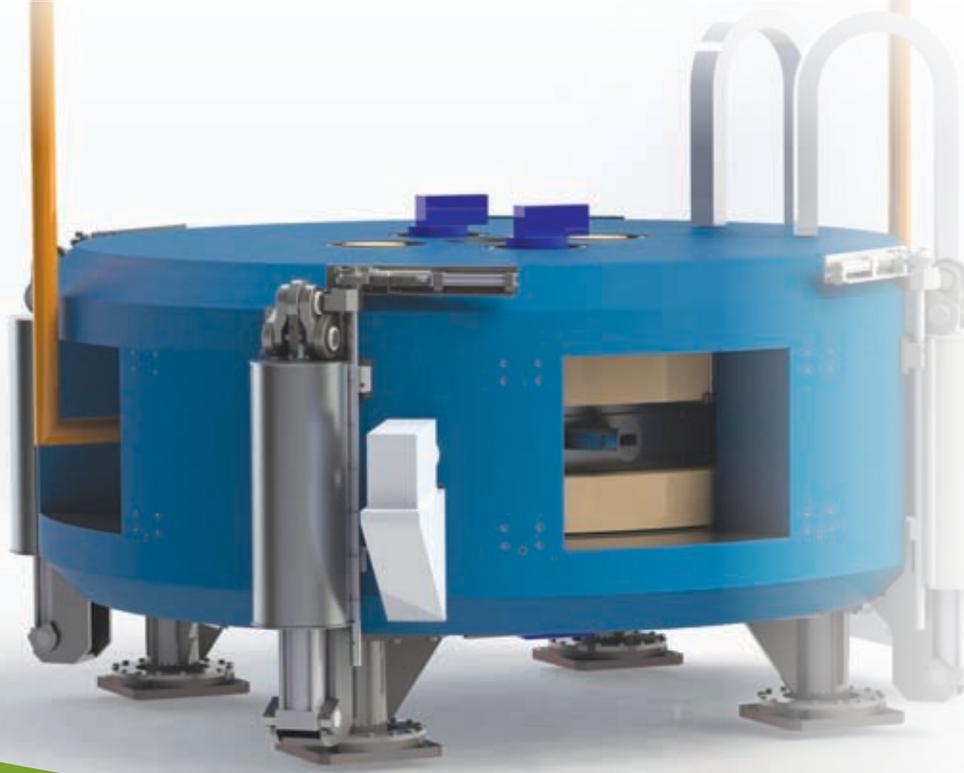
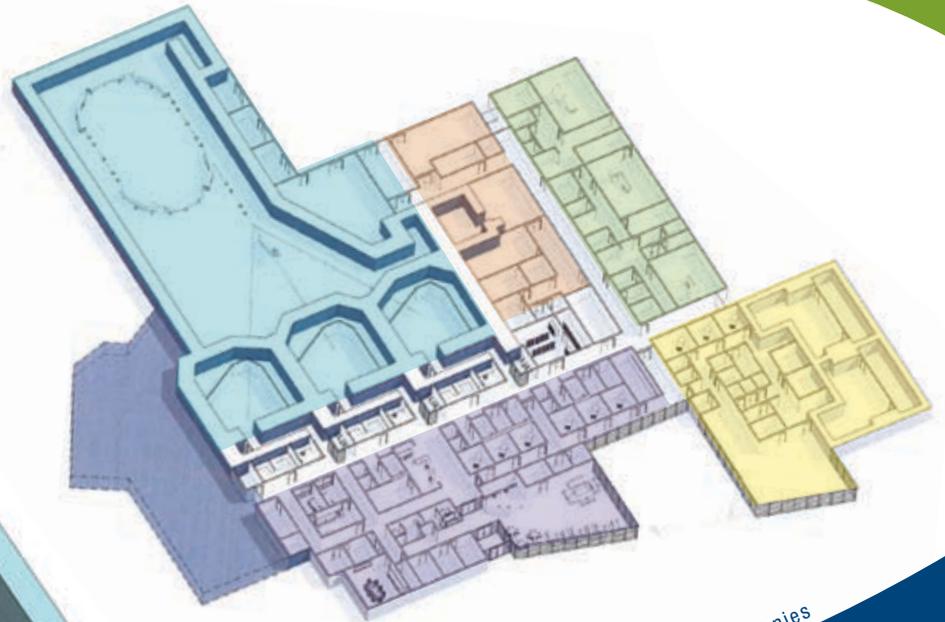
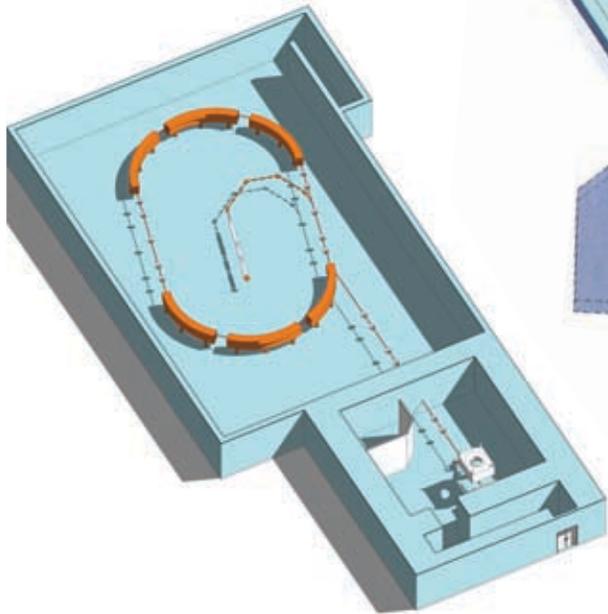


