

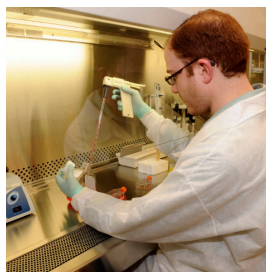
# TRANSLATIONAL LABORATORY SHARED SERVICE

CIBR: Center for Innovative Biomedical Resources

## CORE SERVICES

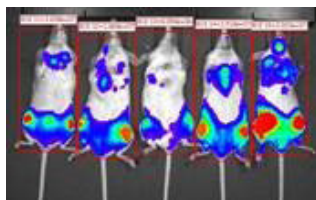
### *In Vitro* Assays

- Mycoplasma testing
- Clonogenic Survival Assays
- IC50 generation
- Cell cycle (propidium iodide)
- Viability (trypan blue exclusion)
- Apoptosis
- Potentiation/Synergy
- ROS
- Western Analysis
- Angiogenesis



### *In Vivo* Assays

- IACUC approved umbrella protocol
- Tolerability
- Tumor Growth
- Patient Derived Xenograft Models
- Pharmacokinetics: generation of plasma
- Efficacy (flank models)
- Efficacy (orthotopic models)
- Pharmacodynamic Endpoints
- Imaging of cells with Xenogen System



### Pharmacodynamic (PD) Endpoints

- in-patient samples, tumor or surrogate tissues, preclinical samples
- Endpoint dependent on target (e.g., ELISA, flow cytometry, Western, unique assay)

## CORE INSTRUMENTATION

- ACEA Xcelligence
- Agilent SeaHorse
- Biotek Synergy HT

## CRISPR SERVICES

<https://www.medschool.umaryland.edu/cibr/Core/CRISPR/>

- Gene Knock out
- Gene editing single nucleotide polymorphism

## MISSION

The University of Maryland Greenebaum Comprehensive Cancer Center Translational Laboratory Shared Service (TLSS) offers pre-clinical and clinical experimental support to basic researchers and physicians in the UMGCCC community. We work in areas across the entire spectrum: cell biology, *in vitro*, *in vivo* and human trials.

## CORE RESOURCES

- Access to >120 human/murine cell lines
- Luciferase-expressing breast, head & neck, leukemia, ovarian and prostate cancer cell lines
- IACUC approved umbrella protocol
- Access/Knowledge in Using Xenogen/IVIS Imaging Mice
- Primary Derived Xenograft Models
  - Breast
  - Head and Neck
  - Leukemia
  - Ovarian
  - Pancreatic (under development)

Access to IRB approved protocol for tissue acquisition

## Clinical Trial Support

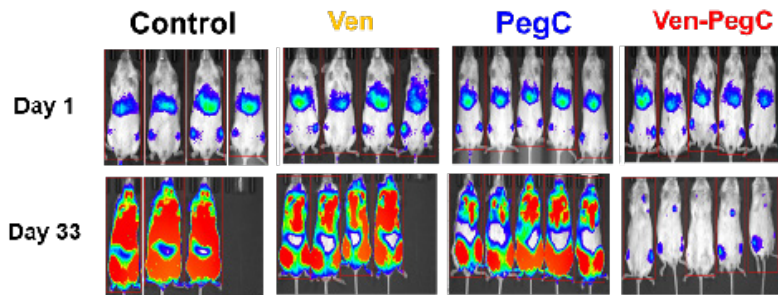
We isolate:

- Plasma
- Serum
- Whole Blood (isolation of PBMC, DNA, RNA, protein)
- Bone Marrow (isolation of marrow cells)
- Staining of isolated lymphocyte cells
  - Coordination with Flow Cytometry Core for analysis
- Exosomes and ct DNA

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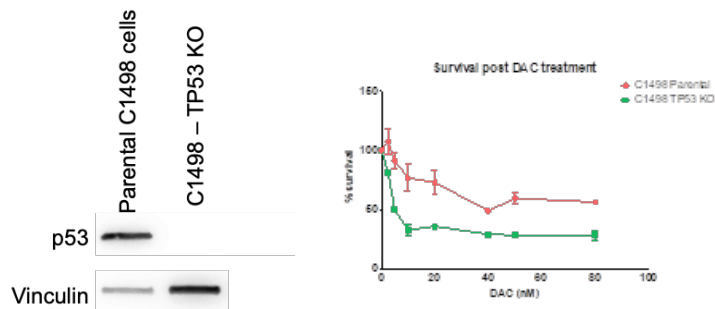
## IN VIVO SERVICES



Combination of BCL2 inhibitor Venetoclax (Ven) and long acting Asparaginase (pegcrisantaspaase or PegC) inhibits leukemia growth in an orthotopic patient derived xenograft (PDX) model of acute myeloid leukemia. NRG mice were injected with  $1 \times 10^6$  AML45-luc-YFP-luc cells (primary cells gift of Drs. Martin Carroll and Alexander Perl, UPENN). After engraftment, mice were treated with vehicle, 75 mg/kg Ven PO 5x/week, 250 IU/kg PegC IV 1x/week or their combination. Mice were imaged weekly on the Xenogen IVIS spectrum in the Imaging Core. Leukemia burden is depicted by color from high to low (red, orange, green, blue). Emadi *et al* Leukemia 35(7): 1907-1924, 2021.

## CRISPR SERVICES

Knock-out of p53 gene by CRISPR CAS9 in murine cell line C1498 increased sensitivity to decitabine. Kogan *et al*, 119(27) PNAS June 2021 epub ahead of print.



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