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ABSTRACT

Adolescents and young adults (AYA) with classic Hodgkin lymphoma (cHL) have excellent survival outcomes, however the late effects of treatment, including cardiovascular disease (CVD), can impact long-term disease-free morbidity and mortality. Using population-level administrative data, we evaluated rates of CVD in 2-year AYA survivors of cHL, aged 16-39 years, treated with ABVD or equivalent chemotherapy, with or without radiotherapy (RT). With a median follow up of 17 years (range 2.3-29 years), risk of CVD was 2.9-fold higher relative to controls, with a 5.2-fold risk of heart failure (HF) and 2.4-fold risk of ischemic heart disease (IHD). Risk of HF was associated with anthracycline-containing chemotherapy regimens alone or with combined modality therapy; whereas higher IHD risk was identified only in those treated with RT. At 20 years after the most recent cHL diagnosis or relapse, the cumulative incidence (CI) of HF was 4.3% in cases vs 0.8% in controls; and for IHD was 8.3% in cases vs 2.8% in controls. Treatment after 2005 using a PET scan guided approach reduced the overall use of RT (56.0% < 2005 vs 14.9% > 2005), and was associated with a lower 15-year CI of IHD (< 2005: 3.4% (95% CI 1.8-5.1%), > 2005: 0.7% (95% CI 0-1.7%) with the latter era comparable to controls; (1.6% (95% CI 1.3-1.9%)). cHL survivors had increased 20-year cumulative mortality above that of age-matched controls (5.0% vs 2.0%). These results can inform surveillance strategies, screening guidelines, and recommendations for risk factor modification for AYA cHL survivors.

INTRODUCTION

Classic Hodgkin lymphoma (cHL) is one of the most commonly diagnosed malignancies in adolescents and young adults (AYA) with a peak incidence between ages 15-34 years^{1,2}. ABVD (doxorubicin, bleomycin, vinblastine, dacarbazine) was first introduced 50 years ago³ and has been a standard therapy since that time. With five-year overall survival greater than 90%^{4,5}, there is a significant population of long-term survivors. The late effects of chemotherapy and radiation therapy (RT) used in cHL are well documented in children and adolescents with significant burden of chronic health disease compared to healthy peers⁶.

The incidence of late morbidity secondary to treatment rises rapidly 10 years after diagnosis; by 20 years after diagnosis, the mortality due to secondary causes surpasses that due to relapse of cHL⁶. In all ages, cardiovascular disease (CVD) has been reported as the third leading cause of mortality in cHL survivors^{7,8}, with a 19-fold increased risk of CVD-related mortality in AYAs relative to controls⁹. Development of CVD secondary to exposure to anthracycline chemotherapy or mediastinal RT is one of the better characterized late effects in pediatric cohorts, with reports of 16-fold increased risk of heart failure (HF)¹⁰, 5-fold increased risk of ischemic heart disease (IHD) in those exposed to 15 Gy of cardiac radiation or more¹¹, and a 5-fold increase in cardiac-related mortality¹², compared to age-and sexmatched controls. In recognition of these risks, life-long surveillance for cardiac disease is recommended in survivors of childhood cancer, with risk-based guidelines to guide modality and frequency of screening¹³.

The risk of CVD late effects for young adults is less well characterized. Existing studies support that young adults treated for cHL in earlier eras between 1965-1995 have an excess risk of CVD¹⁴ and mortality⁹ similar to pediatric patients, including a 25-year cumulative risk of congestive HF as high as 33%¹⁴. The latent onset of late effects makes it challenging to extrapolate the impact of historic treatments to modern clinical practice. Given the excellent survival outcomes in cHL, treatment protocols have evolved in the more modern era to reduce treatment intensity and particularly RT field and dose, without compromising outcomes^{15–18}, however how this has impacted overall CVD risk in this age group remains unknown.

In British Columbia (BC), province-wide treatment guideline modifications have included reduced exposure to RT through use of smaller volumes using involved-field RT (IFRT) as of 1997, and use of

involved-nodal RT (INRT) < or =5cm as of 2001¹⁹. In 2005, PET-guided elimination of RT was introduced for advanced stage cHL patients in a complete metabolic response on PET scan following 6 cycles of ABVD chemotherapy, including those with bulky disease²⁰ and similarly, for limited stage disease, RT is only given in those with a positive scan after 2 cycles²¹. We are only now reaching the early time points at which we can measure the impact of reduced-intensity strategies. Of concern, studies of other late effects, such as secondary cancers, over sequential treatment eras in young adult survivors of HL suggest that these risks may not have decreased as anticipated²².

Using population-based administrative data, we evaluated the incidence of CVD (HF and IHD) in a cohort of AYA cHL survivors with a focus on young adults, treated using ABVD or equivalent chemotherapy with or without RT in BC.

METHODS

AYA patients with cHL newly diagnosed between 1992-2013 to ensure sufficient follow-up for late effects, and treated with curative intent ABVD or equivalent therapy (eg. COPP (or MOPP)/ABV) in BC, Canada were identified in the BC Cancer Lymphoid Cancer Database. AYA was defined as ages 16-39 years aligning with the National Cancer Institute definition²³ and commonly used standards from publications in cancer survivors^{24,25}. Cases must have survived to an index date defined as 2 years from the most recent cHL event (primary diagnosis or, if applicable, most recent relapse) and have had a minimum follow-up of 1 year beyond their index date. Index date of 2 years from most recent cHL event was selected based on our prior study describing a very low rate of recurrence in patients event-free at 2 years⁵. Limited stage disease was defined as stage IA, IB (included as of January 1, 2000 and later) or IIA, non-bulky disease (bulk =any mass size ≥10cm); all others had advanced stage disease. Standard treatment guidelines for this era in BC have been published previously with ABVD or equivalent chemotherapy used during this time period⁵. A PET-adapted approach was introduced in 2005 for limited stage²¹ and advanced stage²⁰ to limit use of RT. Cases were linked to the provincial BC Cancer Radiation Therapy database to identify the types and doses of radiation treatments received.

