



 Abramson Cancer Center of the University of Pennsylvania

Chemotherapy History

During some part of their treatment course, many cancer patients receive chemotherapy. Chemotherapy is normally given in “cycles.” Each cycle on average lasts three to four weeks. Patients may receive a number of different chemotherapy agents in combination or at different times during their treatment. It is important that all physicians involved in the patients care are aware of the various drugs being used. There can be important side effects, interactions with medications, and interactions with other therapies. The following chart will help sort out this important information:

Names of Chemotherapy	Date cycle started	Cycle Number	Medical Oncologist	Notes Side Effects