

# MULTIPLE MYELOMA

ADULT PATIENT

## Highlights

- Standard-risk myeloma patient in sCR following autologous stem cell transplant
- Patient entered maintenance protocol but discontinued maintenance due to toxicity
- clonoSEQ Tracking (MRD) Test revealed early signs of relapse 3 years post-transplant
- Clinical relapse observed 6 months after initial MRD-positive clonoSEQ test result

**Actual results may vary. Limited to one patient case.**

## Physician's Perspective\*

"It's clear you can say that an MRD-negative result in a low-risk patient bodes well. What you don't know is if continuing maintenance will change anything. In this case, the patient was standard-risk and wasn't tolerating maintenance well, I used the MRD-negative clonoSEQ result to justify stopping therapy. I then continued to follow MRD, hoping to use it as an early indicator of relapse. When I saw that first low-level MRD+ result, I wasn't ready to treat, but I did decide to see him more frequently and the relapse occurred very quickly thereafter.

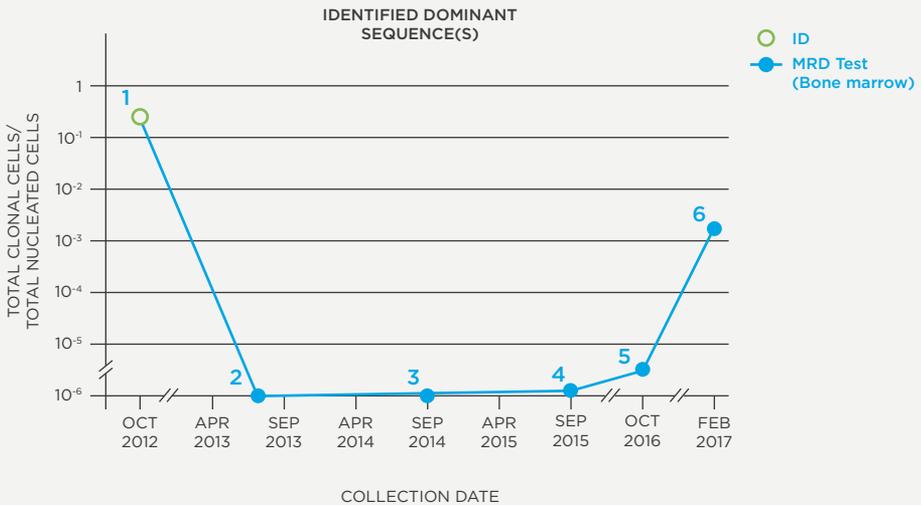
You never know how fast people are going to progress. The problem is that if someone has a very low MRD level, the disease could progress quickly or it could take a year before it becomes anything. The same is true with a small rise in an M-spike, though. In that case, we might see the patient sooner, get a PET scan sooner, and generally be more vigilant about monitoring to see if the disease is coming back. I use an MRD-positive clonoSEQ result in the same way."

## Patient History

- Late 50s male diagnosed with multiple myeloma with standard-risk features
- Achieved stringent CR following hyper-CVAD and RVD induction regimen and proceeded to autologous stem cell transplant
- Post-transplant, received 4 cycles of RVD consolidation therapy and began monitoring residual disease via clonoSEQ
- Initiated on lenalidomide maintenance protocol, but developed pancytopenia after one year and discontinued maintenance
- Patient eventually progressed to clinical relapse 2.5 years after maintenance was discontinued

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clonoSEQ is available as an FDA-cleared *in vitro* diagnostic (IVD) test service provided by Adaptive Biotechnologies to detect measurable residual disease (MRD) in bone marrow from patients with multiple myeloma or B-cell acute lymphoblastic leukemia (B-ALL) and blood or bone marrow from patients with chronic lymphocytic leukemia (CLL). clonoSEQ is also available for use in other lymphoid cancers as a CLIA-validated laboratory developed test (LDT) service. For important information about the FDA-cleared uses of clonoSEQ including test limitations, please visit [clonoSEQ.com/technical-summary](https://clonoSEQ.com/technical-summary). Adaptive Biotechnologies does not endorse the use of any particular therapies.



