



BOOK LAUNCH 'Drug Management of Haematologic Neoplasms'

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Cancers of blood and related lymphoid systems are also referred to as **Haematologic Neoplasms**. Since the haematological system is disseminated throughout the body, these cancers are also usually disseminated at the time of presentation. For this reason, medical treatment is the predominant modality of their treatment, compared with radiotherapy or surgery.


This book gives the current insight into the molecular pathogenesis of cancer, drugs used in treatment of cancer and their targets or sites of action. It goes ahead to look at each of the cancers in terms of epidemiology, aetiology, pathogenesis, clinical manifestations, diagnosis and treatment.

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Prof. Othieno-Abinya's research interests are in malignant haematology and breast cancer, in which he has published widely, including in peer-reviewed journals. He also has a keen interest in molecular oncology and cancer stem cells.

Prof. Othieno-Abinya is a member of the European Society of Medical Oncology (ESMO), and American Society for Clinical Oncology (ASCO). He is also a member of the Council of African Organization for Research and Training in Cancer (AORTIC), as well as the Scientific Committee of African Journal of Cancer.



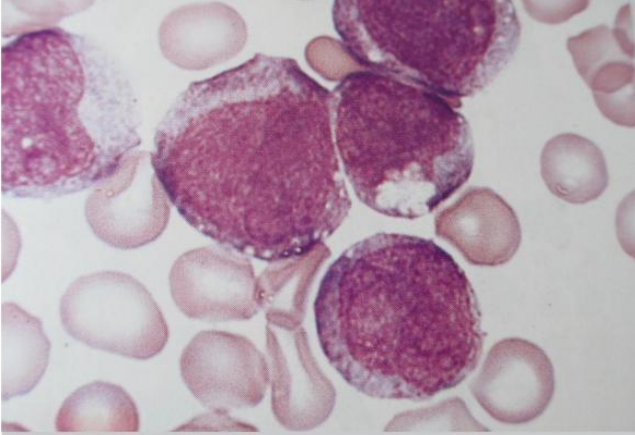
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The University of Nairobi, College of Health Sciences is happy to announce a text book Launch title 'Drug Management of Haematologic Neoplasms by Prof.N.A.Othieno-Abinya of the Department of Clinical Medicine and Therapeutics.

The book was published by Jomo Kenyatta Foundation. The launch will take place in Lecture Theatre III at the College of Health Sciences on Monday, 24th April 2017 at 3.00pm

All are encouraged to attend.

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