

# Genomic Assays Offered through the NCI National Clinical Laboratory Network

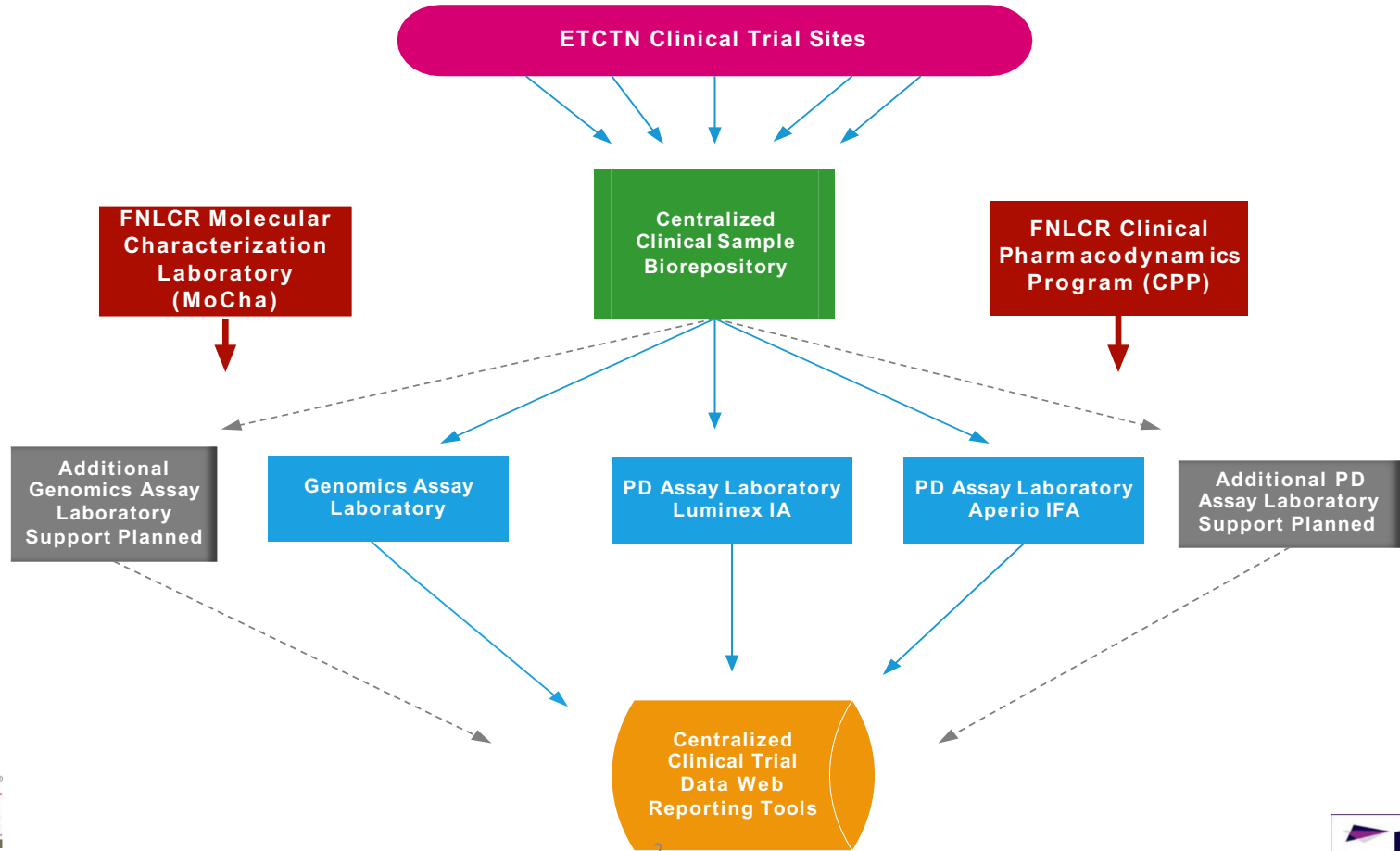
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# The NCLN is implementing validated assays that follow harmonized SOPs

- Uniform assay workflow, instrumentation & data analysis pipeline is being used for all assays across network labs
- NCI-MATCH central lab network achieved high inter-lab concordance (>96%) with this approach
- Pre-analytics for specimen collection and processing also follows strict SOPs