## Use of the clonoSEQ Assay

- 1 clonoSEQ Clonality (ID) test performed on high-disease load bone marrow sample (collected at diagnosis in October 2012) to identify sequences for subsequent measurable residual disease (MRD) testing.
- 2 clonoSEQ Tracking (MRD) Test results from a sample collected in July 2013 during post-transplant consolidation therapy found no evidence of residual disease in the bone marrow.
- 3 clonoSEQ Tracking (MRD) test in September 2014 showed continued MRD-negativity, so maintenance was discontinued and patient's MRD was tracked using clonoSEQ on an ongoing basis.
- 4 During routine clonoSEQ testing two years later in August 2016, a low level of residual disease (9 residual cells per million) was detected. Patient was otherwise in sCR.
- 5 MRD levels continued to rise; the frequency of testing was increased from one year to every six months.
- 6 Clinical relapse was observed six months after initial MRD-positive clonoSEQ result.

**Intended Use:**

The clonoSEQ Assay is an *in vitro* diagnostic that uses multiplex polymerase chain reaction (PCR) and next-generation sequencing (NGS) to identify and quantify rearranged IgH (VDJ), IgH (DJ), IgK and IgL receptor gene sequences, as well as translocated BCL1/IgH (J) and BCL2/IgH (J) sequences in DNA extracted from bone marrow from patients with B-cell acute lymphoblastic leukemia (ALL) or multiple myeloma (MM), and blood or bone marrow from patients with chronic lymphocytic leukemia (CLL).

The clonoSEQ Assay measures minimal residual disease (MRD) to monitor changes in burden of disease during and after treatment. The test is indicated for use by qualified healthcare professionals in accordance with professional guidelines for clinical decision-making and in conjunction with other clinicopathological features.

The clonoSEQ Assay is a single-site assay performed at Adaptive Biotechnologies Corporation in Seattle, Washington.

**Special Conditions for Use:**

- For *in vitro* diagnostic use.
- For prescription use only (Rx only).

**Limitations:**

ALL, MM, and CLL

- MRD values obtained with different assay methods may not be interchangeable due to differences in assay methods and reagent specificity.
- The results obtained from this assay should always be used in combination with the clinical examination, patient medical history, and other findings.
- The clonoSEQ Assay is for use with specimens collected in EDTA tubes.
- Results may vary according to sample time within the course of disease or by sampling site location.
- The assay may overestimate MRD frequencies near the limit of detection (LoD).
- The MRD frequency LoD varies based on the amount of gDNA that is tested and using lower gDNA input may prevent MRD detection at low frequencies.
- Sample processing and cell enrichment strategies may affect the measured MRD frequency.
- The volume and cellularity of sampled input material may affect the ability to detect low levels of disease.
- False positive or false negative results may occur for reasons including, but not limited to: contamination; technical and/or biological factors such as the type of rearrangement or the size of the junction region.
- The assay has been validated with the Illumina NextSeq500 and 550.

For CLL

- MRD is based on measurements of tumor cells detected in peripheral blood and/or bone marrow. However, patients may have significant residual disease in unassessed compartments and U-MRD in one compartment cannot fully rule out the presence of disease in the other compartment, for example, U-MRD in blood may not be the same in bone marrow. Therefore assessment of MRD in CLL should employ a multimodal approach including clinical examination, patient medical history, and other findings.
- Outcome for patients with MRD detectable in bone marrow but not in peripheral blood (PB-/BM+) may differ according to type of therapy.
- This assay is capable of monitoring specific tumor clonotypes. The association between MRD assessments and patient clinical status for the purpose of monitoring changes in disease (e.g., relapse, remission, stable disease) has not been demonstrated.
- The value of MRD in CLL for previously untreated or “watch and wait” patients is not established.
- CLL is a heterogeneous disease. MRD values and expectations for outcome may not be generalizable across treatments. Changes in MRD should be interpreted with caution when used to evaluate disease burden in therapies that have not been validated.
- Regardless of MRD status, cytogenetics play an independent role in patient risk status and its impact on PFS/OS.