A control population was derived from the BC Ministry of Health (MOH) Chronic Disease Registry (CDR). The CDR is a population-based registry that captures the chronic disease status of every individual in BC annually. The CDR uses the following administrative health databases to identify chronic conditions (e.g. HF): physician claims through Medical Services Plan (MSP) Payment Information; medical drug claims

submitted to Pharmacare; and hospital admission records through Discharge Abstract Database. Chronic diseases are identified based on validated case algorithms adapted from the Canadian Chronic Disease Surveillance System²⁶ (Supplemental Table 1). The date of the first event that contributed to the case definition captured in the CDR was used as date of onset of the chronic disease outcome. A 10:1 individually-matched control population was identified from the CDR based on age, sex, and health authority region on the index date of the matched case. Controls were excluded if they had a pre-existing invasive malignancy or in-situ bladder malignancy (as determined by the BC Cancer Registry), HF, or IHD prior to the study window.

Both the cHL and control cohorts were further linked to the CDR to determine the cumulative incidence CVD over the study follow-up period. Individual outcomes were collected from the index date of the matched case until December 31, 2018 or until an individual was censored due to loss to follow-up or death. Individuals no longer registered with MSP for a period of ≥2 years during the study period; or with a gap of <2 years during the study period but who had less than 2 years of follow-up time after regaining MSP registration, were censored as lost to follow-up due to potential for misidentification of an outcome event.

Descriptive statistics were used to characterize the study population. The cumulative incidence approach and Gray's test were used to derive and compare estimates of CVD outcomes at 15 and 20 years of follow-up. A competing risk regression analysis was used to evaluate relative risk (RR) of primary outcomes in survivors relative to age-, sex- and region-matched controls. A multivariable analysis of RR was performed adjusting for patient factors (stage and age at diagnosis, and era of treatment < or \geq 2005); treatment-related factors (anthracycline cumulative dose, mediastinal RT); and the presence of pre-existing cardiovascular risk conditions captured in the CDR (limited to hypertension (HTN), diabetes mellitus (DM), or chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD) as a surrogate for smoking). To capture only pre-existing CV risk conditions, the date of onset of the CV risk condition must have been prior to that of the primary outcome in the CDR for both cases and controls. A sensitivity analysis was performed, including only patients who had received front line treatment and their matched controls. In all analyses, p-values less than 0.05 were considered statistically significant. This study was approved through the University of British Columbia/BC Cancer Research Ethics Board.

With a median follow-up time of 16.9 years (range 2.3-29) from the date of diagnosis of cHL or most recent relapse, 806 AYA 2-year survivors were eligible for analysis and compared against age-, sex- and region-matched controls (N=8058). 602 (75%) patients were 2-year survivors from the initial diagnosis and 204 (25%) were 2-year survivors from relapse, 47% of which received autologous stem cell transplantation. The proportion of limited and advanced stage disease at diagnosis was 34% and 66%, respectively, and 51% were male (Table 1). At the end of study period, the age of survivors ranged from 22 to 67 years (median 44 years). In total, 487 patients (39.6%) received mediastinal RT. Fifty-two percent received a cumulative anthracycline dose \geq 300 mg/m². Of patients with limited stage disease, the median dose of anthracyclines was 100 mg/m² and 53.3% received mediastinal RT. For those with advanced stage disease, the median dose was 300 mg/m² and 32.7% received mediastinal RT.

At 20 years after most recent cHL event, survivors had an increased risk of CVD with a cumulative incidence of 10.1% (95% CI 7.2-12.9%) compared to 3.2% (95% CI 2.7-3.7%) among controls (Figure 1). Survivors had an increased incidence of all-cause mortality, with 20-year cumulative mortality of 5.0% (95% CI 3.2-7.0%) relative to 2.0% (95% CI 1.7-2.4%) in controls (Figure 1B).

The cumulative incidence of both HF and IHD was significantly higher at 20 years after most recent cHL event in all cases relative to controls (HF: 4.3% in cases vs 0.8% in controls; IHD: 8.3% in cases vs 2.8% in controls) (Figure 2, and Supplemental Table 2). Compared to chemotherapy alone, combined modality treatment had a numerically higher incidence of HF (20-year incidence 3.3% chemotherapy alone vs 5.4% combined modality; *p*-value = 0.28) and a trend was observed for incidence of IHD (20-year incidence 6.0% chemotherapy alone vs 10.7% combined modality; *p*-value = 0.08) at 20-years. The incidence of IHD was not significantly increased at 20 years in those treated with chemotherapy alone without RT, relative to controls. The incidence of HF among those with limited stage disease (2.0%) and advanced disease (5.2%) were both higher than among controls (0.8%). IHD incidence was similarly higher among those with limited (6.7%) and advanced disease (9.2%) compared to the control group (2.8%). Notably, in comparison to controls, a higher incidence of CVD was also seen in those diagnosed at age 30 years or older (18.5%, 95% CI 2.1-24.8%) compared to those aged less than 30 years (5.5%, 95% CI 2.9-8.0%) and controls (3.2%, 95% CI 2.7-3.7%) which was most notable for IHD (20 year incidence ≥ 30 y 15.3% (95% CI 9.3%-21.4%); < 30 y 4.4% (95% CI 2.1-6.7%) (Figure 3E) but also elevated for HF (7.4% (95% CI 3.1-11.6%) (Figure 3A). The incidence of HF was increased in both males and

