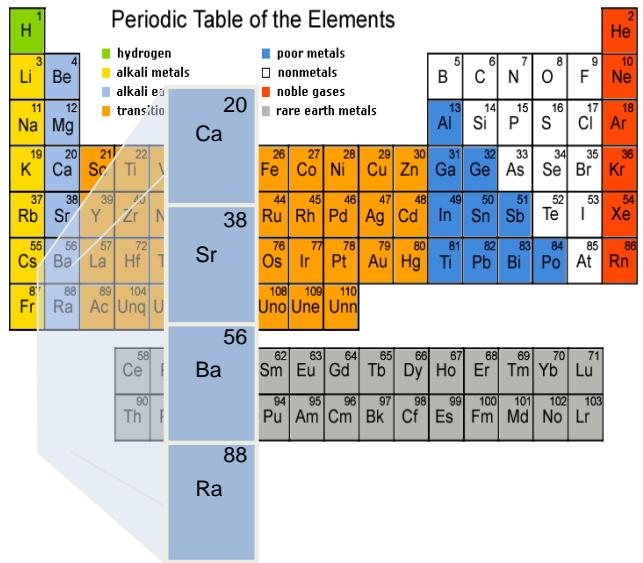


# Ra223: Meccanismo d'azione e efficacia



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# **MECCANISMO D'AZIONE**

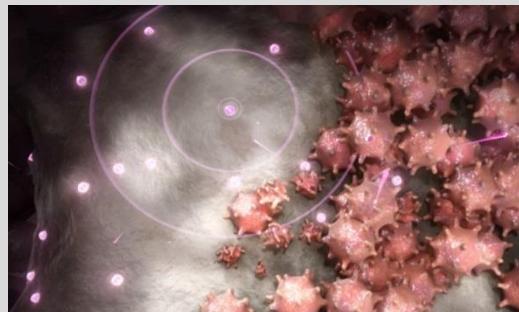
# Meccanismo d'azione

Mimics Calcium



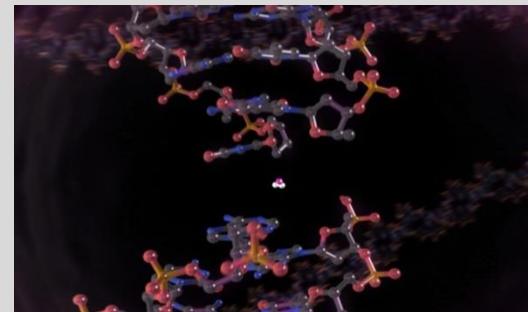
Xofigo **mimics calcium**, forming complexes with the bone mineral hydroxyapatite at areas of increased bone turnover such as bone metastases<sup>1</sup>

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Henriksen, et al. *Journal of Nuclear Medicine* 44.2 (2003): 252-259  
Xofigo®. Riassunto delle Caratteristiche del Prodotto.

# Esposizione di terzi

Radio-223 raggiunge immediatamente il bersaglio dopo la somministrazione endovenosa

Circa il 60% dell'attività iniettata viene captata dall'osso entro 4 ore

L'escrezione avviene per lo più attraverso le feci

Circa il 75% viene escreto entro 1 settimana

L'escrezione urinaria è < 5%

La contaminazione e l'assorbimento dell'attività sono molto improbabili

Familiari e caregiver: si ritiene che l'esposizione alle radiazioni sia trascurabile

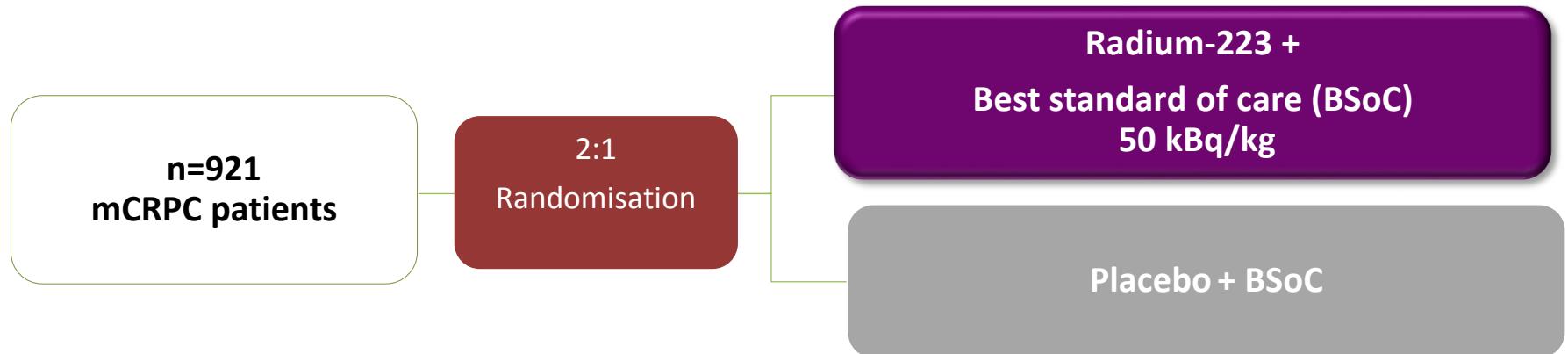
Pazienti: limitazioni minime, misure di igiene standard

# **EFFICACIA CLINICA**

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# Studio registrativo Alsyn



**6 injections at 4 week intervals**

### Key inclusion criteria

- Confirmed symptomatic CRPC
- $\geq 2$  bone metastases
- No known visceral metastases
- Post docetaxel or unfit/unwilling for docetaxel

### Stratification factors

- Total ALP: <220 U/L vs  $\geq 220$  U/L
- Bisphosphonate use: Yes vs no
- Prior docetaxel: Yes vs no

# ALSYMPCA: Study Endpoints

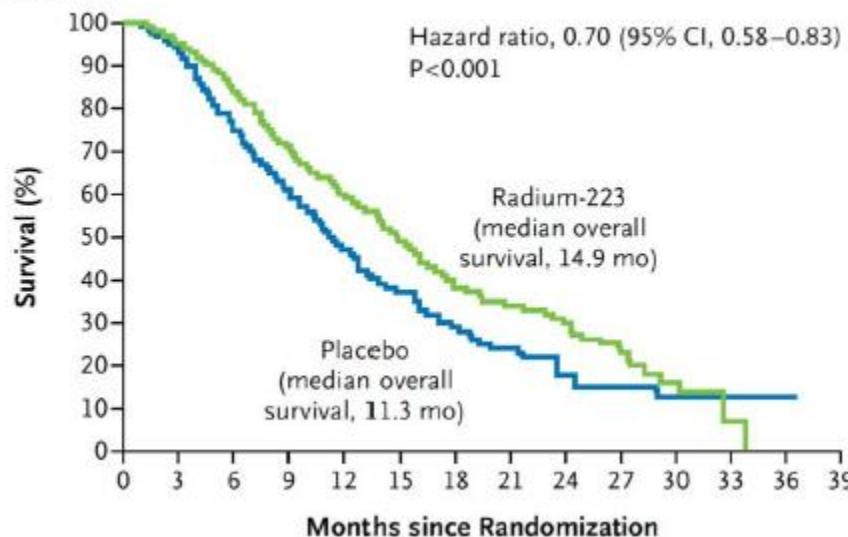
**Primary endpoint : OS**  
– Overall survival

