2025 American Thyroid Association management guidelines for adult patients with differentiated thyroid cancer.

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Overview

Guideline Objective

To provide guidelines to assist in the management of adult patients with differentiated thyroid cancer (DTC), emphasizing the patient journey beginning with a thyroid cancer diagnosis

Patient Population

Adult patients (over 18 years of age) with DTC

Recommendations

Recommendation Statements

Major interventions covered in this guideline include:

- Diagnostic assessment, including screening and genetic testing
- Initial management, including preoperative evaluation and staging, considerations for active surveillance, and intra- and post-surgical management
- Long-term and advanced DTC management, including monitoring, follow-up, first- and second-line therapies based on disease stage and risk level, and survivorship concerns
- Consideration for patients with brain metastases or who are pregnant

Note: Full recommendation statements have not been provided because this guideline does not meet EGT's systematic review of the evidence criteria. Refer to the original guideline for more information.

Evidence Rating Scheme

Refer to the original guideline documentation for more information.

Recommendation Rating Scheme

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Related Content

Supporting Documents

- Supplementary Figure 1. Estimated Risk of Structural Recurrence: FTC/IEFVPC.
- Supplementary Figure 2. Estimated Risk of Structural Recurrence: PTC and Subtypes.
- Supplementary Figure 3. Estimated Risk of Structural Recurrence: OTC.

Implementation Tools

No implementation tools available.

Patient Education

No patient education materials available.

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