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- Myeloma patient with high-risk cytogenetics (17p deletion) and renal comorbidities
- Patient achieved sCR following induction and proceeded to autologous stem cell transplant
- Following transplant, maintenance was initiated
- clonoSEQ Tracking (MRD) test employed for routine monitoring and eventually used to inform recommendation to re-initiate therapy

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## Physician's Perspective\*

"The typical pattern with high-risk patients is that they respond very quickly but also relapse very fast. In the case of this patient, we used triplet therapy (RVD) in maintenance, but the patient pressed to stop treatment because he didn't like the side effects. He dropped dexamethasone and then lenalidomide over the course of 2016. In May 2017, he decided to stop bortezomib as well. I was concerned and negotiated with him to try an oral targeted therapy. Three months later, he had a clonoSEQ MRD-positive result of 4 residual cells per million. At that point, having seen many other patients with low-level MRD go on to relapse, I recommended that the patient go back on triplet therapy.

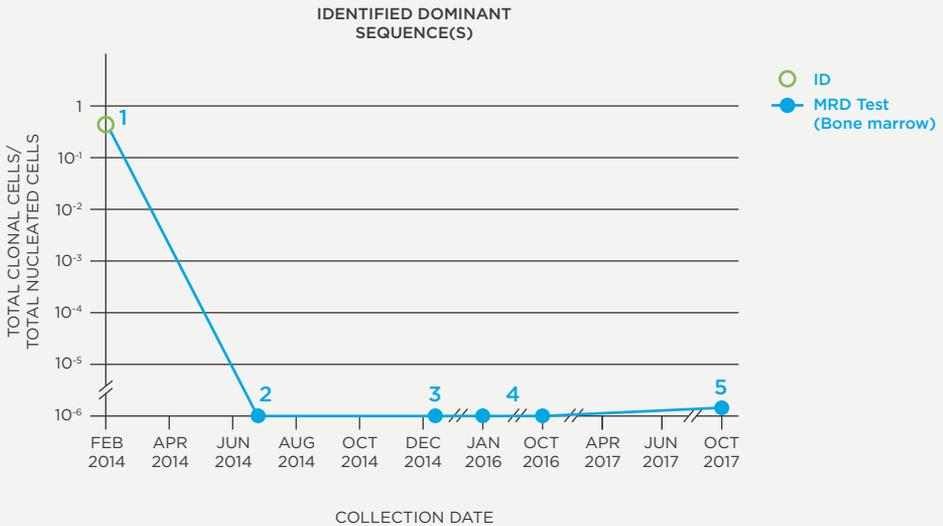
If a patient insists on stopping therapy, we watch them more carefully. An MRD+ result becomes a way to motivate the patient to get back on therapy. In some cases, I might watch the MRD over time, but this patient had such bad-risk disease that I wanted to re-start treatment immediately. In every situation where I've seen MRD going up, they all relapsed eventually."

## Patient History

- Late 60s male with renal failure on dialysis
- Diagnosed with multiple myeloma; genomic analysis revealed 17p deletion
- Achieved stringent CR following 6 cycles of CyBorD induction
- Proceeded to autologous stem cell transplant and then began RVD maintenance

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## Use of the clonoSEQ Assay

- 1 At diagnosis, the clonoSEQ Clonality (ID) Test detected considerable disease burden. Patient was started on a CyBorD induction regimen.
- 2 In July 2014, post-induction clonoSEQ Tracking (MRD) Test results found no evidence of measurable residual disease (MRD) in the bone marrow. Patient proceeded to transplant in September 2014.
- 3 Post-transplant (six months later), a clonoSEQ Tracking (MRD) test showed that MRD negativity was maintained during the patient's first three months of maintenance therapy.
- 4 Patient's maintenance regimen was continued, and two routine clonoSEQ Tracking (MRD) tests conducted 12 months and 22 months later continued to show MRD-negative results. In May 2017, patient elected to discontinue all therapy.
- 5 In October 2017, clonoSEQ detected 4 cells per million. Due to high-risk status, physician recommended immediate re-initiation of triplet therapy.

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