females, relative to controls (5.9%, 95% CI 2.7-9.2%; 2.5%, 95% CI 0.6-4.5%; and 0.8%, 95% CI 0.5-1.0%; respectively) (Figure 3B). However, only males had a statistically significant increase in incidence of IHD relative to both females and controls (13.1%, 95% CI 8.6-17.6%; 2.9%, 95% CI 0.5-5.3%; and 2.8%, 95% CI 2.4-3.3%; respectively) (Figure 3E).

The incidence of IHD has decreased with a more modern therapy approach, a management era in which RT use was significantly reduced (56.0% < 2005 and $14.9\% \ge 2005$). At a shorter time-point of follow-up available, the 15-year cumulative incidence of IHD was 0.7% (95% CI 0-1.7%) for those treated after 2005, and 3.4% (95% CI 1.8-5.1%) for those treated prior to 2005, compared with 1.6% (95% CI 1.3-1.9%) in controls (Figure 3F). However, the 15-year cumulative incidence of HF was the same before and after 2005 (1.7% for both), but overall elevated relative to 0.4% in controls (Figure 3C).

Overall, cHL survivors had a 2.9-fold increased risk of CVD relative to controls (Table 2). The relative risk was greatest for onset of HF (RR=5.18, 95% CI 3.09-8.66) compared with the RR estimated for IHD (RR=2.38, 95% CI: 1.73, 3.29) (Table 2). Independent co-variates that were associated with increased risk of HF included age >30 y at diagnosis and the presence of cardiac comorbidities. Treatment with chemotherapy alone or with combined therapy with RT was significantly associated with risk of HF compared to controls (Table 3). Of treatment related factors, significantly increased risk of IHD was identified only in patients who had mediastinal RT compared to patients treated with chemotherapy alone, with RR 3.6 (95% CI 2.44-5.31) vs 1.42 (95% CI 0.84-2.40), respectively. In multi-regression analysis, the era of treatment was no longer a significant risk factor when adjusted for RT exposure (Table 3). Cumulative dose of anthracycline did not significantly impact RR of IHD (Table 3). Other risk factors for IHD included male sex, age >30 at diagnosis, and diagnosis with diabetes and hypertension (Table 3).

In this population of patients that had survived more than 2 years from their most recent treatment, 204 had undergone treatment for relapsed disease and received additional therapy, including 47% that received autologous stem cell transplantation. However, the frequency of mediastinal RT was only slightly higher for those treated for relapsed disease (42.6%) relative to the frequency in those who received it as part of their primary therapy only (38.5%). Further, the exposure to anthracycline was unchanged. A sensitivity analysis was performed for survivors who had received front-line treatment only (Table 2, Supplemental Table 3). The results demonstrate a similar pattern of associated CV risks to

that observed in the full cohort of patients, with a small reduction in the strength of the association. The relative risk remained greatest for onset of HF (RR=4.09, 95% CI 2.14-7.84) compared with the RR estimated for IHD (RR=1.80, 95% CI: 1.16-2.78). Similar to findings from the full cohort analysis, factors male sex, age >30 at diagnosis, and diagnosis with diabetes and hypertension were all associated with an increased CV risk.

DISCUSSION

Adolescents and young adults with cHL have excellent disease-specific long-term survival outcomes but their therapy may be associated with late treatment-related morbidity and mortality. Given the young population at risk, the impact of treatment decades later remains a significant concern. Using population-level administrative data, we demonstrate that AYA survivors of cHL have an excess risk of late onset cardiac disease, with 5.2-fold increased risk of HF and 2.4-fold increased risk IHD relative to matched population controls, contributing to the increase in overall mortality in long-term survivors of cHL.

Cardiotoxicity is a well-recognized late effect of therapy for pediatric cancers^{13,27,28}. Extensive data from pediatric cohorts demonstrate an excess risk of dose-dependent anthracycline-related cardiomyopathy, with a synergistic impact of combined modality therapy¹³. Mediastinal RT confers additional risk of IHD and valvular disease. The Childhood Cancer Survivor Study, a large multi-institutional study of self-reported outcomes between 5-year survivors and siblings, reported that the rate of grade 3-5 CVD in pediatric HL survivors at 30 years is 11.1%⁶, with a hazard ratio of 6.8 for HF and 12.2 for myocardial infarction, relative to siblings¹¹. The pediatric DAL-HD trial consortium reported a 25-year incidence of 14% for all cardiac disease and reported a dose-dependent relationship between the dose of RT used and rates of CVD²⁹. Female sex and younger age at treatment are commonly reported independent risk factors for HF in the pediatric age cohort^{13,30}, whereas male sex is reported as a risk factor for IHD, also observed in our study³⁰.

