



A GUIDE TO **SUPPORTING YOUR PATIENT** THROUGH **THEIR TREATMENT JOURNEY**

This document is designed for you to learn more about ZEJULA, and to assist you in providing support for ZEJULA patients.



Important Reminder:

Advise patients and care partners to review the Patient Information section in the Prescribing Information before starting ZEJULA.

For healthcare professional (HCP) use only. Do not share this guide with patients.

INDICATION

ZEJULA is indicated for first-line maintenance treatment of adult patients with advanced epithelial ovarian, fallopian tube, or primary peritoneal cancer who are in a complete or partial response to platinum-based chemotherapy and whose cancer is associated with homologous recombination deficiency (HRD) – positive status defined by either a deleterious or suspected deleterious *BRCA* mutation, and/or genomic instability.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

Myelodysplastic syndrome/acute myeloid leukemia (MDS/AML), including cases with a fatal outcome, have been reported in patients who received ZEJULA. In PRIMA, of patients within the HRD-positive population, MDS/AML occurred in 8 out of 245 (3.3%) patients treated with ZEJULA, and in 3 out of 125 (2.4%) patients treated with placebo with a follow-up of 6.1 years. The duration of therapy with ZEJULA in patients who developed secondary MDS/cancer therapy-related AML varied from 5.5 months to 5 years. All patients who developed secondary MDS/cancer therapy-related AML had received previous chemotherapy with platinum agents and/or other DNA-damaging agents, including radiotherapy. For suspected MDS/AML or prolonged hematological toxicities, refer the patient to a hematologist for further evaluation. Discontinue ZEJULA if MDS/AML is confirmed.

Please see additional Important Safety Information throughout, as well as the accompanying full Prescribing Information for ZEJULA.


BRCA, breast cancer susceptibility gene.

GSK


What is ZEJULA?

- ✓ ZEJULA is an infusion-free maintenance treatment, not a chemotherapy^{1,2}
- ✓ ZEJULA is a type of targeted therapy that **inhibits poly (ADP-ribose) polymerase (PARP) enzymes**¹


ZEJULA inhibits PARP1 and PARP2, leading to cancer cell death in preclinical studies.¹
Because all cells use PARP, PARP inhibitors may also affect healthy cells and tissues.³



Single-Strand Break
PARP inhibition interferes with DNA repair, leading to accumulation of single-strand breaks (SSBs).^{1,3}



Double-Strand Break
SSBs become double-strand breaks (DSBs), which are not repaired due to deficient DNA repair pathways present in many ovarian tumors.⁴



Cell Death
Persistent DSBs that cannot be repaired lead to programmed cell death.⁴

In vitro studies suggest that ZEJULA's cytotoxic effects may involve inhibition of PARP enzymatic activity and increased formation of PARP-DNA complexes resulting in DNA damage, apoptosis, and cell death.¹


The clinical significance of in vitro studies is unknown. Mechanism of action statements are not meant to imply clinical significance.

After chemotherapy, which works to damage and kill cancer cells, ZEJULA steps in to help keep cancer from returning.^{1,2,5}

DISCUSS

Talk to your patients about:

- Why they are a candidate for maintenance treatment
- How ZEJULA may help them
- What potential side effects they may experience



IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION (continued)


Hematologic adverse reactions (thrombocytopenia, anemia, neutropenia, and/or pancytopenia) have been reported in patients receiving ZEJULA. The overall incidence of Grade ≥3 thrombocytopenia, anemia, and neutropenia were reported, respectively, in 39%, 31%, and 21% of patients receiving ZEJULA in PRIMA. Discontinuation due to thrombocytopenia, anemia, and neutropenia occurred, respectively, in 4%, 2%, and 2% of patients in PRIMA. In patients who were administered a starting dose of ZEJULA based on baseline weight or platelet count in PRIMA, Grade ≥3 thrombocytopenia, anemia, and neutropenia were reported, respectively, in 22%, 23%, and 15% of patients receiving ZEJULA.

² Please see additional Important Safety Information throughout, as well as the accompanying full [Prescribing Information](#) for ZEJULA.


Who can receive ZEJULA?

