CAP-CDC Cooperative Agreement Acute Leukemia (AL) Baseline Survey Pilot Results

Number of invited participants: 9 Number of participants: 7 Survey administered online via Survey Monkey

Summary of Pilot Participants Comments/Suggestion	Action Taken
Grammatical changes to introduction	Changed per suggestions
Question 4 - Add "current medication" to list of clinical information routinely included in the pathology report	Changed per suggestion
Question 6, 8, 10 - Add "FISH" and "Molecular Testing" to list of sample/tests evaluated for initial diagnosis of AL	Changed per suggestions
Question 8 – rephrase to include the words "routinely" or "most frequently" performed	Changed per suggestion to include the word "routinely"
Question 12 – rephrase to include the word "typically"	Changed per suggestion
Question 14 – rephrase the question	Sustained – no other comments were provided to state exactly what was unclear and no other participants stated the question was unclear
Question 16 – rephrase the question; unclear whether or not this question is tied to the previous one	Question rephrased
Question 18 – unclear as to whether inquiring about bone marrow specimens or peripheral blood smears; need more response options	Question and response options rephrased
	Question 20 removed – same question asked in a different way earlier in the survey
Question 22 - include additional response options	Sustained - the panel believes that the suggested responses already fit into the current response choices
Question 28 – change "lymphoma" to "leukemia"	Changed per suggestion
Questions 28-52 – confusion about whether these questions are tied together	Question 28 was changed to table format to include a list of tests and the frequency the test is performed
Question 54 – need more response options	Sustained – panel believes that the suggested responses already fit into the current response choices
Question 56 – clarify if "final" means before or after addendum	Changed to explicitly state "after addendum have been issued"
Question 58 – clarify definition of an ancillary test	Sustained

Q60 Overall Survey Review

Answered: 6 Skipped: 1

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neutral	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total
The survey questions are easy to understand.	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%	0.00%	
	0	0	0	6	0	6
The answer choices are clearly written.	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	100.00%	0.00%	
	0	0	0	6	0	6
I was always able to find an appropriate answer to choose.	0.00%	16.67%	16.67%	66.67%	0.00%	
	0	1	1	4	0	6
The survey format (font and spacing) was acceptable.	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	50.00%	50.00%	
	0	0	0	3	3	6
The order of questions was easy to follow.	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	50.00%	50.00%	
	0	0	0	3	3	6

Q61 Overall, the length of the survey was

Answered: 6 Skipped: 1

Answer Choices	Responses	
Too Short	0.00%	0
Appropriate	100.00%	6
Too long	0.00%	0
Total		6

Q62 What did you like best about the survey?

Answered: 3 Skipped: 4

#	Responses	Date
1	Easy to select answers, survey flow was logical.	12/8/2014 7:08 PM
2	The information/data is applicable to my daily practice.	12/2/2014 1:11 PM
3	Made me think more carefully about our process.	12/1/2014 5:16 PM

Q63 If given the option to change parts of the survey what changes would you make?

Answered: 4 Skipped: 3

#	Responses	Date
1	None, just clarifying questions with more specifics, also add the word 'typical' or 'most cases' to capture the normal practice, since a small percentage of cases will always be handled differently.	12/8/2014 7:08 PM
2	Please see my previous comments on individual questions.	12/6/2014 3:43 PM
3	Perhaps add a question about whether you make a definitive diagnosis of acute leukemia based only on peripheral blood morphologic and ancillary testing.	12/1/2014 5:16 PM
4	comments made along the way	12/1/2014 3:43 PM

Q64 What is your specialty?

Answered: 7 Skipped: 0

Answer Choices	Responses	
Pathology	14.29%	1
Hematopathology	85.71%	6
Hematology and/or oncology	0.00%	0
Total		7

Q65 Are you board-certified in hematopathology?

Answered: 6 Skipped: 1

Answer Choices	Responses
Yes	100.00% 6
No	0.00% 0
Total	6

Q66 Which of the following best describes your practice setting? (select one)

Answered: 7 Skipped: 0

Answer Choices	Response	:S
University hospital/academic medical center	71.43%	5
Voluntary, non-profit hospital	14.29%	1
For-profit hospital	0.00%	0
City/County/State hospital	0.00%	0
Veterans hospital	0.00%	0
Army/Air Force/Navy hospital	0.00%	0
National/corporate/reference laboratory	0.00%	0
Regional/local independent laboratory (except clinic or group practice and not owned by a national corporation(s))	0.00%	0
Public Health, non-hospital	0.00%	0
Office laboratory	0.00%	0
Not Applicable (N/A) – industry or vendor	0.00%	0
Other (please specify)	14.29%	1
Total		7