Compared to the pediatric age group, there is far less data regarding the risk of CVD in AYA survivors with a history of cHL, especially those treated as young adults. We demonstrate that age \geq 30 years at diagnosis is associated with higher risk of CV disease highlighting that age-specific outcomes are essential to ensure appropriate guidelines are in place. Van Nimwegen et al previously reported

outcomes of 2524 AYA 5-year survivors aged <50 years treated during 1965-1995³¹. In this cohort, 81% had received mediastinal RT, and of those, 30% had also received anthracycline-based chemotherapy. They found 6.8-fold increased standardized incidence ratio (SIR) of HF and 3.2-fold increased SIR of coronary heart disease. Both mediastinal radiation and exposure to anthracyclines were associated with an increased risk of CVD³¹, with a dose-response and synergistic impact demonstrated for risk of HF; both mean left ventricle dose of RT, and escalating dose of anthracyclines³². At 40 years after cHL, the cumulative incidence (CI) of CVD was 49.5%, and in those treated with mediastinal RT, the 40-year incidence was 54.6% compared to 24.7% in those treated with chemotherapy alone 31. The 25-year CI of HF in those treated with anthracyclines and RT >21 Gy was 32.9%; and was 13.3% for those treated with RT alone³². Interestingly, they identified a significant increase in SIR for those treated at a younger age, in contrast to our results. Maraldo et al evaluated cardiac outcomes in 6039 patients treated on sequential LYSA HL clinical trials (all ages, median age 29 years), treated between 1964 and 2009³³. Only mean heart dose of RT and cumulative dose of anthracyclines had a statistically significant effect on risk of CVD. The 25-year cumulative incidence of IHD and HF were 6.0% and 7.1%, respectively. Aleman et al 7 reported on survivors of HL, 95% of whom were treated with RT. The 25-year Cl of HF was 6.8% for those treated with RT alone; and 7.9% if combined modality with anthracycline-based chemotherapy. 30-year CI of myocardial infarction was 12.9% for those treated with mediastinal RT.

These prior studies primarily reflect treatment eras when there was a high rate of RT use and wider RT fields such as mantle and extended-field RT. Given the evolution of treatment, our study provides important data on the impact of modern therapy approaches on the rate of CVD with the use of reduced volumes and dose of RT as well a PET-guided approach to reduce RT use since July 2005. The rate of mediastinal RT use in our cohort was only 40% overall, considerably lower than the range of 80-95% reported in other studies of CV outcomes in HL survivors^{7,31,34}. Further, from 2005 onwards, RT use dropped from 56% to 15% following a treatment policy change recommending integration of a PET scan to guide RT in both advanced and limited stage cHL^{20,21}. For patients treated with a risk-adapted approach after 2005, we found a reduced incidence of IHD, which was similar to the incidence in population controls. In multi-regression analysis, the era of treatment was no longer a significant risk factor when adjusted for RT exposure, suggesting that the change in radiation use was an important factor in reducing the risk of IHD. Although longer follow-up is needed, these data suggest that reduction of RT in the management of HL has impacted CVD risk. Similar trends have been documented

in pediatric populations, with a trend of reduced rates of both IHD and HF in more recent clinical trials with decreased radiation exposure and with the use of cardio-protectants such as dexrazoxane³⁰.

Evaluation of late effects of therapy is challenged by the long latency, and because patients are discharged from follow-up well before the onset of late effects. The use of population-level administrative data enabled us to capture clinically significant CVD in a cHL survivor cohort that had been discharged from oncologic follow-up, and for whom the association with previous cancer therapy might not have been recognized. However, our study was limited to the data available in the chronic disease registry and dependent on surrogate standardized case definitions derived for disease surveillance purposes to identify endpoints rather than clinical diagnostic measures. Data regarding other forms of cardiac disease such as valvular disease, and additional cardiac risk factors, such as family history, obesity and dyslipidemia, were not available, and COPD was used as a surrogate for smoking. Furthermore, given the young age of survivors of cHL, young patients are often very mobile, moving out of province for personal, educational, or occupational opportunities. Our analysis can only follow patients using provincial health data for the duration of their follow-up within their time living in BC and those that emigrate from the region are thus lost to follow-up.

Despite these limitations, similar to prior studies, we found an increased risk of CVD starting 10 years after completion of treatment, long after patients have typically been discharged from follow-up care. The risk was particularly striking in males and those ≥ 30 years. Our data support the need for informed risk counseling at the time of discharge from oncological care and clear communication to primary care practitioners regarding the potential long-term risks. Patients require counseling regarding their risk of late effects, including written treatment summaries and detailed guides for surveillance and for secondary prevention strategies through management of modifiable risk factors³⁵. For risk of CVD, this would include lifestyle counseling and monitoring for hypertension, diabetes and smoking, which we confirmed are independent risk factors for onset of cardiac disease in survivors of cHL. Given that follow-up is transferred to primary care providers, it is essential that this is communicated to both patient and practitioner. A recent comparison of US survivorship guidelines in lymphoma suggests a wide variation in screening approaches when comparing pediatric and adult recommendations as well as across guidelines³⁵. Pediatric guidelines recommend lifelong surveillance with 2-D echocardiogram for early identification of asymptomatic heart disease dose to prevent or delay disease progression, with screening every 2-5 years based on risk stratification by anthracycline dose and/or mediastinal RT

exposure¹³. No guidelines have been published for AYA and adult survivors, with only expert opinion advocating for surveillance³⁶. Our data would also support extension of echocardiogram surveillance beyond the pediatric age group. Trials are underway in pediatric cancer survivors to evaluate if cardiac remodeling with agents such as carvedilol may reverse or delay progression and symptomatic disease³⁷.

