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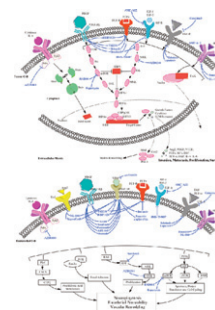
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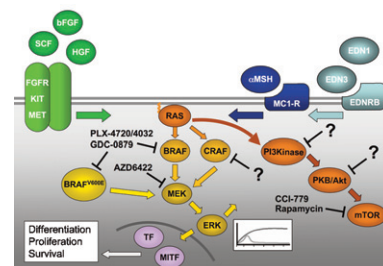
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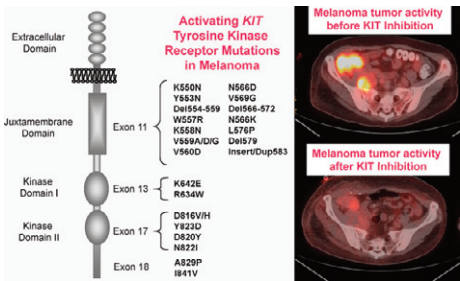
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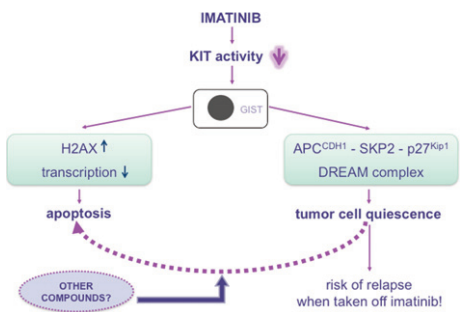
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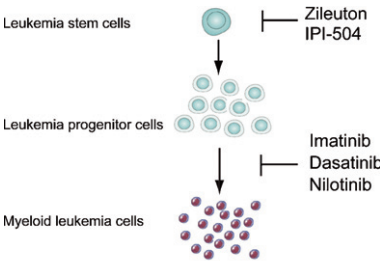
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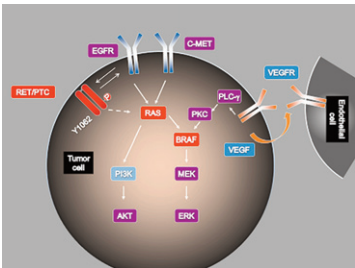
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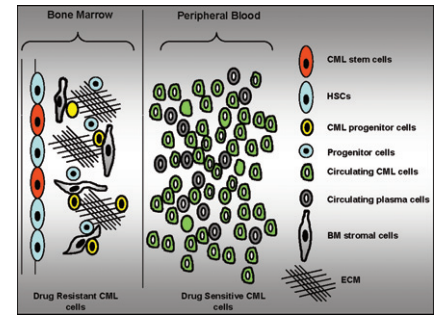
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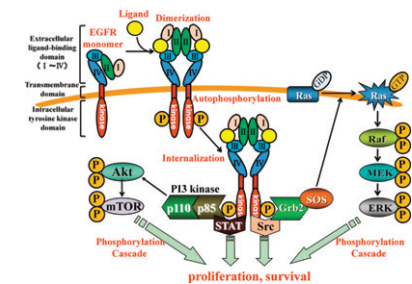
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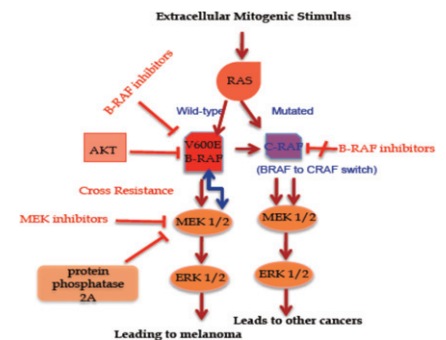
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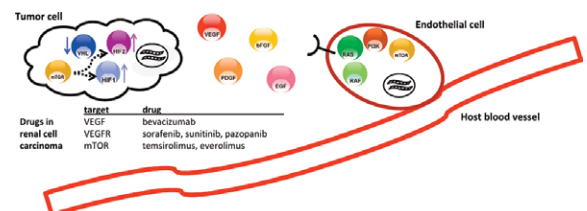
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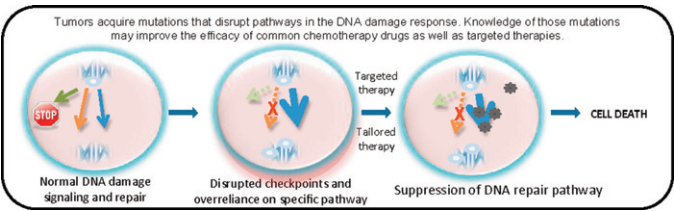
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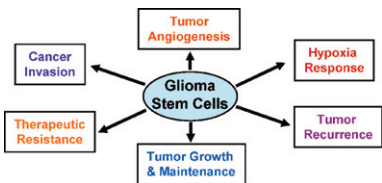
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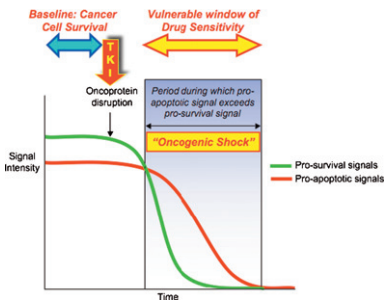


