## **Manchester Experimental Cancer Medicine Centre**

\*The Experimental Cancer Medicine Team (ECMT); \*\*The Manchester Centre for Cancer Biomarker Sciences (MCCBS) group





\*The Christie NHS Foundation Trust and The National Institute for Health Research working in partnership within Manchester FCMC

Manchester ECMC supports early phase research from 'bench to bedside' through multi-disciplinary team collaborations across The Christie, University of Manchester (UoM) and Cancer Research UK Manchester Institute (CRUK MI)

# Manchester ECMC metrics (2018) • 1,332 patients consented across disease groups • 1,106 patients enrolled (\*inc non CTIMP) • 115 studies Subgroups and skills within ECMT\* Principal Clinical Trial Data Managers Frincipal Clinical Speciality Collinical Specialit

# Tumour Immunology and Inflammation Monitoring Laboratory\*\* GCP compliant TIIML is up and running, analysing clinical samples

- from the TARGET & TRIBE study (immune characterisation post TKIs and pre immunotherapy)
- IHC assays developed for analysis of T-cell infiltrates and PD-L1 levels in tumour tissue

### Radiation Related Research (RRR)

- The MR-guided linear accelerator at The Christie is 1 of only 7 in the world
- Combining magnetic resonance scanning with anti-tumour radiotherapy
- Early phase trials including biomarker experimental medicine & technology trials are open/planned

### **Training**

MRes Experimental Medicine (Cancer)



- CRUK MI/MCRC/UoM highly competitive PhD Programme
- Christie International Fellowship Programme

### Patient and Public Involvement and Engagement (PPIE)

Manchester ECMC disease groups and cross cutting themes



Patient showcase

**Impact** 





- Utility of ctDNA to support patient selection for early phase clinical trials: the TARGET study (CI, Krebs) - Nature Medicine (April 2019)
- Brentuximab vedotin licensing/NICE adoption (Illidge/Radford)
- Entrectinib filing submitted to FDA/NICE (Krebs)
- SYD985 fast track (Thistlethwaite)