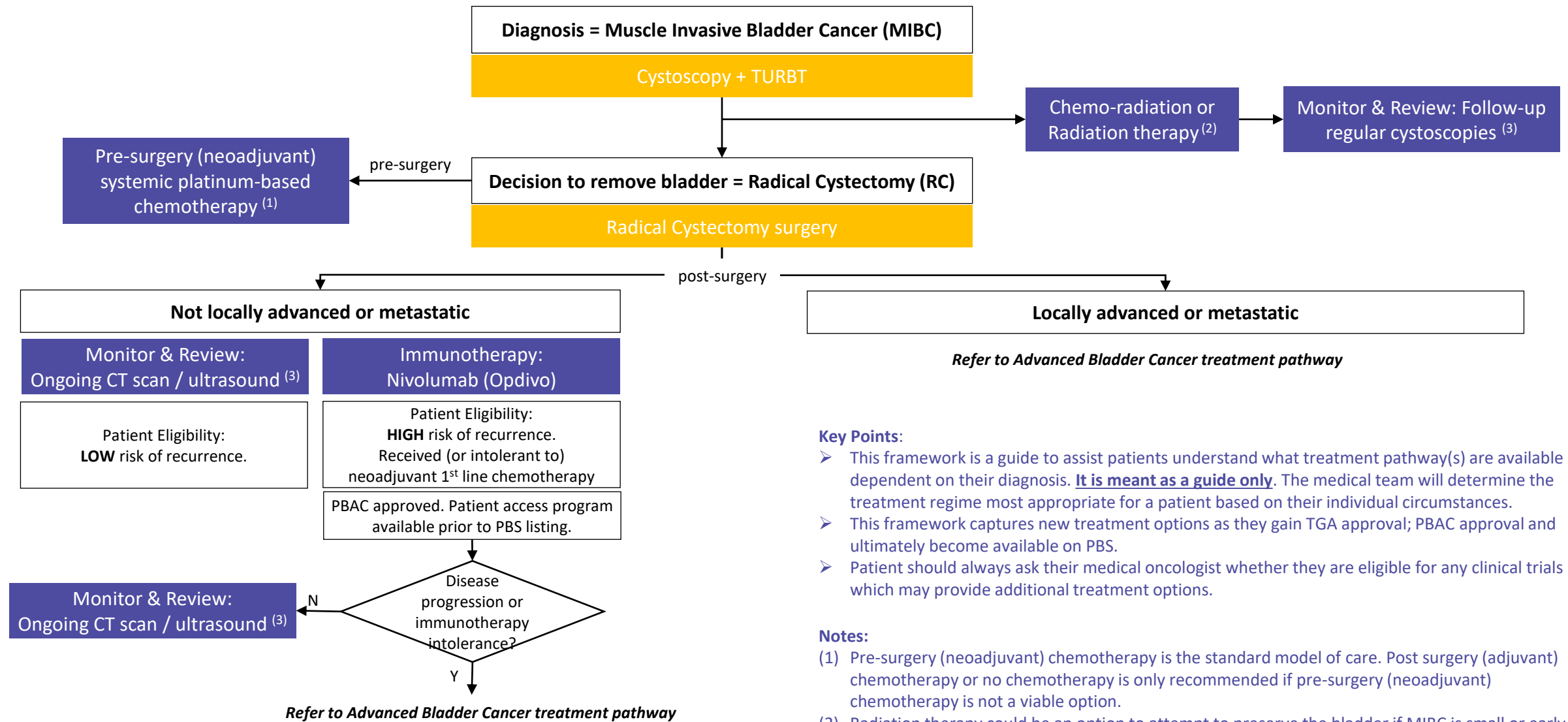


# MIBC Bladder Cancer Treatment Pathway – A Patient Guide



### Key Points:

- This framework is a guide to assist patients understand what treatment pathway(s) are available dependent on their diagnosis. **It is meant as a guide only.** The medical team will determine the treatment regime most appropriate for a patient based on their individual circumstances.
- This framework captures new treatment options as they gain TGA approval; PBAC approval and ultimately become available on PBS.
- Patient should always ask their medical oncologist whether they are eligible for any clinical trials which may provide additional treatment options.

### Notes:

- (1) Pre-surgery (neoadjuvant) chemotherapy is the standard model of care. Post surgery (adjuvant) chemotherapy or no chemotherapy is only recommended if pre-surgery (neoadjuvant) chemotherapy is not a viable option.
- (2) Radiation therapy could be an option to attempt to preserve the bladder if MIBC is small or early stage. Also an option for patients who are unfit for surgery. Use alone or in combination with chemotherapy.
- (3) If tests show disease progression, then refer to relevant treatment pathway of new diagnosis.