# Core genomic technologies supported by the NCLN

- Oncomine pan-cancer targeted gene panel (OCAv3)
  - screened first 6000 pts for NCI-MATCH
- Whole Exome Sequencing (WES)
  - Somatic and germline variant-calling using matched germline WES
- RNA Sequencing (RNA-Seq)
  - Gene expression signatures; fusion-calling will be implemented in the coming weeks
- TSO500 targeted gene panel for ctDNA
  - 523-gene targeted panel

# The OncoPrint Comprehensive Assay (OCAv3)

Hotspot Genes (87)				Full-Length Genes (48)		Copy Number Genes (43)		Gene Fusions (Inter- and Intra-genic)	
AKT1	FGFR4	MED12	SRC	ARID1A	PALB2	AKT1	MDM2	AKT2	NF1
AKT2	FLT3	MET	STAT3	ATM	PIK3R1	AKT2	MDM4	ALK	NOTCH1
AKT3	FOXL2	MTOR	TERT	ATR	PMS2	AKT3	MET	AR	NOTCH4
ALK	GATA2	MYC	TOP1	ATRAX	POLE	ALK	MYC	AXL	NRG1
AR	GNA11	MYCN	U2AF1	BAP1	PTCH1	AR	MYCL	BRAF	NTRK1
ARAF	GNAQ	MYD88	XPO1	BRCA1	PTEN	AXL	MYCN	BRCA1	NTRK2
AXL	GNAS	NFE2L2		BRCA2	RAD50	BRAF	NTRK1	BRCA2	NTRK3
BRAF	H3F3A	NRAS		CDK12	RAD51	CCND1	NTRK2	CDKN2A	NUTM1
BTK	HIST1H3B	NTRK1		CDKN1B	RAD51B	CCND2	NTRK3	EGFR	PDGFRA
CBL	HNF1A	NTRK2		CDKN2A	RAD51C	CCND3	PDGFRA	ERBB2	PDGFRB
CCND1	HRAS	NTRK3		CDKN2B	RAD51D	CCNE1	PDGFRB	ERBB4	PIK3CA
CDK4	IDH1	PDGFRA		CHEK1	RB1	CDK2	PIK3CA	ERG	PPARG
CDK6	IDH2	PDGFRB		CREBBP	RNF43	CDK4	PIK3CB	ESR1	PRKACA
CHEK2	JAK1	PIK3CA		FANCA	SETD2	CDK6	PPARG	ETV1	PRKACB
CSF1R	JAK2	PIK3CB		FANCD2	SLX4	EGFR	RICTOR	ETV4	PTEN
CTNNB1	JAK3	PPP2R1A		FANCI	SMARCA4	ERBB2	TERT	ETV5	RAD51B
DDR2	KDR	PTPN11		FBXW7	SMARCB1	ESR1		FGFR1	RAF1
EGFR	KIT	RAC1		MLH1	STK11	FGF19		FGFR2	RB1
ERBB2	KNSTRN	RAF1		MRE11A	TP53	FGF3		FGFR3	RELA
ERBB3	KRAS	RET		MSH2	TSC1	FGFR1		FGR	RET
ERBB4	MAGOH	RHEB		MSH6	TSC2	FGFR2		FLT3	ROS1
ERCC2	MAP2K1	RHOA		NB		FGFR3		FGFR4	JAK2
ESR1	MAP2K2	ROS1		NF1		FGFR4		FGFR4	KRAS
EZH2	MAP2K4	SF3B1		NF2		FLT3		MDM4	MDM4
FGFR1	MAPK1	SMAD4		NOTCH1		IGF1R		MET	TERT
FGFR2	MAX	SMO		NOTCH2		KIT		MYB	
FGFR3	MDM4	SPOP		NOTCH3		KRAS		MYBL1	

- OCAv3 is a harmonized, highly reproducible CLIA assay used by the central NCI-MATCH lab network
  - Used for screening in NCI-MATCH and Pediatric MATCH Trials
- detects over 8000 variants in 161 cancer-related genes, relevant across all major cancer types
- SNV, Indels, CNV and RNA fusions
- Sample Input: 10ng per pool (20ng DNA, 20ng RNA)

Assay	Total Gene #	DNA	RNA
OCAv3	161	146	51

# Whole Exome Sequencing (WES)

WES has been developed as a research assay for exploratory, retrospective testing and comprehensive genomic analysis

