### Guideline Page and Request

**OAO-C 1 of 7**

External request:

Submission from Oncology Nutrition Dietetic Practice Group, Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics recommend the following change for weight loss, “≥5% unintentional weight loss in 1 month or ≥10% in 6 months.” Recommend the following change to OAO-C 6 of 7, “nutrition consult by a registered dietitian/nutritionist” and to include a link to NCI Nutrition in Cancer care (PDQ), which supports the registered dietitian/nutritionist as an integral member of the oncology team in hospital and ambulatory settings.

### Panel Discussion/References

Based on a review of data and discussion, the panel did not use the language proposed in the submission. However, the panel supported adding the following language: “Weight loss (≥5% unintentional weight loss in last 3 months) and anorexia.”

**Change not made**

Based on a review of data and discussion, the panel consensus was to not make changes to the current recommendations because a registered dietitian/nutritionist is not available in every hospital setting.

See Submission for references.

### Institution Vote

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