- ✓ Adult patients with advanced epithelial ovarian, fallopian tube, or primary peritoneal cancer who are in a complete or partial response to first-line platinum-based chemotherapy and whose cancer is associated with homologous recombination deficiency (HRD) – positive status.¹

ZEJULA is an oral, once-daily, PARPi monotherapy for HRD-positive patients with an individualized starting dose¹




Patients should start treatment no later than 12 weeks after their most recent platinum-containing regimen¹



200 mg/day

If baseline weight <170 lb OR platelets <150,000/μL



300 mg/day

If baseline weight ≥170 lb AND platelets ≥150,000/μL

Continue treatment with ZEJULA until disease progression or unacceptable toxicity.¹

For patients with moderate hepatic impairment,^a the recommended dosage of ZEJULA is 200 mg once daily, regardless of body weight or platelet count. Monitor patients for hematologic toxicity and reduce the dose, if needed.¹

^aTotal bilirubin ≥1.5 to 3 x ULN and any AST level.¹ As defined by the National Cancer Institute–Organ Dysfunction Working Group (NCI-ODWG) criteria.

There are no data in patients with severe hepatic impairment, severe renal impairment, or end-stage renal disease undergoing hemodialysis.¹

No dose adjustment necessary for mild hepatic impairment (total bilirubin <1.5 x ULN and any AST level or bilirubin ≤ULN and AST >ULN) and for age ≥65 years).¹

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION (continued)

Hematologic adverse reactions (continued) Discontinuation due to thrombocytopenia, anemia, and neutropenia occurred, respectively, in 3%, 3%, and 2% of patients. Do not start ZEJULA until patients have recovered from hematological toxicity caused by prior chemotherapy (≤Grade 1). Monitor complete blood counts weekly for the first month, monthly for the next 11 months, and periodically thereafter. If hematological toxicities do not resolve within 28 days following interruption, discontinue ZEJULA, and refer the patient to a hematologist for further investigations.

1L, first-line; AST, aspartate aminotransferase; HRD, homologous recombination deficient; PARPi, poly (ADP-ribose) polymerase inhibitor; ULN, upper limit of normal.

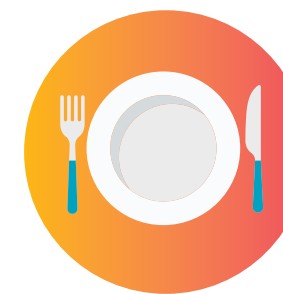
Walk your patients through how to take ZEJULA

Discuss potential side effects patients may experience when starting or taking ZEJULA

- Remind patients that their healthcare provider will periodically monitor blood counts, blood pressure, and heart rate to help identify if dosing needs to be modified during treatment with ZEJULA¹
- Advise your patient to tell their healthcare provider about all of their medical conditions, including heart problems, liver problems, high blood pressure, pregnancy, and breastfeeding¹
- Remind your patients to tell their healthcare provider about all of the medicines they are taking, including prescription and over-the-counter medicines, vitamins, and herbal supplements¹

Please see additional Important Safety Information throughout, as well as the accompanying full [Prescribing Information](#) for ZEJULA.

ZEJULA can be taken:



With or without food¹



At home or on the go^{1,a,b}



At any time of day or night^{1,c}

Taking ZEJULA before bed may help reduce nausea.¹

^aRoutine monitoring of blood counts, blood pressure, and heart rate is required as part of treatment with ZEJULA.¹ ^bTablets must be stored and dispensed in original container. Store at room temperature (68°F to 77°F).¹ ^cZEJULA should be taken at approximately the same time each day.¹

Tablet should be swallowed whole. Do not crush, chew, or split tablet.¹ If a patient vomits or misses a dose, an additional dose should not be taken. The next dose should be taken at its regularly scheduled time.¹



DISCUSS

Support patients starting or taking ZEJULA

- What additional questions do you have about how to take ZEJULA?
- Support strategies for patients to maintain a regular schedule for taking ZEJULA:
 - Suggest using diaries, calendars, and alarms on clocks or mobile phones⁶
 - Recommend a routine, which includes taking ZEJULA at the same time each day⁶
 - Engage with care partners on how they may support patient's routine⁶

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION (continued)

Hypertension and cardiovascular effects have been reported in patients receiving ZEJULA. Grade 3-4 hypertension occurred in 6% of patients receiving ZEJULA vs 1% of patients receiving placebo in PRIMA, with no reported discontinuations. Monitor blood pressure and heart rate at least weekly for the first two months, then monthly for the first year, and periodically thereafter during treatment with ZEJULA. Closely monitor patients with cardiovascular disorders, especially coronary insufficiency, cardiac arrhythmias, and hypertension. Manage hypertension with antihypertensive medications and adjustment of the ZEJULA dose if necessary.

Help your patients understand how monitoring can inform their healthcare team if a change needs to be made to their dose

Clarify for your patients that dose modifications may help manage adverse reactions



Monitoring complete blood counts, blood pressure, and heart rate helps identify the need to dose modify¹



If myelodysplastic syndrome or acute myeloid leukemia (MDS/AML) is confirmed, discontinue ZEJULA.¹

^aMonitor periodically. Per physician discretion.