- **Low DNA input** requirement (100 ng) conserves nucleic acid
  - DNA and RNA are extracted from the same specimen at NCH biorepository
- Hybridization capture-based target enrichment (Agilent SureSelect V6+COSMIC)
- Sequencing on Illumina NovaSeq 6000 with dual indexed libraries
- Somatic and germline variant-calling using matched germline WES
- Currently **400x median target coverage** (MTC)
- Data analysis pipeline calls TMB, MSI, mutational signatures & %LOH
- Performance characteristics:
  - **Sensitivity at 400x MTC is >93% for SNVs at 10% allele fraction**
  - **Specificity is >99.999%**

# RNA Sequencing (RNA-Seq)

RNA-Seq has been developed as a research assay for exploratory, retrospective testing and transcriptomic analysis

- **40-100 ng** total RNA from good-quality FFPE (250 ng preferred)
- Illumina TruSeq RNA Exome (transcript-based probe capture)
- Sequencing on Illumina NovaSeq 6000 with dual index libraries
- ~50 million reads; sufficient for broad dynamic range of expression profiling
- Can identify **gene fusions**, but use of a targeted gene fusion panel at MoCha is preferred if fusions are important for your study

# ctDNA Assay

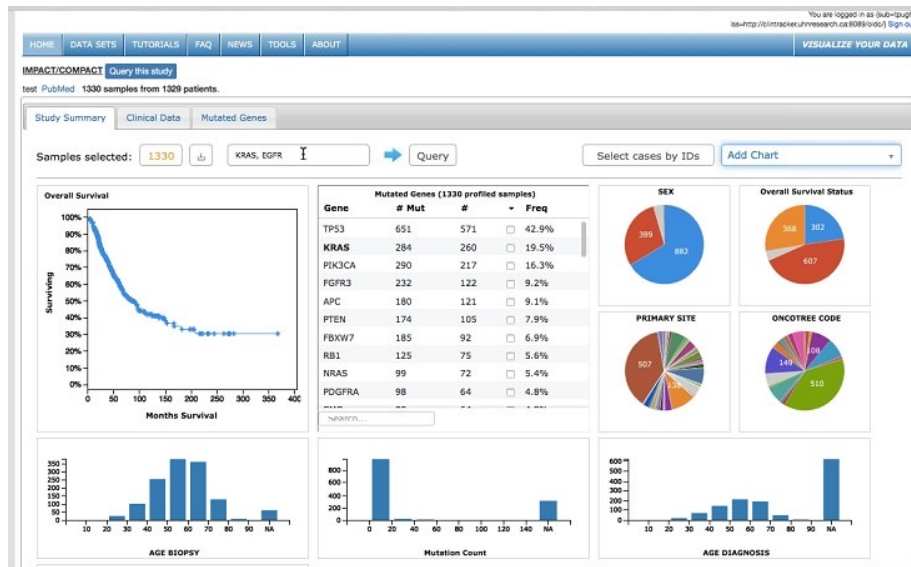
## ctDNA assay: 523-gene targeted panel (TSO500 ctDNA)

- Reports SNVs, Indels, clinically relevant fusions, CNVs and TMB
  - Upcoming version will include MSI status
  - **Technology:** Hybrid capture; incorporates unique molecular indices (UMIs) and error correction algorithms
  - **Status:**
    - Comprehensive validation complete
    - 350 libraries tested to establish performance characteristics
    - LOD80 is 0.25% for SNVs and Indels
  - **Blood collection requirements:** 2 Streck tubes (preferred)
- TSO500 ctDNA will be a CLIA laboratory test at MoCha and could potentially be used as an integral or integrated assay in ETCTN trials



# ETCTN investigators will visualize NCLN genomics data through cBioPortal

- NCLN labs will upload raw genomics data through a common data analysis pipeline
- Investigators can visualize their processed genomics data in cBioPortal
  - It will be possible to integrate clinical & genomics
  - Investigators will have restricted access to view only their study data
- Final data sets will ultimately be uploaded to the Genomic Data Commons



# Access to the NCLN

- The first step will be for the investigator to request collaboration with the NCLN in their LOI. As part of the review of an LOI, CTEP might also recommend use of the NCLN
- Use of the NCLN is voluntary. The alternative option of an entirely investigator-driven biomarker plan, through BRC review if necessary, is still completely open
- The specific NCLN assays to be performed for a trial will be agreed upon by a consensus process between the trial investigators, the NCLN laboratory(ies) and CTEP. This process will take place in parallel with drug commitment

# Advantages of using the NCLN

- World-class laboratory collaborators with state-of-the-art platforms
- Assays performed at NCI's expense—no need for identified source of funding
- Validated SOPs and workflows, including biorepository support, already in place
- Standardized assays will yield data that is comparable across supported studies
- No BRC review