- **Main secondary endpoints**
  - Time to first SSE
  - Time to total ALP increase
  - Time to PSA rise
  - Total ALP response
  - ALP normalisation

: ALP, alkaline phosphatase; PSA, prostate-specific antigen; SSE, symptomatic skeletal event  
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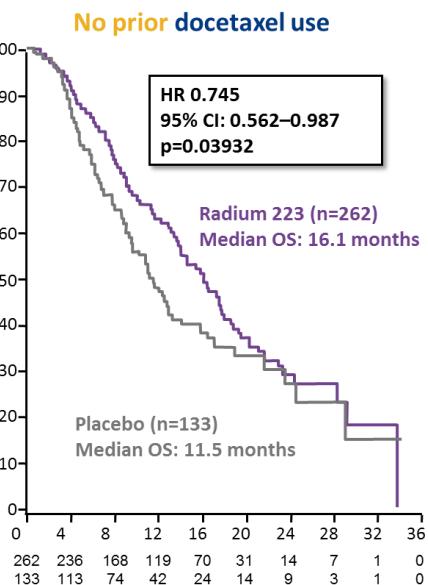
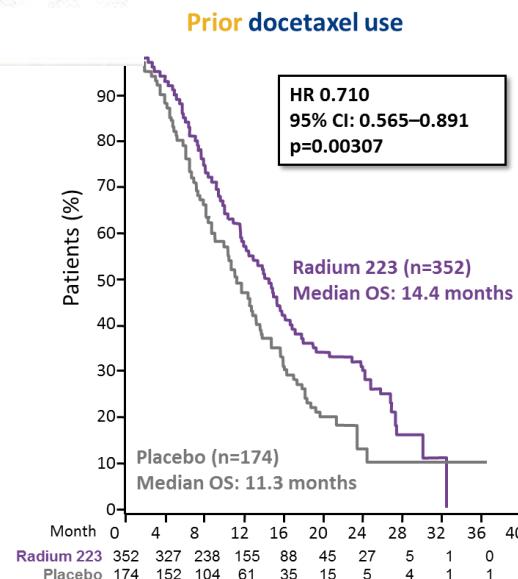
# Radio223 aumenta la sopravvivenza dei pazienti con mCRPC

A Overall Survival



Riduzione del 30% del rischio di morte

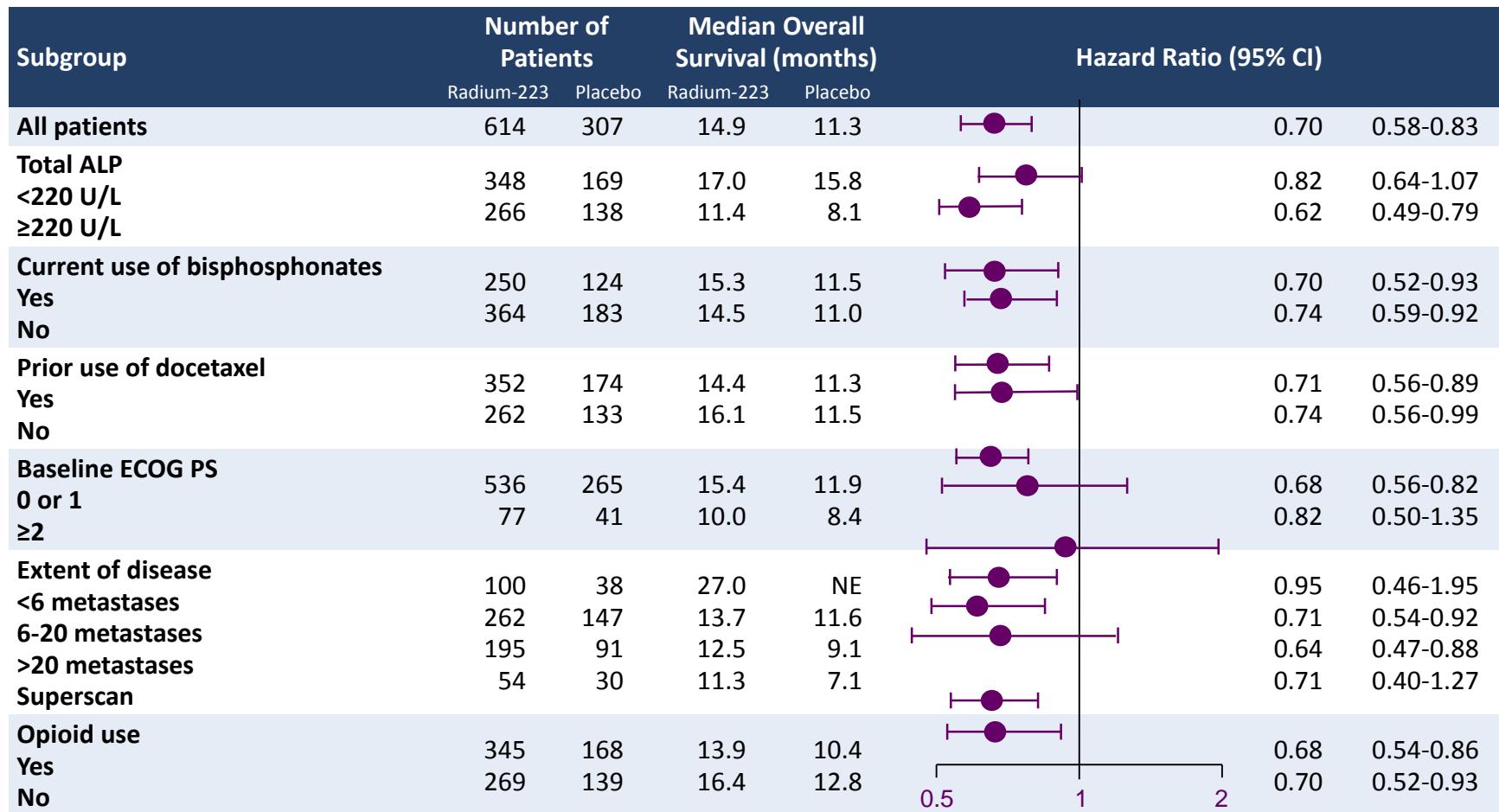
Efficacia sia in pre- che post-docetaxel