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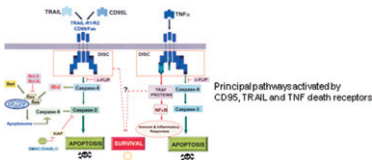
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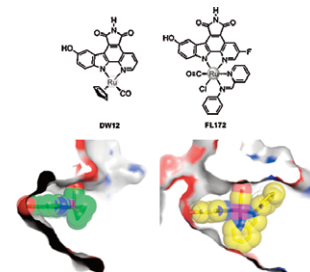
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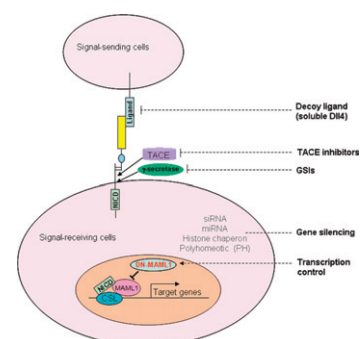
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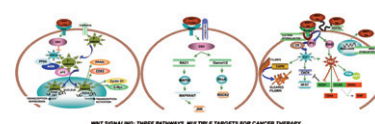
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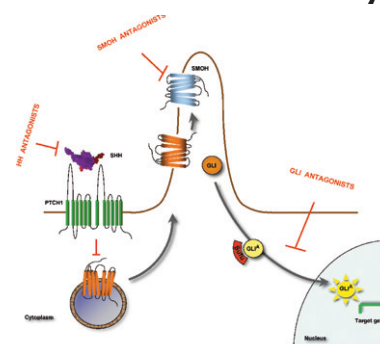
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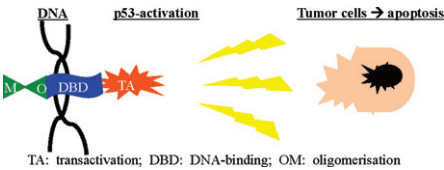
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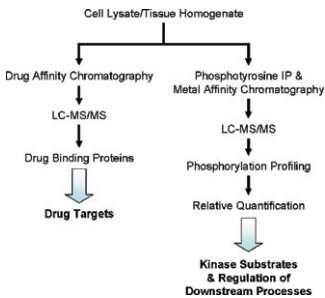
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Types of therapy biomarkers	Imaging biomarkers
Response: Used to measure a quantitative change in response to therapy.	Anatomic: RECIST, volumetrics (CT, MRI).
Prognostic: Used to predict patient outcome regardless of therapy.	Functional: Dynamic Contrast Enhanced-MRI, Diffusion MRI, Magnetization Transfer MRI, and Macromolecule contrast.
Predictive: Used to predict response to a specific therapy.	Molecular: PET (Receptors, metabolites, hypoxia, pH), CT/US/MR Nanoparticles, and MR (Spectroscopy, pH, hypoxia, chemical exchange saturation transfer, hyperpolarization).

Methods for investigation of targeted kinase inhibitor therapy using chemical proteomics and phosphorylation profiling

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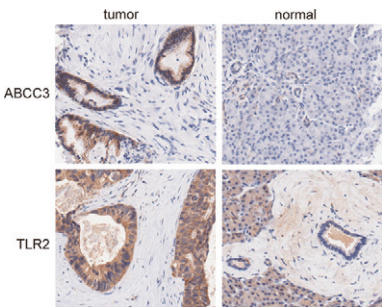
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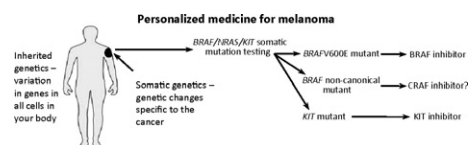
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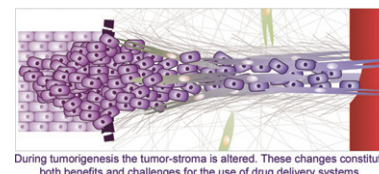
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