The landscape of treatment of cHL is rapidly changing with the integration of novel therapies into upfront treatment. Brentuximab vedotin (BV)-AVD demonstrated improved PFS and OS compared to ABVD in stage 3/4 cHL³⁸ and more recently, nivolumab with AVD demonstrated superior PFS compared to BV-AVD³⁹. These therapies have improved the cure rates of front-line therapy, reducing the need for RT in subsequent salvage therapy, which likely will further impact CV risk. However, anthracycline exposure will remain, and patients with advanced stage disease will continue to receive at least a cumulative doxorubicin dose of 300 mg/m2. Further, immune checkpoint inhibitors have recently been associated with an increased risk of CVD by worsening atherosclerosis, further highlighting the need for long term data on CVD with newer therapies⁴⁰. Regardless, our data further support the need for refined surveillance strategies, screening guidelines, recommendations for risk factor modification, and counseling for AYA cHL survivors.

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 Table 1: Classical Hodgkin lymphoma case cohort characteristics at diagnosis and treatment history

	N	%
Total	806	
Period of Diagnosis		
Prior to July 1, 2005	484	60.0
After July 1, 2005	322	40.0
Sex	322	
Male	408	50.6
Female	398	49.4
Age at Diagnosis of HL		
16-29 y	527	65.4
≥ 30 y	279	34.6
Diagnosis		3 1.0
Nodular Sclerosing	675	83.7
Mixed Cellularity	55	6.8
Lymphocyte Rich	9	1.1
Lymphocyte Deficient	4	0.5
Not Otherwise Specified	63	7.8
Ann Arbor Stage	03	7.0
	54	6.7
i II	496	61.5
" 	156	19.4
IV	99	12.3
Not available	1	0.1
B Symptoms		0.1
Yes	330	40.9
No	476	59.1
	470	39.1
Bulk ≥10 cm Yes	244	30.3
No	555	68.9
Not available	7	0.9
		0.5
Stage Group Limited	272	33.7
	532	66.0
Advanced Not available	1	0.1
	Т	0.1
IPS Score Group (Advanced Stage Group only)	271	80.0
Low (0-3)	371 46	89.0
High (4-7)	40	11.0
Cumulative Anthracycline Dose (Front-line therapy)	266	45 4
1-299 mg/m2	366 361	45.4
300 mg/m2	63	44.8
>300 mg/m2		7.8
Mediastinal radiotherapy	407	60.4
No	487	60.4
Yes	319	39.6

Radiotherapy Dose		
0 Gy	487	60.4
≤ 35 Gy	273	33.9
> 35 Gy	46	5.7
Mediastinal radiotherapy		
Limited Stage		
No	127	46.7
Yes	145	53.3
Advanced Stage		
No	358	67.3
Yes	174	32.7
Mediastinal Radiotherapy by Period of Diagnosis		
Prior to July 1, 2005		
No	213	44.0
Yes	271	56.0
As of July 1, 2005		
No	274	85.1
Yes	48	14.9
Relapse		
Yes	204	25.3
No	602	74.7
Mediastinal radiotherapy in patients treated for		
recurrence	117	57.4
No	87	42.6
Yes		
Autologous stem cell transplantation		
Yes	95	11.8
No	711	74.7
Diagnosis of Cardiac Comorbidity after cHL Treatment		
Diabetes Mellitus	69	8.4
Hypertension	103	12.7
Trypertension	103	12.7

Table 2: Relative risk of cardiovascular (CV) disease in adolescent and young adult survivors with classic Hodgkin lymphoma (cHL) versus age-, sex- and region-matched population controls

	RR of CV disease			RR of CV disease			
	All Cases			Patients treated with front-line therapy			
				only			
	RR	95% CI	p-value	RR	95% CI	p-value	
cHL survivors (Cases)	2.88	2.19 - 3.78	<0.001	2.26	1.57 - 3.23	<0.001	
Male	1.65	1.30 - 2.08	<0.001	2.01	1.51 - 2.69	<0.001	
Advanced stage	0.98	0.78 - 1.24	0.884	0.91	0.69 - 1.19	0.492	
Era of Treatment After 2005	1.00	0.70 - 1.44	0.981	0.96	0.62 - 1.48	0.840	
Age >30 y at diagnosis	2.27	1.79 - 2.86	<0.001	2.25	1.70 - 2.98	<0.001	
Diabetes	2.33	1.63 - 3.34	<0.001	3.07	2.04 - 4.62	<0.001	
Hypertension	2.82	2.11 - 3.78	<0.001	2.51	1.74 - 3.61	<0.001	
COPD	1.87	1.04 - 3.36	0.037	1.70	0.81 - 3.57	0.164	

Table 3: Multi-regression analysis of relative risk of heart failure (HF) and ischemic heart disease (IHD) in adolescent and young adult survivors with classical Hodgkin lymphoma versus age-, sex- and

