

BHRC-TC / Investigator Call Summary – March 2004

March 2004 updates from Drs. Irons & Wong:

- Studies operating within approved budget at this point in time
- 26 hospitals now referring cases, including Shanghai Medical University #2 affiliate (7 more than initially planned)
- Approximately 786 cases referred to date, with 759 selected for clinical evaluation
- Fudan clinical laboratory currently operating at full capacity
- Progress facilitated by moving Analytic Chemistry support into clinical lab
- Preliminary diagnosis suggests 100 NHL, 70 AML total cases through 1Q04; case accrual rate slightly higher than predicted
- May need to expand recruitment beyond Shanghai to meet ME Phase 2 goals
- Significant improvement in Exposure Assessment triage as a result of reorganization of exposure personnel
- Exposure Assessment to be featured in mid-year report & Asilomar presentation
- Next Investigator calls scheduled April 26th (Wong) and May 3rd (Irons)