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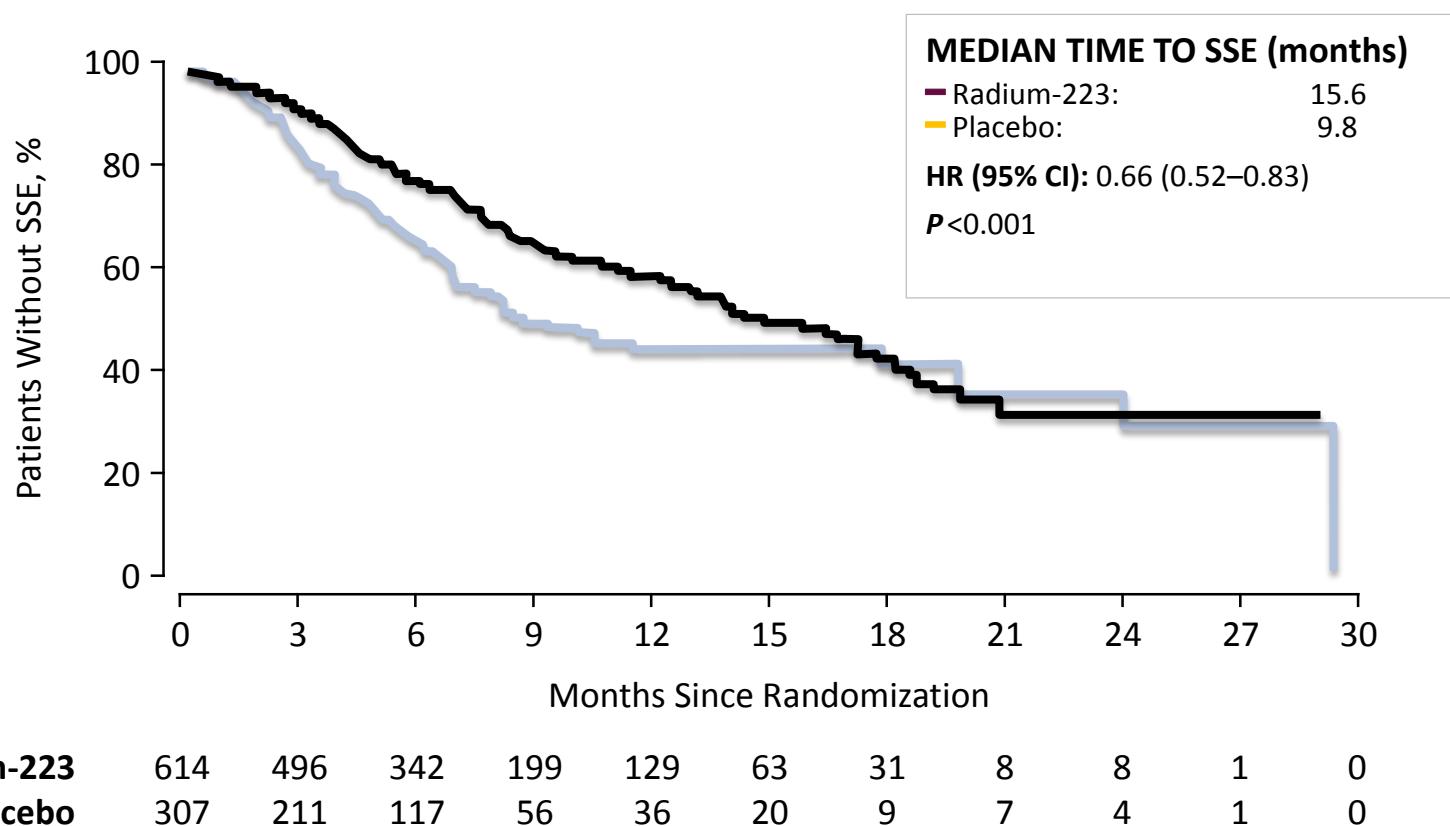
# Efficacia in tutti i sottogruppi



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# Tempo al primo SSE



BSoC, Best standard of care; CI, confidence interval; HR, hazard ratio; SSE, symptomatic skeletal event.

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# Safety

	All Grades		Grades 3 or 4	
	Radium 223 (n=600)	Placebo (n=301)	Radium 223 (n=600)	Placebo (n=301)
<b>Hematological</b>				
Anaemia	187 (31)	92 (31)	77 (13)	40 (13)
<b>Neutropenia</b>	<b>30 (5)</b>	<b>3 (1)</b>	<b>13 (2)</b>	<b>2 (1)</b>
<b>Thrombocytopenia</b>	<b>69 (12)</b>	<b>17 (6)</b>	<b>38 (6)</b>	<b>6 (2)</b>
<b>Non-haematological</b>				
Bone pain	300 (50)	187 (62)	125 (21)	77 (26)
<b>Diarrhoea</b>	<b>151 (25)</b>	<b>45 (15)</b>	<b>9 (2)</b>	<b>5 (2)</b>
Nausea	213 (36)	104 (35)	10 (2)	5 (2)
Vomiting	111 (18)	41 (14)	10 (2)	7 (2)
Constipation	108 (18)	64 (21)	6 (1)	4 (1)

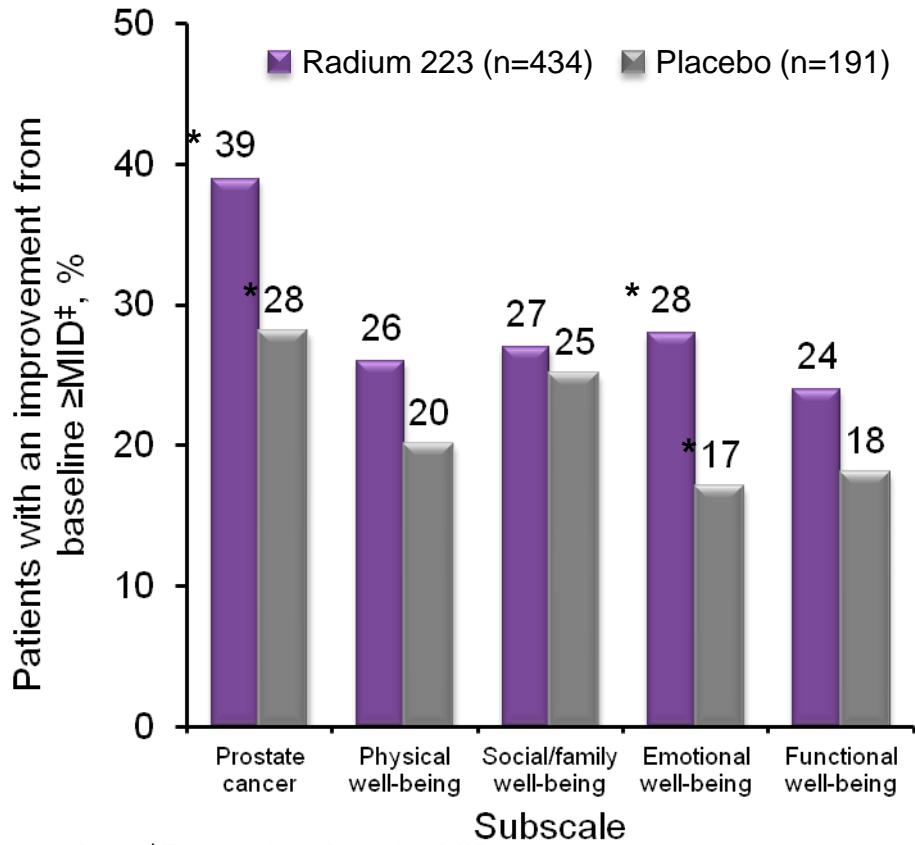
Data are n (%)

