

Novel CAR-T Therapy for Glioblastoma

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TECHNOLOGY DESCRIPTION

There are currently no effective therapies for glioblastoma (GBM). Median survival is < 18months. Previous studies targeting GBM with anti-EGFRviii CAR produced a consistent recurrence. EphA2 and IL13Ra2 are widely expressed in GBM but have imperfect specificity. Our inventors have thus developed a CAR-T cell therapy that recognizes EGFRviii+ cells and then kills in the presence of EPHA2 or IL13R α 2. This multi-antigen targeting strategy uses the synNotch "prime and kill" circuit.

STAGE OF DEVELOPMENT

EGFRviii is IND approved with recruitment for phase 1 dose escalation in GBM patients ongoing.

RELATED MATERIALS

- ▶ [SynNotch-CAR T cells overcome challenges of specificity, heterogeneity, and persistence in treating glioblastoma - 04/28/2021](#)

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OTHER INFORMATION

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