well-attended sessions of the meeting.

In October, the **17th Educational Meeting of the EBMT Nurses Group** in Nantes, France, held in close partnership with the French Nurses Group, was another success. Nurses' tracks were delivered at the **EHA-EBMT 7th European CAR T-cell Meeting** (in collaboration with the HNHCP) and during the **10th International Transplant and Cellular Therapy Course**. EBMT Working Party meetings throughout the year further highlighted the essential contributions of Working Party Nurses through nurses' sessions, tracks, or presentations.



For the first time, the NG also contributed to **Practice Harmonisation & Guidelines**, leading a workshop on the role of palliative and supportive care in HCT and CT.

A fifth translation of the **EBMT Textbook for Nurses** was published in 2025, supported by the Polish National Nurses Group and DMKS, and the **Preparatory Course** for the 2026 NG **Exam** was successfully launched.

International collaborations continued to grow, with monthly **webinars** and activities with colleagues in South Africa and Sri Lanka, and other partner societies.

Three expert-led **educational videos** were developed, covering bone marrow aspiration and trephine biopsy, the insertion and management of peripherally inserted central catheters (PICCs), and the thawing and infusion of cryopreserved stem cells and CAR T-cells. Watch the Nurses' Practical Skills Videos Here.

Principal research studies

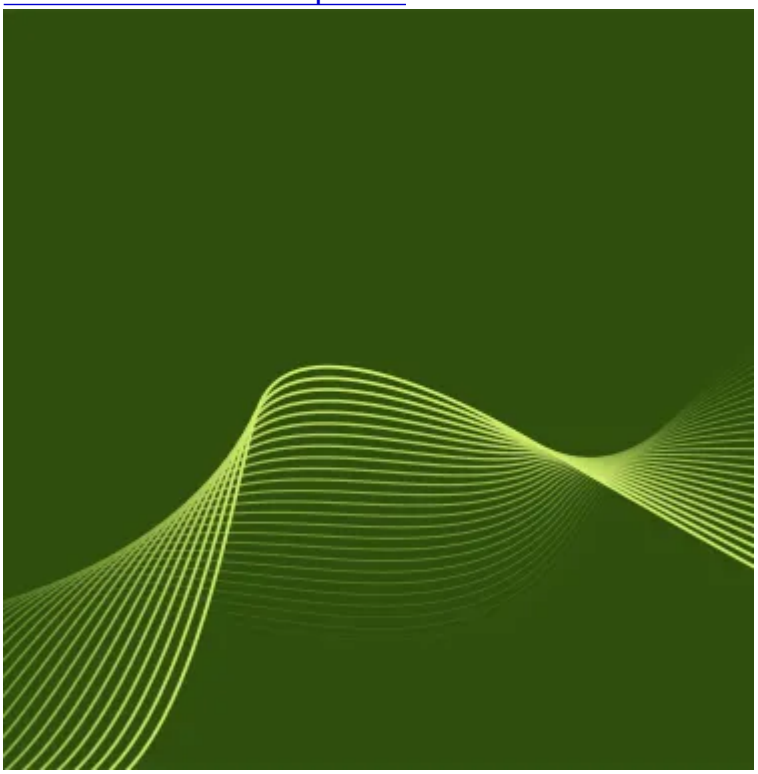
Nutritional Care Practices during CAR-T Cell Treatment in Adult Patients
Study type
Closed Survey/Study
Diseases
All diseases

Group
Nursing Research Committee
Cellular Therapy & Immunobiology Working Party (CTIWP)
Type of treatment
CAR T
Principal investigator
Paolo Pedrazzoli
Prevention and management of conditioning related skin toxicity in paediatric HSCT patients
Study type
Closed Survey/Study
Diseases
All diseases
Group
Nursing Research Committee
Nursing Paediatric Committee
Paediatric Diseases Working Party (PDWP)
Type of treatment
Allogeneic
Autologous
Principal investigator
Mihaela Hartmann, Hilda Mekelenkamp

Key publications

2025
Indications for haematopoietic cell transplantation and CAR-T for haematological diseases, solid tumours and immune disorders: 2025 EBMT practice recommendations
Group
Acute Leukemia Working Party (ALWP)
Severe Aplastic Anaemia Working Party (SAAWP)
Autoimmune Diseases Working Party (ADWP)
Chronic Malignancies Working Party (CMWP)
Cellular Therapy & Immunobiology Working Party (CTIWP)
Inborn Errors Working Party (IEWP)
Infectious Diseases Working Party (IDWP)
Complications Working Party (CWP)

Lymphoma Working Party (LWP)
Paediatric Diseases Working Party (PDWP)
Haemoglobinopathies Working Party (HWP)
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Nursing Paediatric Committee
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Journal
Bone Marrow Transplant.