**65% Ra223 versus 48% placebo received all 6 cycles**

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# Quality of Life

- Radium 223 significantly improved the QoL response rate versus placebo (27% vs 18%, respectively;  $P<0.05$ )
- Radium 223 preserved QoL significantly better than placebo, based on FACT-P total score ( $P=0.006$ )
- Radium 223 improved pain-related quality of life, and reduced the incidence of bone pain as an adverse event



\* $p<0.05$ ; ‡FACT-P MID =10 points, Trial Outcome Index MID=9 points; #For each subscale, MID =3.

FACT-P, Functional Assessment of Cancer Therapy-Prostate; MID, minimally important difference.

Parker C et al. ESMO 2012 Poster presentation 898PD.

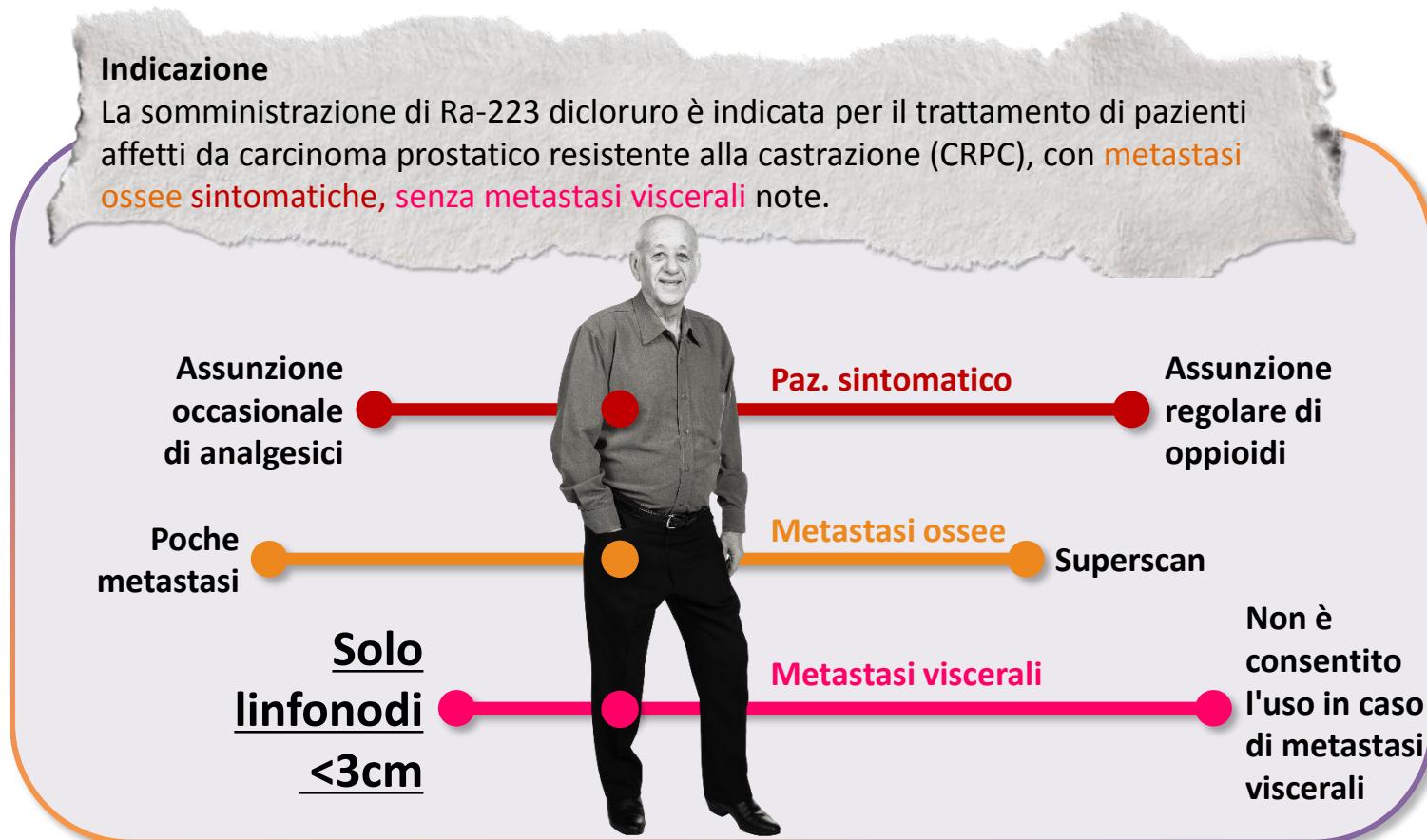
**FACT-P subscale scores**

# **PAZIENTE CANDIDABILE**

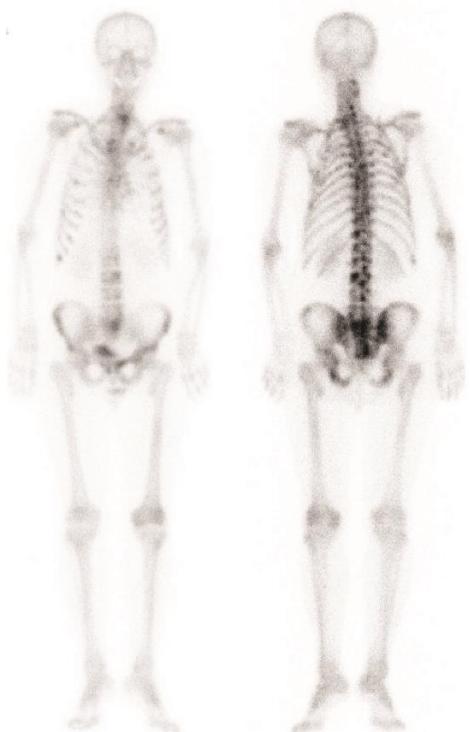
# Ra-223: indicazione approvata

## Posologia

*Il regime posologico di Ra-223 dcloruro consiste in un'attività di 55 kBq per kg di peso corporeo, somministrata ad intervalli di 4 settimane per 6 iniezioni*



