

CARCINOMA OF UNKNOWN PRIMARY

BEVACIZUMAB – ERLOTINIB

Bevacizumab	10 mg/kg	IV*	Days 1 and 15
Erlotinib	150 mg	PO**	Daily

*Initial dose to be administered over 90 minutes. If the first infusion is well tolerated, the second infusion can be administered over 60 minutes. If that is well tolerated all subsequent infusions may be delivered over 30 minutes; **Administer each morning either at least 1 hour prior to a meal or 2 hours after a meal.

Repeat cycle every 28 days until disease progression or unacceptable toxicity.

Reference: [Hainsworth JD, et al. J Clin Oncol 2007;25:1747 – 52.](#)

CARBOPLATIN – PACLITAXEL

Carboplatin	AUC 6*	IV**	Day 1
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Followed by

Paclitaxel‡	200 mg/m ²	IV#	Day 1
Filgrastim	300 mcg/kg/day	SQ	Days 5 to 12

*AUC calculated using the Calvert formula; **Administer over 30 minutes; ‡Routine premedication administered; #Administer over 3 hours in 500 mL NS.

Repeat cycle every 21 days to a maximum of 8 cycles in responding patients, and 6 cycles in patients with stable disease.

Reference: [Briasoulis E, et al. J Clin Oncol 2000;18:3101 – 7.](#)

GEMCITABINE – CARBOPLATIN – PACLITAXEL

Gemcitabine	1000 mg/m ²	IV	Days 1 and 8
Paclitaxel‡	200 mg/m ²	IV*	Day 1

Followed by

Carboplatin	AUC 5**	IV***	Day 1
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Repeat cycle every 21 days.

NOTE: Patients were reevaluated for response after the first 2 courses. Responders and stable disease patients received additional courses for a total of 4 courses. Patients were restaged after 4 courses. Responders or SD were given weekly paclitaxel 70 mg/m² for 6 weeks followed by 2 weeks rest for three 8-week courses (± radiation).

‡Routine premedication administered; *Administer over 1 hour; **AUC calculated using the Calvert formula dose = [GFR + 25] x 5 (where GFR calculated using Cockcroft–Gault formula); ***Administer over 20 – 30 minutes.

Reference: [Greco FA, et al. J Clin Oncol 2002;20:1651 – 6.](#)

GEMCITABINE – DOCETAXEL

Gemcitabine	1000 mg/m ²	IV*	Days 1 and 8
Docetaxel‡	75 mg/m ²	IV**	Day 8

‡Routine premedication administered; *Administer over 30 minutes; **Administer over 1 hour.

Repeat cycle every 21 days for a maximum of 6 cycles.

Reference: [Pouessel D, et al. *Cancer* 2004;100:1257 – 61.](#)

PACLITAXEL – CARBOPLATIN – ETOPOSIDE

Paclitaxel‡	200 mg/m ²	IV*	Day 1
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Followed by

Carboplatin	AUC 6**	IV***	Day 1
Etoposide	50 mg/100 mg#	PO	Days 1 – 10

‡Routine premedication administered; *Administer over 1 hour; **AUC calculated using the Calvert formula: Dose = (GFR + 25) x 6; ***Administer over 20 – 30 minutes; #50 mg alternating with 100 mg daily.

Repeat cycle every 21 days for a maximum of 4 cycles.

NOTE: Patients were reevaluated for response after the first 2 cycles. Responders and stable disease patients received additional courses for a total of 4 cycles.

References: [Hainsworth JD, et al. *J Clin Oncol* 1997;15:2385 – 93;](#) [Greco FA, et al. *Cancer* 2000;89:2655 – 60.](#)