

After Cancer Ends: Your Child's Transition from Leukemia Treatment to Follow Up



Balloon Notes

Caring for your child.



Month 1

Months 2 to 6

Months 6 to 12

One year and beyond

You should plan on:

- Continuing with monthly CCBD clinic visits
 - CBC/Labs
 - Meet with your doctor
- Continuing to call CCBD with fever or illness questions
- Having your central line removed
- Meeting with your pediatrician

Your child's medications: They should continue taking Bactrim

Your child's diet : They should eat a balanced healthy diet

Your child's activity: They may continue to feel tired.

- They can start normal activity as soon as they feel able

Going back to school:

- Meet with your child's school to discuss a plan to start back
- They may still have missed days
- They can start back as soon as they feel able

You should plan on:

- Continuing with monthly CCBD clinic visits
 - CBC/Labs
 - Meet with your doctor
- Call your pediatrician with fever or illness questions
- Starting to see hair regrowth if your child lost hair

Your child's medications: They should continue taking Bactrim up to 3 to 6 months off therapy

Your child's diet: They should eat a balanced healthy diet

Your child's activity: Your child will have more energy and feel less tired.

- They can start normal activity as soon as they feel able
- Swimming and exercise are fine

Going back to school:

- The transition may be difficult
- You may need to work with school to help develop a plan if your child is having a hard time

You should plan on:

- Continuing with monthly CCBD clinic visits
 - CBC/Labs
 - Meet with your doctor
- Calling your pediatrician with fever or illness questions (at this point these issues are handled as they would be for any child)

Your child's medications: They can take over the counter medications and/or multivitamin

Your child's diet: They should eat a balanced healthy diet

Your child's immunizations:

- They will begin catching up on missed immunizations
- They may not have to repeat any of their immunizations before cancer treatment

You should plan on:

- Having your CCBD clinic visits spaced out further
 - CBC/Labs
 - Meet with your doctor
 - Assistance with coping and getting back into your families "new normal"
- Having your child's hair fully returned
- Calling your pediatrician with fever or illness questions (At this point these issues are handled as they would be for any child)

Your child's medications: They can take over the counter medications and/or multivitamin

Your child's diet : They should eat a balanced healthy diet

Your child's yearly After Cancer Experience (ACE) clinic visits: These visits begin 2 years off therapy.

- The medical team will monitor for late effects