Healthcare providers may change patients dose, temporarily stop treatment, or permanently stop treatment with ZEJULA if patients have certain side effects.¹

ASK

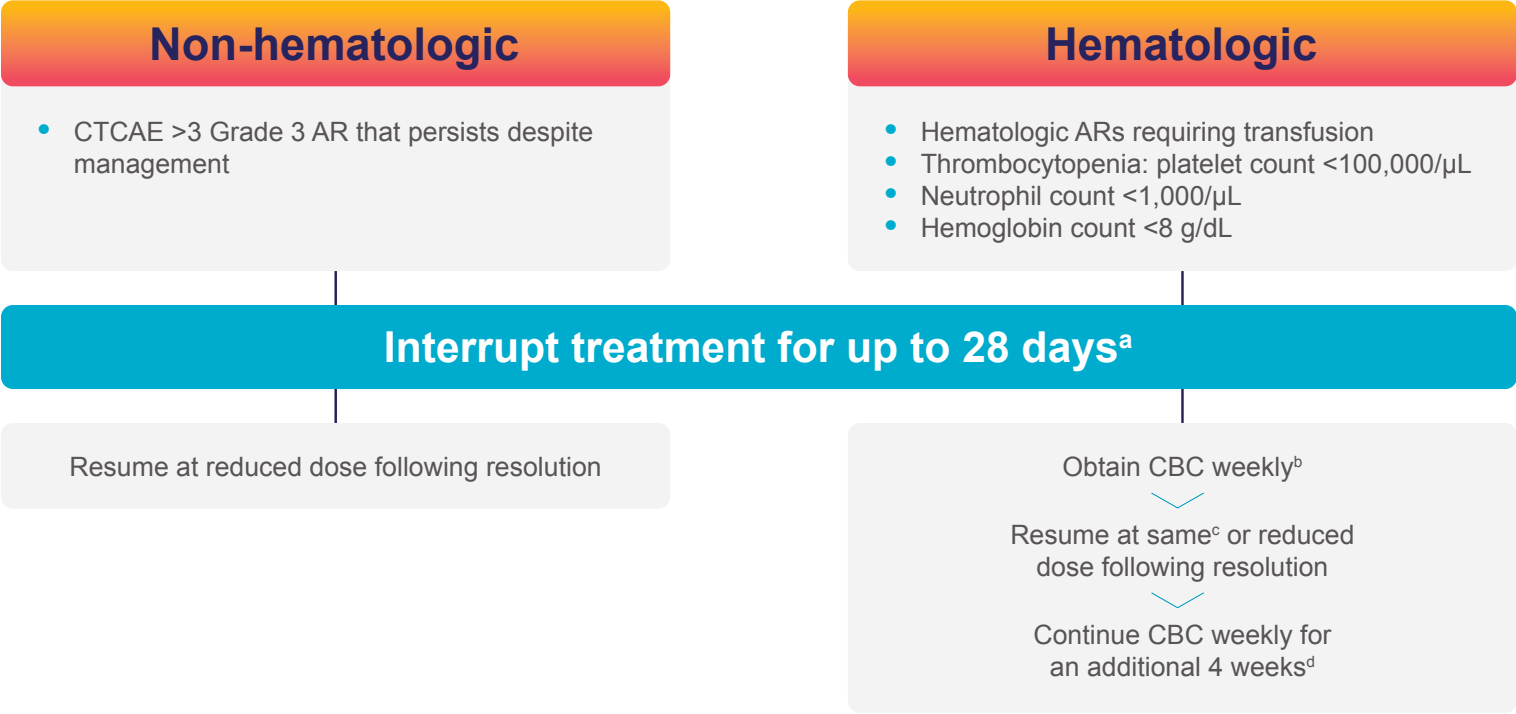
Encourage patients to be proactive in their treatment and explain how these appointments will be scheduled:

- Do you anticipate any challenges in keeping your next appointment?

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION (continued)

Posterior reversible encephalopathy syndrome (PRES) occurred in 0.1% of 2,165 patients treated with ZEJULA in clinical trials and has also been described in postmarketing reports. Monitor all patients for signs and symptoms of PRES, which include seizure, headache, altered mental status, visual disturbance, or cortical blindness, with or without associated hypertension. Diagnosis requires confirmation by brain imaging. If suspected, promptly discontinue ZEJULA and administer appropriate treatment. The safety of reinitiating ZEJULA is unknown.