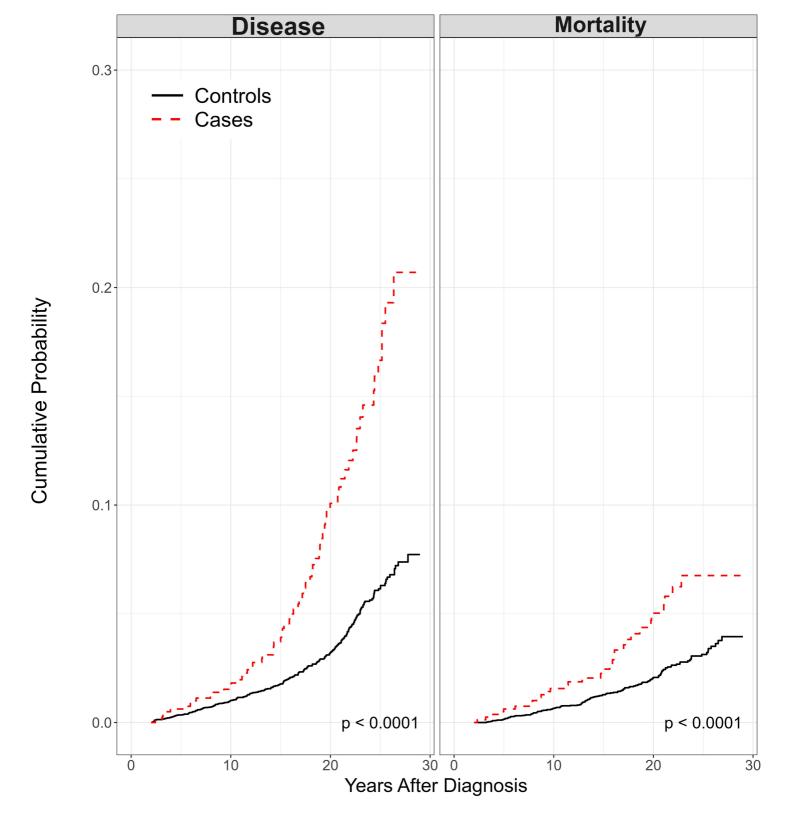
region-matched population controls

	HF			IHD		
	RR	95% CI	p-value	RR	95% CI	p-value
Radiation and	5.77	2.49 -	<0.001	4.00	2.54 -	<0.001
anthracycline <300		13.40			6.32	
mg/m2						
Radiation and	6.40	2.29 -	<0.001	2.84	1.39 -	0.004
anthracycline <u>></u> 300		17.92			5.80	
mg/m2						
No radiation and	5.46	2.28 -	<0.001	1.23	0.53 -	0.624
anthracycline <300		13.08			2.87	
mg/m2						
No radiation and	3.79	1.48 -	0.005	1.57	0.82 -	0.176
anthracycline <u>></u> 300		9.70			3.01	
mg/m2						
Male	1.11	0.70 -	0.649	1.91	1.46 -	<0.001
		1.78			2.50	
Advanced stage	1.19	0.70 -	0.514	1.01	0.77 -	0.916
		2.02			1.33	
Era of Treatment	1.00	0.48 -	0.996	1.13	0.75 -	0.544
After January 1, 2005		2.07			1.70	
Age >30 y at diagnosis	2.40	1.47 -	<0.001	2.31	1.77 -	<0.001
		3.90			3.00	
Diabetes	3.21	1.69 -	<0.001	2.07	1.35 -	<0.001
		6.12			3.16	
Hypertension	3.06	1.77 -	<0.001	2.87	2.05 -	<0.001
		5.32			4.03	
COPD	5.87	2.69 -	<0.001	0.80	0.29 -	0.663
		12.79			2.22	

Figure 1: Cumulative incidence of combined cardiovascular disease and cumulative mortality in 2-year survivors of classical Hodgkin lymphoma relative to age-, sex-, and region-matched controls

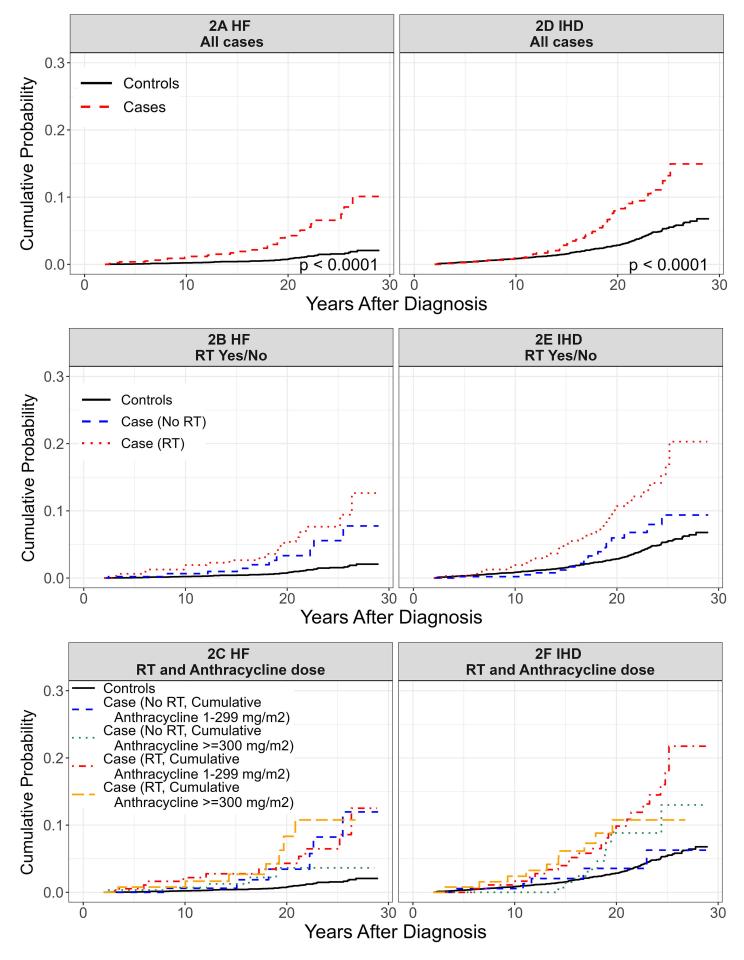
Figure 2: Cumulative incidence of heart failure (HF) and ischemic heart disease (IHD) in all cases and by treatment exposure in 2-year survivors of classical Hodgkin lymphoma (cHL) relative to age-, sex-, and region-matched controls