# Key clinical characteristics: bone metastases



Radium-223 is indicated for patients with mCRPC and symptomatic bone metastases without visceral metastases

Suitable patients have  $\geq 2$  bone metastases detectable by 99mTc-phosphonate bone scan or 18F-NaF PET/CT scan

- Images provided by B Tombal and F Lecouvet, Cliniques universitaires Saint-Luc, Belgium

# Key clinical characteristics: symptoms

Radium-223 is not indicated for asymptomatic patients – other treatment options should be considered

Patients can be considered for Radium-223 as soon as the symptoms of bone metastases appear

43% of patients had mild pain and no opioid use in ALSYMPCA

**No pain**

No analgesic use

**Mild pain**

Non-opioid analgesics

EBRT

**Moderate pain**

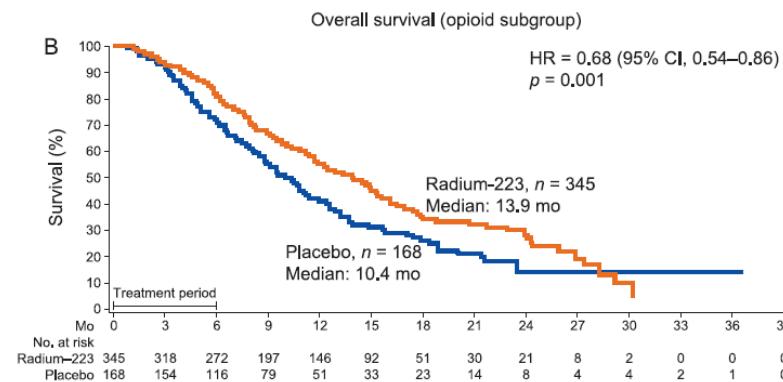
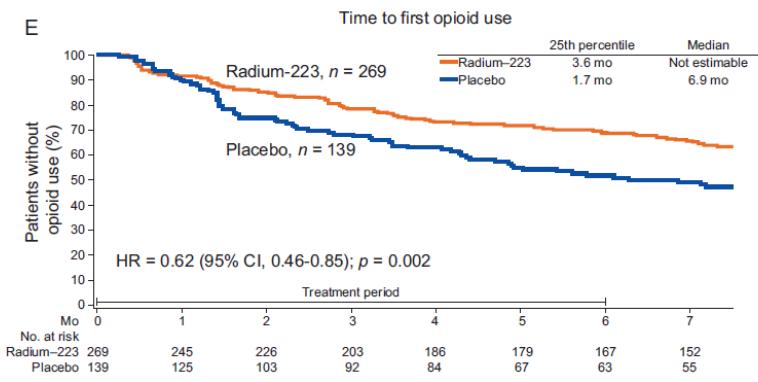
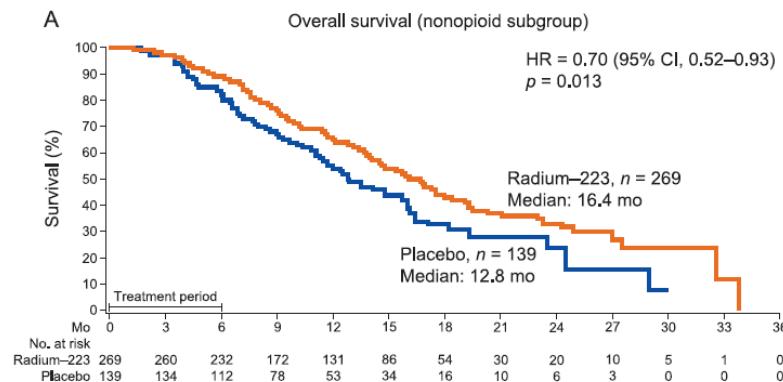
Occasional opioid use

**Severe pain**

Daily opioid use

# Efficacy and Safety of Radium-223 Dichloride in Symptomatic Castration-resistant Prostate Cancer Patients With or Without Baseline Opioid Use From the Phase 3 ALSYMPCA Trial

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- 44% al basale non assumeva oppioidi (Dolore Who=0-1) e presentava malattia meno avanzata (ALP e LHD inferiori, PS migliore, minor estensione malattia ossea e meno terapie precedenti)
- Vantaggio in OS e SSE da terapia con Ra223 in oppioidi si/no
- Ra223 ritarda in maniera significativa il tempo all'uso di oppioidi (HR= 0,62)
- Efficacia indipendente dal dolore → la scelta del timing terapeutico non si deve basare su severità del dolore
- La mancata risposta del dolore non deve costituire un criterio per interrompere la terapia

# EMOCROMO AL BASALE

- Prima della prima somministrazione, la conta assoluta dei neutrofili (*absolute neutrophil count, ANC*) deve essere  $\geq 1,5 \times 10^9/L$ , la conta piastrinica  $\geq 100 \times 10^9/L$  e l'emoglobina  $\geq 10,0 \text{ g/dL}$ . Prima delle somministrazioni successive, l'ANC deve essere  $\geq 1,0 \times 10^9/L$  e la conta piastrinica  $\geq 50 \times 10^9/L$ . Se questi valori non si normalizzano entro 6 settimane dall'ultima somministrazione di Xofigo<sup>TM</sup>, nonostante nonostante ricevano la terapia standard, il trattamento con Xofigo<sup>TM</sup> deve continuare solo dopo un'attenta valutazione del rapporto beneficio/rischio.
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- I pazienti con evidenza di riserve midollari ridotte, ad esempio dopo una precedente chemioterapia citotossica e/o radioterapia (*External Beam Radiation Therapy - EBRT*), o pazienti con carcinoma prostatico con avanzate e diffuse infiltrazioni ossee (EOD4; “superscan”) devono essere trattati con cautela. Un'aumentata incidenza di reazioni avverse

Non si evidenziano rischi cardiocircolatori né complicanze cerebrali nei pazienti anziani trattati con Ra223; bisogna prestare attenzione ai valori emocromocitometrici basali

le trombocitopenia, è stata osservata in classe III

## Chemotherapy Following Radium-223 Dichloride Treatment in ALSYMPCA

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- 142 pz Ra223 and 64 pz placebo dopo Alsympca hanno ricevuto chemioterapia
- 87 pts Ra223 e 37 pts placebo già pretrattati con docetaxel
- Tempo mediano tra la randomizzazione e la chemioterapia successiva 9.1 mesi nel braccio Ra223 e 7.5 nel braccio placebo
- Il pregresso trattamento con Ra223 non sembra compromettere l'uso successivo di chemioterapia, indipendentemente dal pregresso utilizzo di docetaxel