Depending on a number of factors, patients taking ZEJULA may require a dose adjustment



^aIf hematological toxicities do not resolve within 28 days following interruption, discontinue ZEJULA and refer the patient to a hematologist for further investigation.¹ ^bMonitor blood counts weekly until platelet counts return to \geq 100,000/ μ L and neutrophil counts return to \geq 1,500/ μ L or hemoglobin returns to \geq 9 g/dL.¹ ^cResume at the same dose only for the first occurrence of thrombocytopenia if platelets are >75,000/ μ L.¹ ^dThis recommendation is per the PRIMA clinical study protocol.⁷

ASK

Do you understand the importance of monitoring to ensure proper dose modifications?

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION (continued)

Embryo-fetal toxicity and lactation: Based on its mechanism of action, ZEJULA can cause fetal harm. Advise females of reproductive potential of the potential risk to a fetus and to use effective contraception during treatment and for 6 months after receiving their final dose of ZEJULA. Because of the potential for serious adverse reactions from ZEJULA in breastfed infants, advise lactating women not to breastfeed during treatment with ZEJULA and for 1 month after receiving the last dose.

Please see additional Important Safety Information throughout, as well as the accompanying full [Prescribing Information](#) for ZEJULA.

AR, adverse reaction; CBC, complete blood count; CTCAE, Common Terminology Criteria for Adverse Events.



Help your patients understand the importance of taking an active role in their treatment journey



Empower your patient with information about maintenance treatment

- Encourage patients to **discuss maintenance treatment with their healthcare team** during their chemotherapy



Embrace the provider-patient relationship

- Before starting treatment with ZEJULA, advise patients about **dosing, monitoring, and management of possible side effects**
- Encourage patients to **tell their healthcare team** about all medical conditions and any medicines they take before starting treatment with ZEJULA
- Confirm patients **understand the importance of regular monitoring and testing** for serious side effects
- Encourage patients to **contact their doctor's office with any symptoms** they experience during the treatment



Ensure patients have all the information they need

- **Recommend strategies** for remembering to take their medication
- **Share resources** to help them find additional information
- Make sure they **know who to contact** with questions



Reach out to a ZEJULA representative to request patient resources, such as the Patient Starter Kit

Together with GSK Oncology may have tools to support certain patients in specific financial situations

The following ovarian cancer patient support organizations may provide additional resources:

For additional information, please visit these sites or contact these organizations. These resources are independent from GSK, they are not controlled or endorsed by GSK, and GSK is not responsible for their content.



National Ovarian Cancer Coalition
<https://ovarian.org>

OVARCOME
<https://ovarcome.org>

Ovarian Cancer Research Alliance
<https://ocrahope.org>

Additional support organizations

Visit <https://zejula.com/resources/support-organizations> or **SCAN THE QR CODE.**

Additional resource:

Oncology Nursing Society (ONS) Oral Anticancer Medication Toolkit: <https://www.ons.org/sites/default/files/2023-05/23%20OAM%20toolkit.pdf>

Resources for HCPs



About ZEJULA
Visit ZEJULAHCP.com
or SCAN THE QR CODE.



Together
with GSK
Oncology

Resources for Patients



Patient Resources
Visit <https://zejula.com/resources/zejula-my-way>
or SCAN THE QR CODE.

Patient Starter Kit



References

1. ZEJULA. Prescribing Information. GSK; 2025.
2. NCI dictionary of cancer terms: chemotherapy. National Cancer Institute. Accessed August 13, 2025. <https://www.cancer.gov/publications/dictionaries/cancer-terms/def/chemotherapy>
3. Satoh MS, Lindahl T. *Nature*. 1992;356(6367):356-358. doi:10.1038/356356a0
4. Rein ID et al. *Cell Cycle*. 2015;14(20):3248-3260. doi:10.1080/15384101.2015.1085137
5. NCI dictionary of cancer terms: maintenance therapy. National Cancer Institute. Accessed August 13, 2025. <https://www.cancer.gov/publications/dictionaries/cancer-terms/def/maintenance-therapy>
6. Oral anticancer medication toolkit. Oncology Nursing Society. Accessed August 13, 2025. <https://www.ons.org/sites/default/files/2023-05/23%20OAM%20toolkit.pdf>
7. González-Martín A et al. *N Engl J Med*. 2019;381(25):1-42. doi:10.1056/NEJMoa1910962

Trademarks are property of their respective owners.

©2025 GSK or licensor.
PMUS-NRLBND250003 September 2025
Produced in USA. 0002-0041-14

File Name: HCP AHP Patient Support Guide 2025

