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NED = no evidence of disease

¹ Patients with suspected or confirmed high-risk genetic syndromes with

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predisposition to kidney cancer are excluded

² Low Risk (LR): pT1 and Grade 1 or 2

³ Intermediate Risk (IR): pT1 and Grade 3 or 4; pT2 and any Grade

⁴ Primary team may initiate referral for the survivorship clinic when patient meets criteria to transfer after the 24 months visit for LR, after the 36 months visit for IR, and after the 60 months visit for High Risk (HR) and Very High Risk (VHR)

⁵ HR: pT3 and any Grade

⁶VHR: pT4 or pN1, or sarcomatoid/rhabdoid dedifferentiation or macroscopic positive margin

⁷ GCC should be initiated by the **Primary Oncologist**. If Primary Oncologist is unavailable, Primary Team/Attending Physician to initiate GCC discussion and notify Primary Oncologist. Patients, or if clinically indicated, the Patient Representative should be informed of therapeutic and/or palliative options. GCC discussion should be consistent, timely, and re-evaluated as clinically indicated. The Advance Care Planning (ACP) note should be used to document GCC discussion. Refer to GCC home page (for internal use only).

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- ² Consider Nephrology referral or consult for patients with eGFR < 45 mL/minute/1.73 m²
- ³ See Physical Activity, Nutrition, and Tobacco Cessation Treatment algorithms; ongoing reassessment of lifestyle risks should be a part of routine clinical practice
- ⁴ Includes breast, cervical (if appropriate), colorectal, liver, lung, pancreatic, prostate (if appropriate), and skin cancer screening
- ⁵ Consider use of Vanderbilt's ABCDE's approach to cardiovascular health
- ⁶ Based on Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) guidelines

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