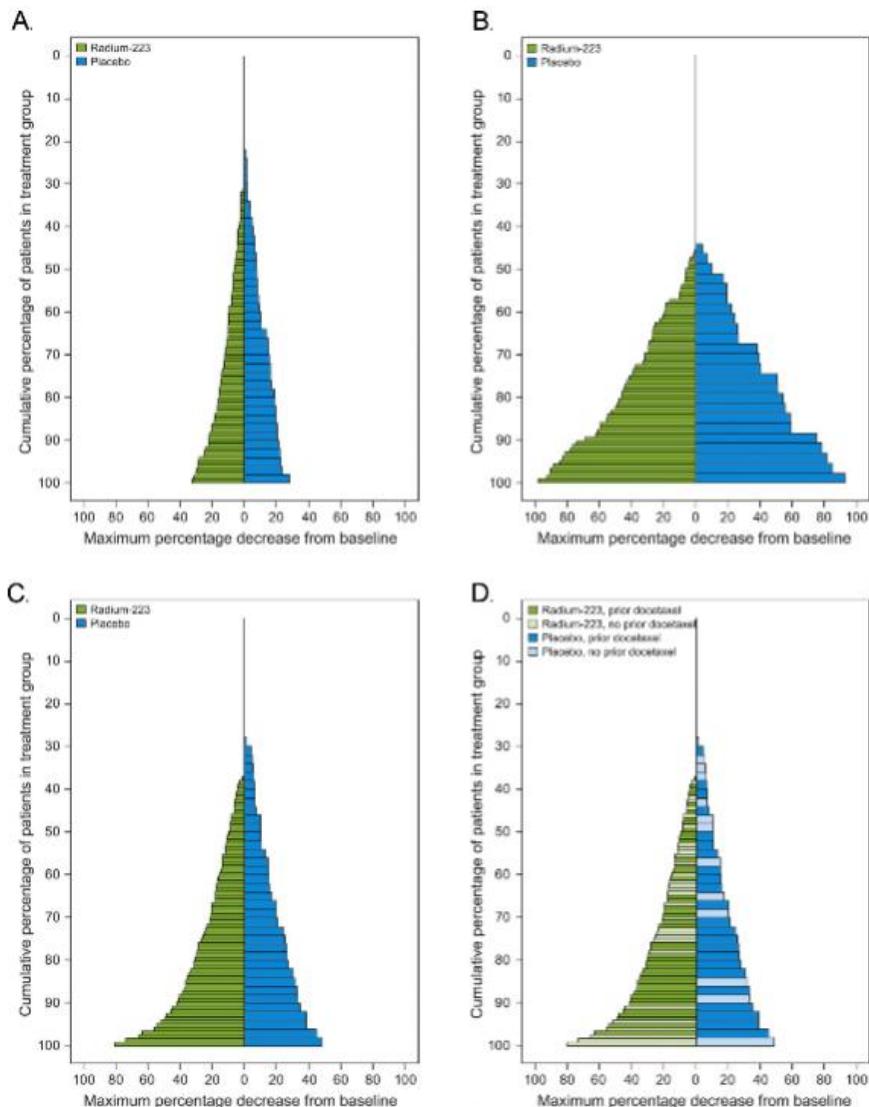


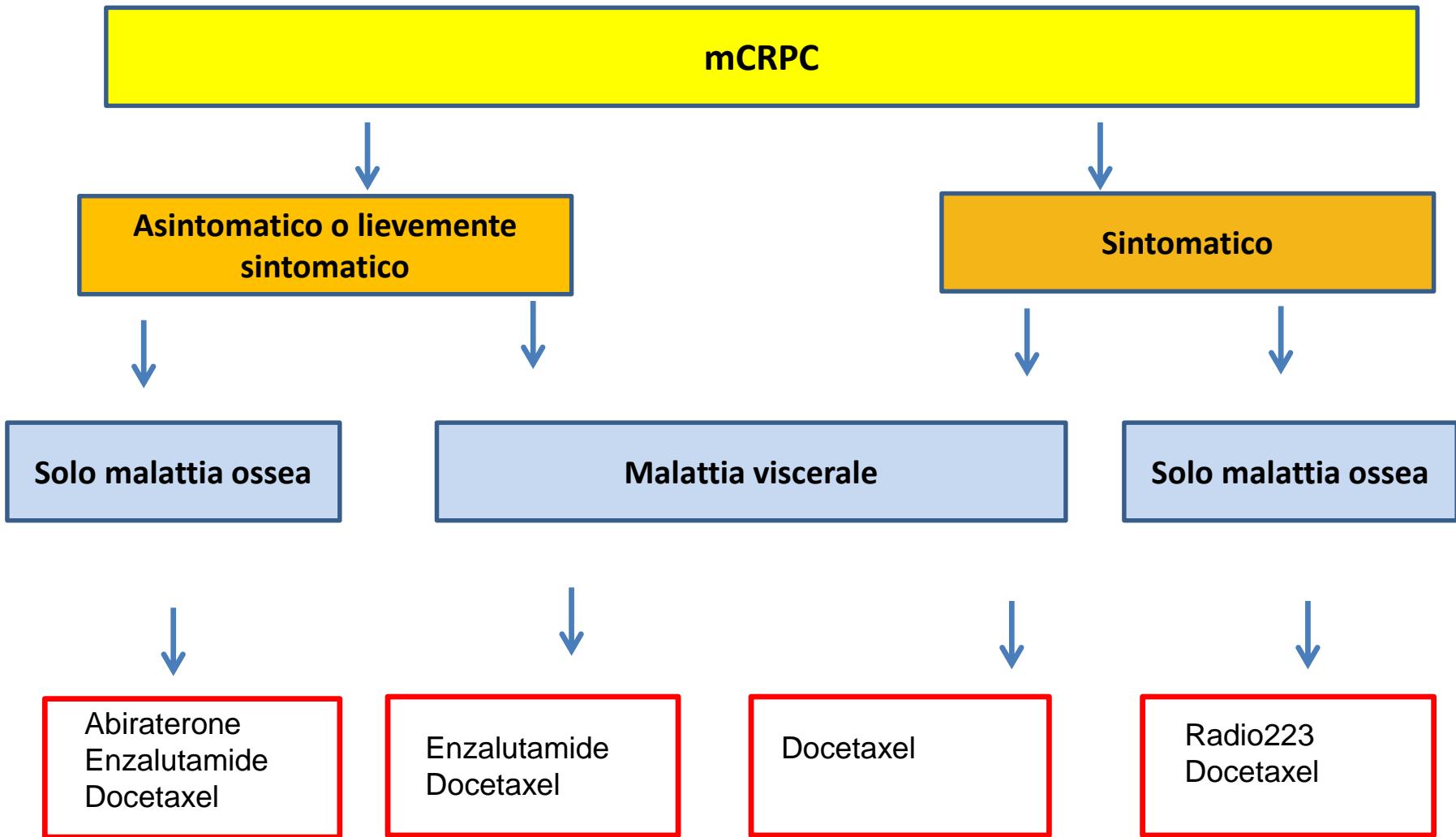
Fig. 2. Maximum percentage decrease from baseline values for hemoglobin (A), neutrophils (B), platelets (C), and platelets by prior docetaxel treatment (D).

