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DEMOGRAPHICS†

Distribution of Respondent Types (n = 1,778)

- **Physician/Surgeon/Oncologist**: 74%
- **Nurse/Oncology Nurse or Clinical Nurse Specialist**: 11%
- **Physician Assistant or Nurse Practitioner**: 6%
- **Pharmacist**: 3%
- **Other Clinician**: 7%

†Note: Percentages may not total 100 because of rounding.
Q1. Do you treat patients with non-Hodgkin’s lymphoma? (n = 1,520)

- Yes: 48%
- No: 52%
Q2. For a patient with follicular non-Hodgkin’s lymphoma who has relapsed after maintenance therapy with rituximab, what options do you discuss with your patient? (Select all that apply) (n = 687)

- Chemotherapy alone (28%)
- Immunotherapy alone (such as rituximab) (10%)
- Chemotherapy followed by rituximab maintenance (36%)
- Chemotherapy followed by radioimmunotherapy (25%)
- Radioimmunotherapy alone (16%)
- Chemotherapy followed by radiation therapy (30%)
- Radiation therapy alone (16%)
- None of the above (5%)
- Not Applicable or don’t know (11%)
Q3. For a patient with relapsed, follicular non-Hodgkin’s lymphoma, please rate the level of importance of the following variables when selecting a treatment option (1 being the most important to 7 being the least important): †

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<tr>
<th>Variable</th>
<th>Percentage of Respondents</th>
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<tr>
<td>Patient preference (n=591)</td>
<td>27% 19% 16% 12% 12% 8% 6%</td>
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<td>A long treatment free interval (n=597)</td>
<td>32% 24% 10% 8% 7% 10% 8%</td>
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<tr>
<td>Complete response (n=590)</td>
<td>35% 19% 13% 9% 7% 7% 9%</td>
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<td>Guideline recommendations (n=596)</td>
<td>31% 23% 15% 7% 6% 10% 8%</td>
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<td>Treatment pathways followed by your practice (n=586)</td>
<td>15% 23% 19% 13% 12% 12% 5%</td>
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<td>Payer reimbursement to your practice (n=573)</td>
<td>12% 11% 14% 14% 11% 13% 26%</td>
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<td>Patient out-of-pocket cost (n=583)</td>
<td>16% 18% 16% 13% 11% 12% 15%</td>
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