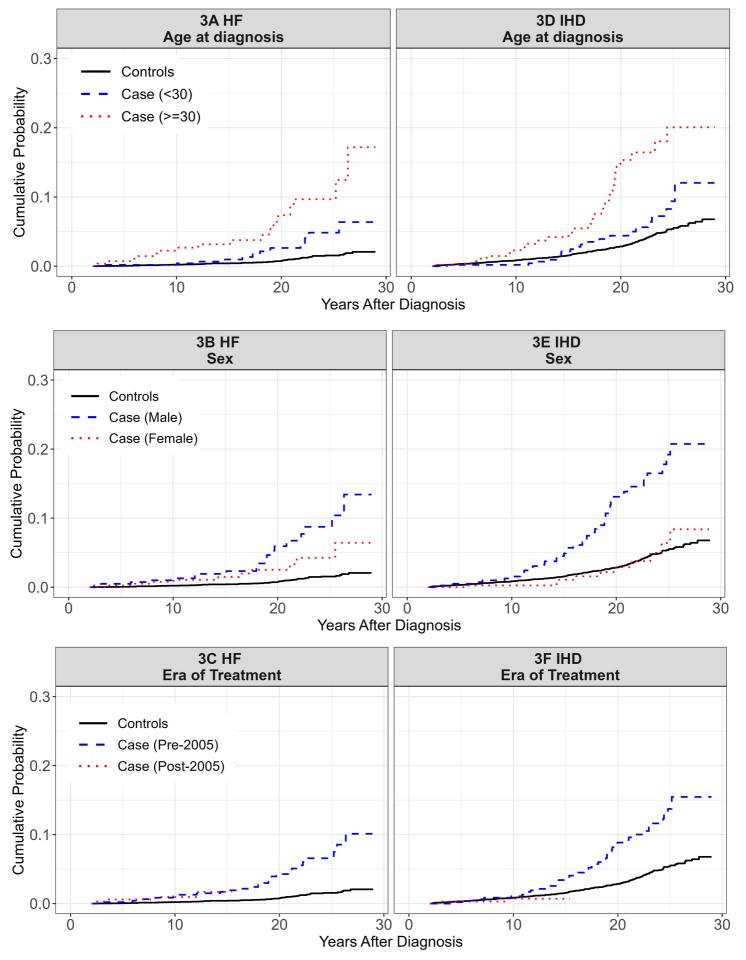
Figure 3: Cumulative incidence of heart failure (HF) and ischemic heart disease (IHD) by subgroup in 2-year survivors of classical Hodgkin lymphoma relative to age-, sex-, and region-matched controls



Numbers at Risk by years since diagnosis of relapse of classical Hodgkin lymphoma

Years	0	7	12	15	17	20
Cases	806	777	589	452	376	252
Controls	8058	7836	5985	4670	4010	2875





Long-term cardiac morbidity in adolescent and young adult survivors of classical Hodgkin lymphoma: the British Columbia experience

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Supplementary Table 1: Chronic Disease Registry (CDR) definitions for diagnosis

Condition	Definition	ICD 9/10 Code
Chronic	One hospitalization or two	J41 Simple and mucopurulent chronic
Obstructive	physician visits in one year, with	bronchitis; J42 Unspecified chronic
Pulmonary	ICD code(s) specified.	bronchitis; J43 Emphysema; J44 Other
Disease		chronic obstructive pulmonary disease;
		491 Chronic bronchitis; 492
		Emphysema; 496 Chronic airways
		obstruction, not elsewhere classified
Diabetes	One hospitalization or two	E10 Type 1 diabetes mellitus; E11 Type
Mellitus	physician visits in one year with	2 diabetes mellitus; E13 Other specified
	diagnostic code(s) specified	diabetes mellitus; E14 Unspecified
	below; or two or more insulin	diabetes mellitus; 250 Diabetes mellitus
	prescriptions in one year; or two	Gestational

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	or more oral antihyperglycemic	
	(not including metformin)	
	prescriptions in one year; or one	
	insulin and one oral	
	antihyperglycemic (including	
	metformin) in one year; or 2	
	metformin prescriptions and 1	
	physician visit in one year with	
	ICD code(s) specified. Cases of	
	suspected gestational diabetes	
	in women aged 10-54 are not	
	included by excluding	
	hospitalizations, physician	
	claims or prescriptions within	
	the time period 120 days	
	preceding or 180 days after	
	hospital records containing	
	birth-related diagnostic codes.	
Heart Failure	One hospitalization or two	I50 Heart Failure; 428 Heart Failure
	physician visits in one year with	
	diagnostic code(s) specified.	
Hypertension	One hospitalization or two	I10 Essential (primary) hypertension;
	physician visits in one year with	I11 Hypertensive heart disease; I12
	diagnostic code(s) specified.	Hypertensive renal disease; I13
		Hypertensive heart and renal disease;
		I15 Secondary hypertension; 401
		Essential hypertension; 402
		Hypertensive heart disease; 403
		Hypertensive renal disease; 404