Current prescribing information recommends that hemoglobin be  $\geq$  10 g/dL prior to first radium-223 administration. Ongoing protocols allow hemoglobin  $\geq$  8 g/dL (with transfusions).

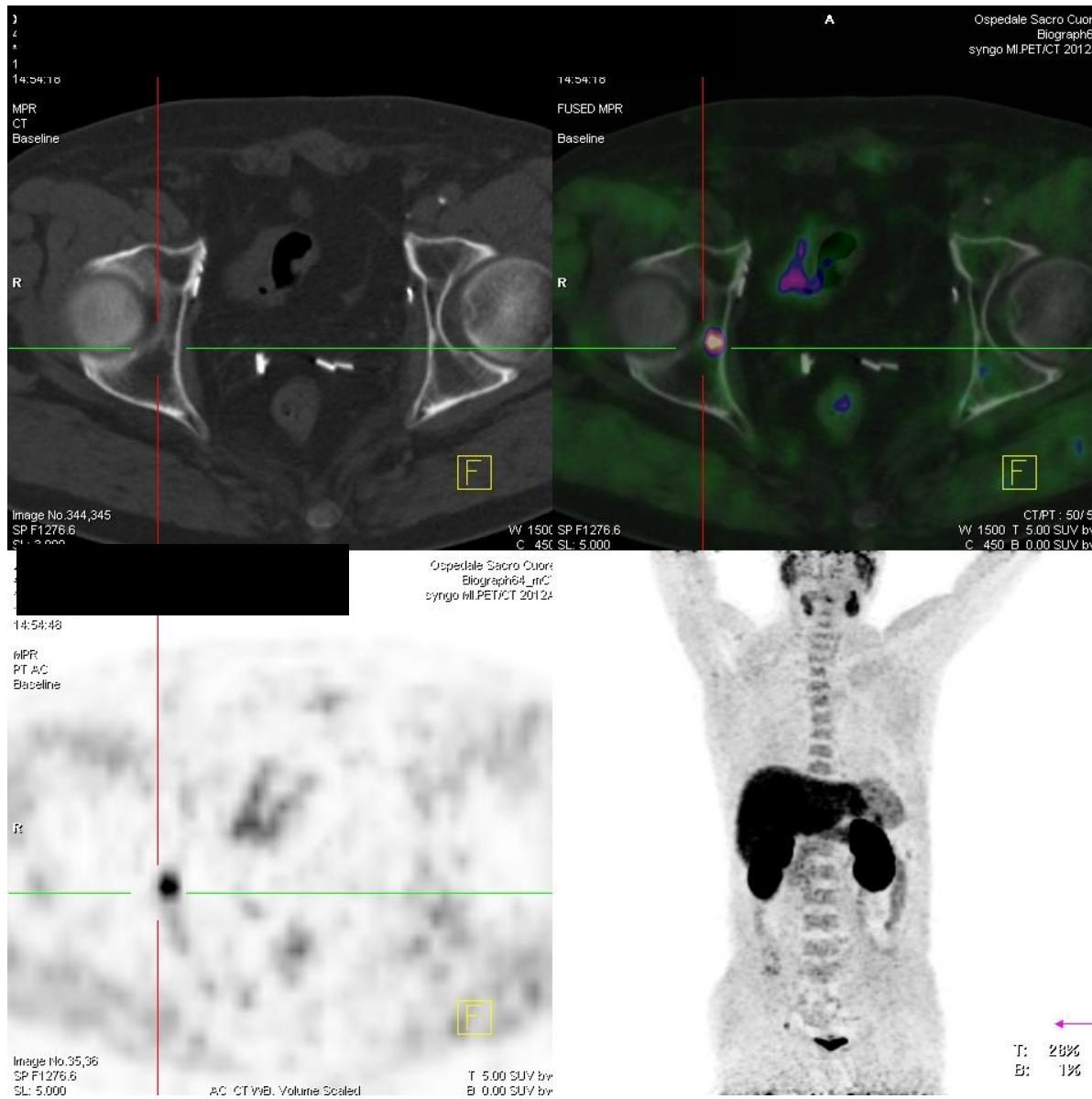
No differences between radium-223 and placebo groups exists in frequency of blood transfusions or time to first blood transfusion, a finding that is noteworthy in this mCRPC population.

- Correlazione anemia con carico di malattia, ALPe PSA
- Correlazione piastrinopenia con livelli basali inferiori di HB e PLT e pregresso docetaxel