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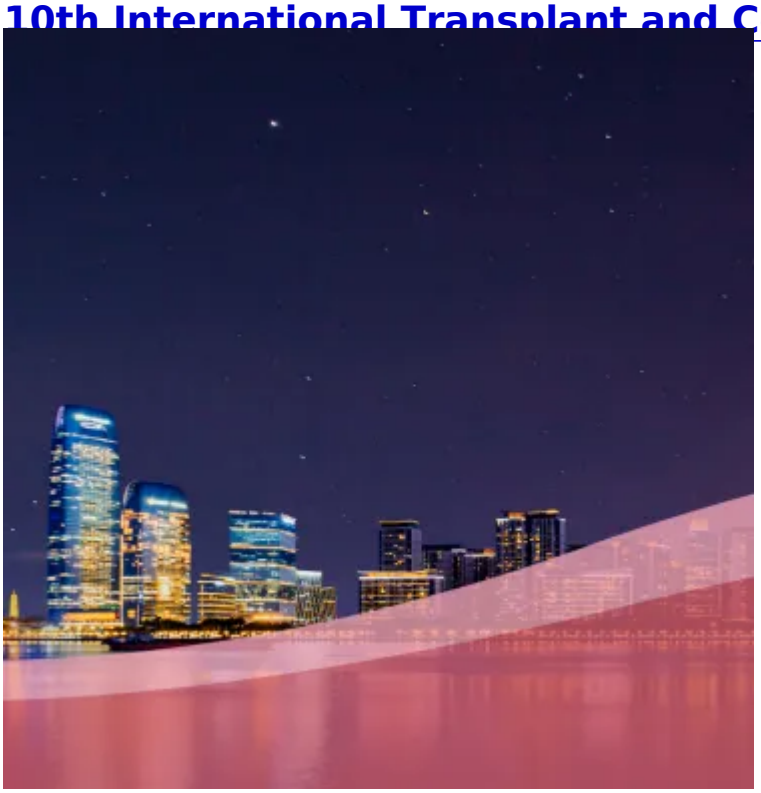
17th Educational Meeting of the EBMT Nurses Group

Oct 02, 2025 - Oct 03, 2025 / Nantes, France
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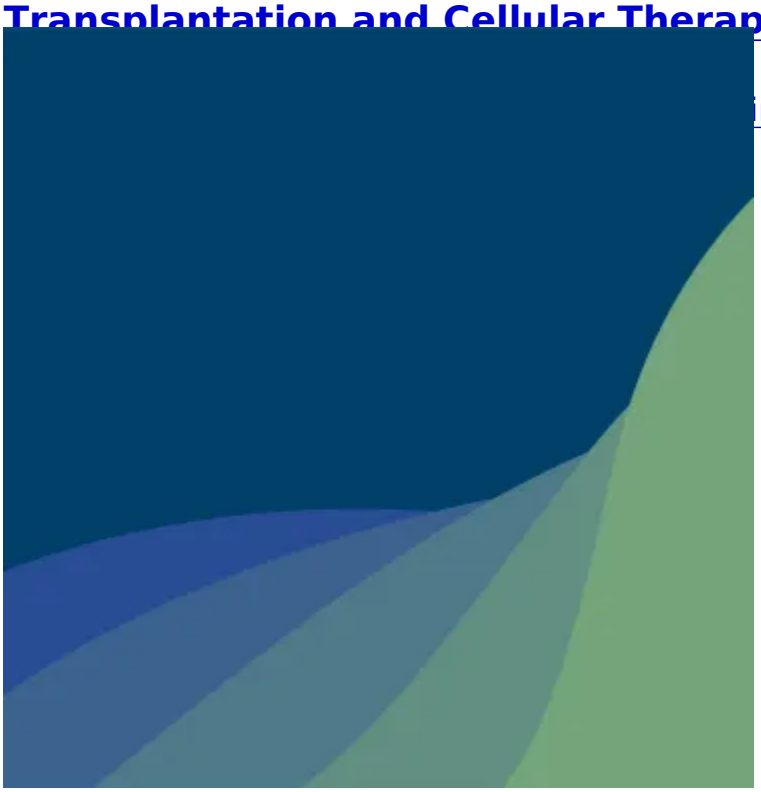
10th International Transplant and Cellular Therapy Course



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2025 China-Europe Nursing Forum on Blood and Marrow Transplantation and Cellular Therapy

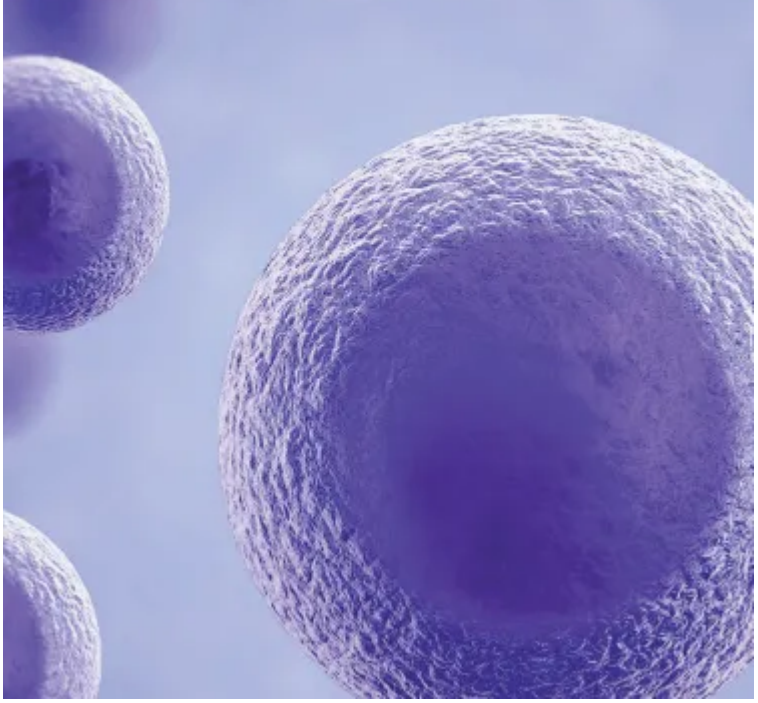
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51st Annual Meeting of the EBMT

Mar 30, 2025 - Apr 02, 2025 / Florence, Italy
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Event

EHA-EBMT 7th European CAR T-cell Meeting

Feb 06, 2025 - Feb 08, 2025 / Strasbourg, France
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e-courses and podcasts

Nurses Webinars
Blood Matters - a Podcast for Nurses