Hypertensive heart and renal disease; 405 Secondary hypertension **Ischemic Heart** Two physician visits with Angina I20 Angina pectoris; I21 Acute ICD-9 code 413 plus one myocardial infarction; I22 Subsequent Disease prescription (as specified in drug myocardial infarction; I23 Certain list) in one year; or one current complications following acute specialist visit with Angina ICD-9 myocardial infarction; I24 Other acute code 413 plus one prescription ischaemic heart diseases; 125 Chronic (as specified in drug list) in one ischaemic heart disease; 410 Acute year; or two physician visits with myocardial infarction; 411 Other acute two ICD9 410, 411, 412, 413, and subacute forms of ischaemic heart 414 in one year; or 1 disease; 412 Old myocardial infarction; CABG,PCI/PCTA procedure code 413 Angina pectoris; 414 Other forms specified; or one hospitalization of chronic ischaemic heart disease; with any IHD code specified. CCI/CCP Procedure Code Description 1IJ57LA Extraction, coronary arteries using open approach; 1IJ57VS Extraction, coronary arteries using open approach with placement/implant of stent; 1IJ76 Bypass, coronary arteries (endoscopic or open approach); 1U50 Dilation, coronary artery; 1IJ57G Extraction, coronary arteries using percutaneous transluminal arterial approach; 48.11 Aortocoronary Bypass For Heart Revascularization, Unqualified; 48.12 Aortocoronary Bypass Of One Coronary Artery; 48.13 Aortocoronary Bypass Of Two Coronary

Arteries; 48.14 Aortocoronary Bypass
Of Three Coronary Arteries; 48.15
Aortocoronary Bypass Of Four Or More
Coronary Arteries; 48.16 Single
(Internal) Mammary-Coronary Artery
Bypass; 48.17 Double (Internal)
Mammary-Coronary Artery Bypass;
48.19 Single (Internal) MammaryCoronary Artery Bypass; 48.02
Percutaneous Transluminal Coronary
Angioplasty Without Mention; 48.03
Percutaneous Transluminal Coronary
Angioplasty With Thrombolytic

Supplemental Table 2: 20-year cumulative incidence of heart failure and ischemic heart disease in 2-year survivors of classic Hodgkin lymphoma relative to age-, sex- and region-matched controls

	Combined CVD		HF		IHD	
	20-у	95% CI	20-у	95% CI	20-у	95% CI
	cumulative		cumulative		cumulative	
	incidence		incidence		incidence	
Controls	3.2%	2.7-3.7%	0.8%	0.05-0.1%	2.8%	2.4-3.3%
All cases	10.1%	7.2-12.9%	4.3%	2.3-6.2%	8.3%	5.6-11.0%
Mediastinal RT						
Yes	12.0%	7.8-16.2%	5.4%	2.4-8.3%	10.7%	6.7-14.7%
No	8.5%	4.6-12.5%	3.3%	0.8-5.8%	6.0%	2.5-9.4%
Anthracycline dose						
RT Yes, A <300	11.5%	6.4-16.7%	4.3%	1.1-7.5%	9.9%	5.0-14.7%
RT Yes, A <u>≥</u> 300	11.4%	4.6-18.3%	8.3%	1.4-15.3%	10.8%	4.0-17.5%

RT No, A <300	7.0%	1.5-12.4%	3.4%	0-7.5%	3.6%	0-7.3%
RT No, A ≥300	10.9%	4.5-17.2%	3.6%	0-7.3%	8.8%	2.7-14.9%
Stage						
Limited	7.4%	3.5-11.4%	2.0%	0.3-3.8%	6.7%	2.9-10.6%
Advanced	11.3%	7.5-15.1%	5.2%	2.4-8.0%	9.2%	5.7-12.8%
Age at Diagnosis						
<30 y	5.5%	2.9-8.0%	2.6%	0.7-4.5%	4.4%	2.1-6.7%
≥30 y	18.5%	12.1-24.8%	7.4%	3.1-11.6%	15.3%	9.3-21.4%
Sex						
Male	15.1%	10.4-19.7%	5.9%	2.7-9.2%	13.1%	8.6-17.6%
Female	4.6%	1.7-7.4%	2.5%	0.6-4.5%	2.9%	0.5-5.3%

Supplementary Table 3: Multi-regression analysis of relative risk of heart failure (HF) and ischemic heart disease (IHD) in adolescent and young adult survivors with classical Hodgkin lymphoma treated with upfront therapy only versus age-, sex- and region-matched population controls

population controls	HF			IHD		
				1110		
	RR	95% CI	p-value	RR	95% CI	p-value
Radiation and	4.95	1.86 -	0.001	3.03	1.67 -	<0.001
anthracycline <300		13.16			5.47	
mg/m2						
Radiation and	4.63	1.12 -	0.035	2.53	1.02 -	0.045
anthracycline > 300		19.21			6.30	
mg/m2						
No radiation and	3.01	0.68 -	0.146	1.63	0.64 -	0.305
anthracycline <300		13.25			4.16	
mg/m2						

No radiation and	3.75	1.26 -	0.017	0.25	0.03 -	0.166
140 radiation and	3.73	1.20	0.017	0.23	0.03	0.100
anthracycline > 300		11.11			1.78	
mg/m2						
Male	1.60	0.90 -	0.111	2.23	1.59 -	<0.001
		2.85			3.12	
Advanced stage	1.09	0.60 -	0.776	0.96	0.69 -	0.785
		1.98			1.32	
Era of Treatment After	1.18	0.48 -	0.721	1.02	0.62 -	0.932
January 1, 2005		2.87			1.70	
Age >30 y at diagnosis	3.27	1.77 -	<0.001	2.08	1.52 -	<0.001
		6.05			2.86	
Diabetes	5.36	2.67 -	<0.001	2.55	1.54 -	<0.001
		10.76			4.24	
Hypertension	2.44	1.22 -	0.012	2.58	1.68 -	<0.001
		4.89			3.97	
COPD	4.67	1.82 -	0.001	0.65	0.15 -	0.558
		11.97			2.76	