

# Lu-177-PSMA-617 (Pluvicto®) Therapy Preparation Information

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## How do I prepare for my Pluvicto® therapy?

- Have your labs drawn (including a complete blood count, comprehensive metabolic panel, and prostate-specific antigen (PSA) test) 10-14 days before your next Pluvicto® appointment. We will mail the paperwork for those labs to you with your confirmed treatment date(s) and time(s).
- Make sure you are very well hydrated (you're drinking lots of fluids). This helps keep your kidneys working well and able to get rid of any extra radiation from your body.
- Continue taking your regular medications, and bring any other medications that you take "as needed" (such as pain medications) to this appointment.
- There are no dietary restrictions for this therapy, so you can eat and drink normally.
- We recommend you have someone else drive you to and from your first Pluvicto® therapy appointment. Nausea and vomiting are uncommon but possible side effects, so it's good to have someone else to drive you in case you don't feel well after your first dose.
- Please bring your Zofran® medication to each Pluvicto® therapy appointment in case you develop any nausea after you leave.
- We recommend checking in with your oncologist before your next Pluvicto® appointment, so they can see how you respond to treatment and address any concerns you have.

## What happens on the day of therapy?

1. When you arrive at the reception area, you will meet the nurse who will take you back to the clinic area.

2. We will take your blood pressure, heart rate, and temperature measurements.
3. You will see a Nuclear Medicine provider, who will review the plan with you.
4. You will review the therapy process and radiation safety precautions with the nurse and Nuclear Medicine technologist.
5. You will go with the technologist to receive your Pluvicto® therapy.

### **Who do I call if I have questions?**

If you have any questions about your Pluvicto® therapy, please call the Michigan Medicine Nuclear Medicine Department at (734) 232-6072.

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