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Dear Dr. \_\_\_\_\_ ,

Last fall, the **National Cancer Institute** invited you to participate in a survey about genomic testing in cancer treatment. However, we did not receive a completed survey from you.

To help us understand why you did not complete this survey and how your experiences as an oncologist may compare to those who did, please take a few minutes to answer the 6 questions on the back of this letter. This information will help us put the study results in context and improve the future research that NCI conducts.

NCI is being assisted by RTI International in the fielding of this survey. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact [PrecisionMedicine@rti.org](mailto:PrecisionMedicine@rti.org) or (800) XXX-XXXX.

Thank you for participating in this important research.

Sincerely,

[Click here and type your name]

[Click here and type job title]

OMB No.: 0925-xxx  
Expiration Date: xx/xx/20xx

Collection of this information is authorized by The Public Health Service Act, Section 411 (42 USC 285a). Rights of study participants are protected by The Privacy Act of 1974. Participation is voluntary, and there are no penalties for not participating or withdrawing from the study at any time. Refusal to participate will not affect your benefits in any way. The information collected in this study will be kept private to the extent provided by law. Names and other identifiers will not appear in any report of the study. Information provided will be combined for all study participants and reported as summaries. You are being contacted by mail to complete this instrument so that we can understand how genomic testing results are used to inform cancer treatment.

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# National Survey of Precision Medicine in Cancer Treatment Follow-Up Survey

1. Please indicate whether you are filling out this form for yourself or on behalf of the oncologist selected to participate in this study
- Completing the form myself
  - Completing the survey on behalf of selected oncologist. My title is: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Which of the following factors were reasons why you did not complete the survey about genomic testing in cancer treatment?

(Please check one box in each row.)

|   | Yes<br><input type="checkbox"/> | No<br><input type="checkbox"/> |
|---|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| a. I DID complete the survey  | ●                               | ●                              |
| b. I did not know about the study/I never received an invitation to participate | ●                               | ●                              |
| c. I did not have the time or energy  | ●                               | ●                              |
| d. The survey was too long  | ●                               | ●                              |
| e. The survey questions were confusing or difficult to answer                   | ●                               | ●                              |
| f. The topic of the survey was not interesting to me                            | ●                               | ●                              |
| g. The survey did not apply to me   | ●                               | ●                              |
| h. I did not think the incentive amount was enough                              | ●                               | ●                              |
| i. I generally do not participate in these types of studies                     | ●                               | ●                              |
| j. Other reason #1 (please describe): _____                                     | ●                               | ●                              |
| k. Other reason #2 (please describe): _____                                     | ●                               | ●                              |

3. For how many years have you been practicing in your primary specialty, including fellowship? Please specify in whole years, rounding up to the nearest year.

\_\_\_\_\_ Years

4. How would you describe your primary practice setting? *Check all that apply.*
- Academic medical center or medical school
  - Medical center not affiliated with a medical school
  - Community hospital
  - Office-based
  - Integrated healthcare delivery system
  - Other (Please specify): \_\_\_\_\_

5. What is your primary specialty? Please think about the one specialty in which you spend most of your time.

- Medical oncology
- Hematology
- Hematology/oncology
- Pediatric hematology/oncology
- Other (Please specify): \_\_\_\_\_

6. On average, how many unique patients do you see for evaluation or treatment each month? Of those, how many are cancer patients? Your best estimate is fine.

\_\_\_\_\_ Total unique patients per month  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Unique cancer patients per month

**Thank you for taking the time to complete this questionnaire.**

**Please return the questionnaire in the postage-paid envelope provided to you. You may also fax it to (800) XXX-XXXX or scan and email a copy to PrecisionMedicine@rti.org.**

**If you have any questions about this study please contact us at (800) XXX-XXXX.**