

What to Ask an HAI Provider

During your first appointment with a Hepatic Artery Infusion (HAI) provider, you can use the questions below as a guide to better understand how HAI therapy may apply to your unique situation. For more information about HAI therapy, please visit the Patient Resources section of the Intera Oncology website.



Discussion Questions

Is HAI therapy right for me? If not, why?
If HAI therapy is not right for me now, could it be in the future?
Will my ability to get HAI therapy be affected by previous liver treatments?
If I get HAI therapy, will my ability to get future liver treatments (e.g., ablation, transplant, or clinical trial) be affected?
During HAI pump implantation surgery, will you be doing any other procedures?
How long is the surgery? How is the surgery done? (e.g., open, laparoscopic, or robotic)
What are the risks and benefits of HAI pump implantation surgery?
How long will I need to stay in the hospital after the surgery?
Will I have any restrictions after the surgery?
What will my treatment plan be after the HAI pump is implanted (e.g., systemic chemotherapy in addition to HAI therapy)?
How often will my HAI pump be refilled?
Where will I go for my refills?
Can my local oncologist refill my pump?
Will I have to make lifestyle modifications while living with the pump?
Can I get an MRI with the pump? What are the considerations?
In what situations should I contact your office while living with the pump?
How long will my active HAI pump treatment be?
What will happen after my active HAI treatment ends?



Additional Ouestions or Notes

The information provided here is for general informational purposes only and should not be considered as medical advice. Please consult with an HAI provider to determine your specific treatment plan and talk about the potential risks and benefits of the device.

The Intera 3000 Hepatic Artery Infusion Pump is indicated for the continuous arterial administration of JND Therapeutics Floxuridine for Injection, USP, heparinized saline, and glycerin. The approved labeling for JND Therapeutics Floxuridine for Injection, USP stipulates the indications, contraindications, and warnings for use of the drug in the pump. The Intera 3000 Hepatic Artery Infusion Pump is contraindicated for use in patients with extensive extrahepatic disease or limited hepatic function. Possible adverse events of the pump are those potential risks associated with any implanted drug delivery device and include: catheter thrombosis, bolus path occlusion, vessel thrombosis, pump dislodgement, seroma, or recurrent hematoma, infection, extravasation, catheter shear, dislodgement or leakage, migration, arterial pseudoaneurysm, arterial dissection, and extrahepatic perfusion.

Caution: Federal law (USA) restricts this device to sale by or on the order of a physician. Please review the full safety information at https://www.interaoncology.com/patients-caregivers/hai-therapy/safety-information.