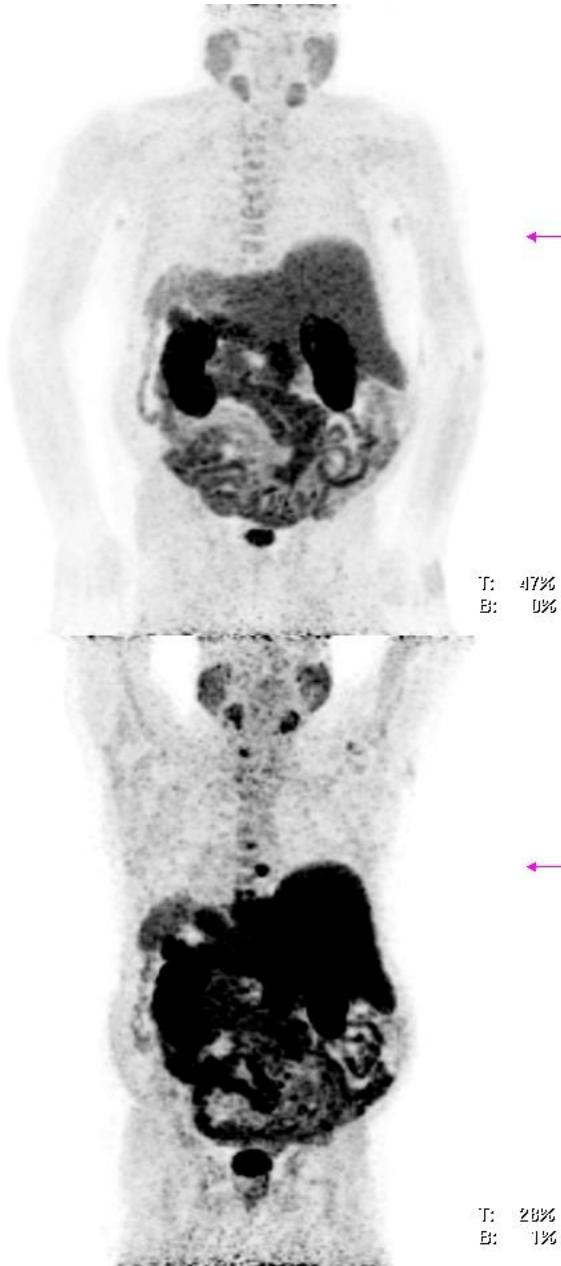
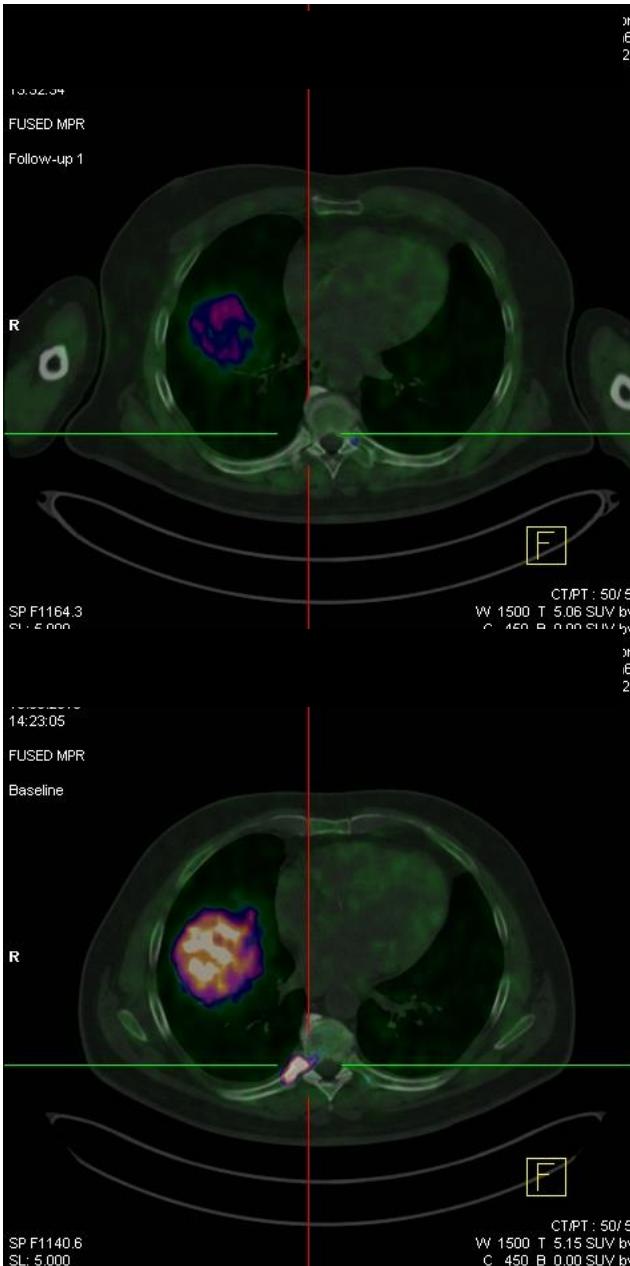
# Scenario Terapeutico 2015 - mCRPC



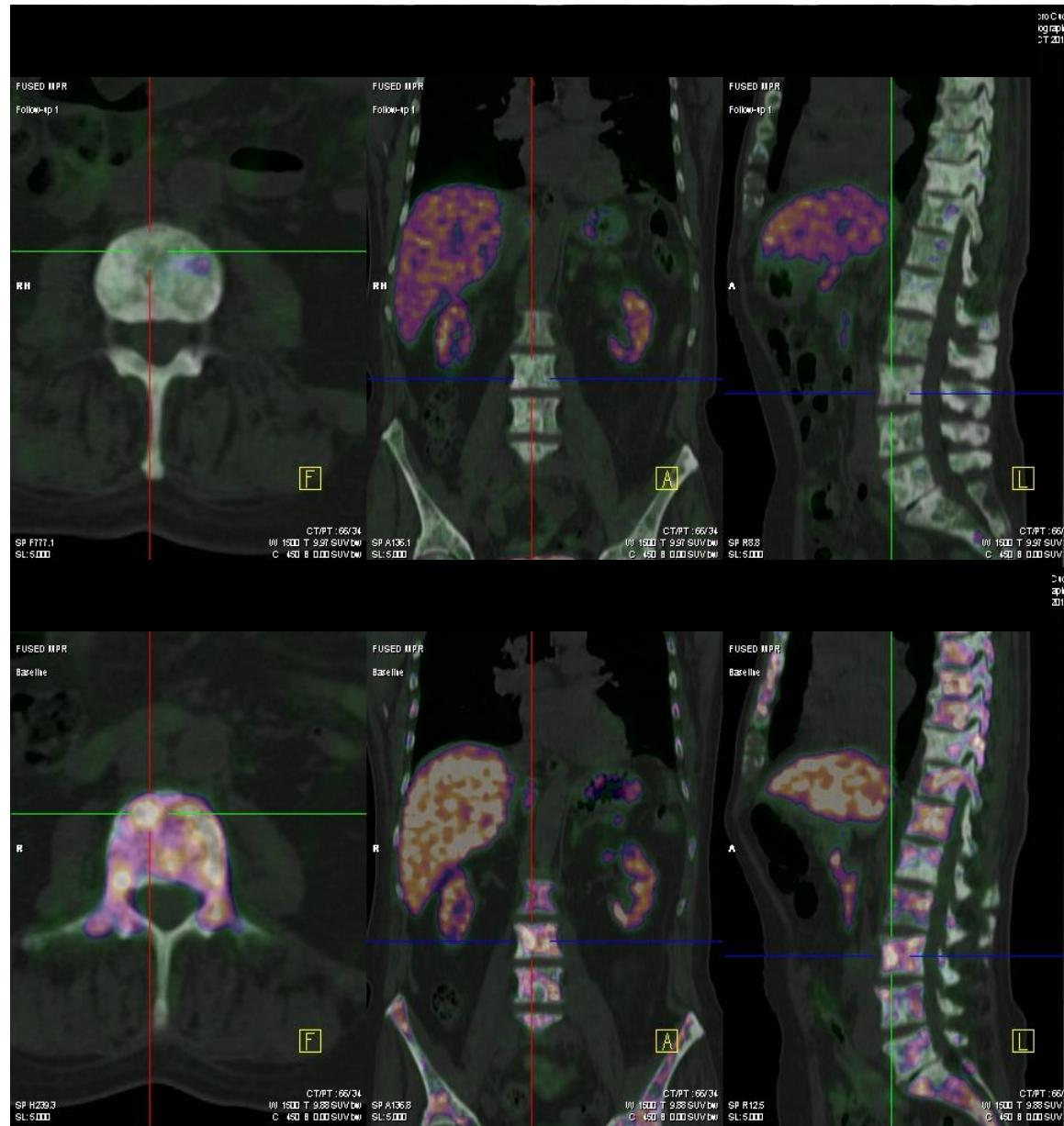
# Valutazione della malattia ossea (invisibile)



# Valutazione della malattia ossea (risposta)



# Valutazione della malattia ossea (risposta?)



# Valutazione della malattia ossea (superscan)

