Literature Search
ARS Appropriate Use Criteria
RT For Bladder Cancer

Literature Search Performed on: 2/12/19
Beginning Date: Any
End Date: Any
Database: PUBMED, EUROPE PMC
Search Strategy: Initial search on 1/18/19. Last search 3/18/19, which did not yield any additional results.

1: bladder cancer[Title] OR bladder carcinoma[Title] (21282)
2: 1 OR transitional cell carcinoma[Title] OR urothelial carcinoma[Title] (28636)
3: 2 AND “invasive” [Title/Abstract]) (7740)
4: 3 AND “radiation[Title/Abstract] OR radiotherapy[Title/Abstract] OR radiation therapy[Title/Abstract] OR chemoradiation[Title/Abstract] OR chemoradiotherapy[Title/Abstract]” (997)
5: limit 4 to English language (901)
6: limit 5 to human subjects) (761)

Notes:
* = focus (limits search to those documents in which the subject heading is considered the major point of the article)
.mp = multi-purpose (retrieves results that have this keyword in several fields)

Literature Search Summary
Beginning with 761 search results, titles were reviewed to exclude grossly irrelevant articles.
122 abstracts were included for review after excluding: small case reports, primary basic science articles, redundant entries, technical descriptions of procedures, editorials, and irrelevant search results. Of 122 abstracts reviewed, 58 were retained for full article review. Abstracts were excluded due to: limited population relevance, poor study design, redundant reviews, or overlapping meta-analyses. Of 58 articles fully reviewed, all were included within the Evidence Table.
By discretion, the authors added 3 citations: Siegel et. al. for epidemiologic background, Hall et. al. for radiobiological background, and a retrospective study by Jiang et al.