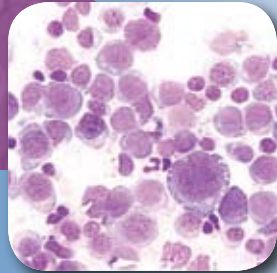


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LEARNING OBJECTIVES

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 - Use of FDA-approved and novel investigational agents
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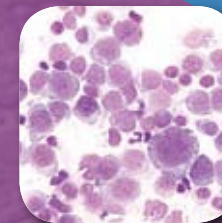
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