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The Best Family of PET/SPECT/Research Cyclotrons 15, 20u/25, 28u/35 & 70 MeV

TeamBest offers a range of cyclotrons that are designed with the end product in mind, high reliability and low maintenance systems. The important key features of the systems are compatible targetry for production of varieties of isotopes, fully automated multiple extractor foils, cryogenic vacuum systems, stable radio frequency and magnet systems, and external ion sources.

TeamBest provides turnkey systems that not only include a cyclotron specific to your isotope requirements but also targets, automated radiochemistry, infrastructure, operations, and maintenance support. As consistent supplies of radioisotopes become more uncertain, particularly for reactor-supplied isotopes, the Best family of cyclotrons provides a Total Solution™ for the medical community that is less dependent on unreliable sources.

Best Cyclotron Capabilities Summary		
Cyclotron	Energy (MeV)	Isotopes Produced
Best 15	15	F¹⁸, Tc^{99m}, C¹¹, N¹³, O¹⁵, Cu⁶⁴, Ga⁶⁷, I¹²⁴, Pd¹⁰³
Best 20u/25	20–15, 25–15	Best 15 + I¹²³, In¹¹¹, Ge⁶⁸/Ga⁶⁸
Best 28u (Upgradeable)	28–15	Best 15 + I¹²³, In¹¹¹, Ge⁶⁸/Ga⁶⁸
Best 35	35–15	Greater production of Best 15, 20u/25 isotopes plus Tl²⁰¹, Rb⁸¹/Kr⁸¹
Best 70	70–35	Sr⁸²/Rb⁸², I¹²³, Cu⁶⁷, Kr⁸¹ + research

Radioisotope, radiochemical, and radiopharmaceutical production requires targets, chemistry, QC, documentation, and packaging for the radioproducts to be shipped and used. TeamBest has developed this array of radiopharmacy support so that routine steps and protocols may be obtained from TeamBest and its broad base of service and allows rapid deployment of radiochemicals and radiopharmaceuticals after facility commissioning. The cyclotrons and production processes are tailored to each application.



Best Cyclotron Systems vs. Others

Cyclotron System			Targetry & Process Details		Facility Support		OTHER COMPANIES
BEST 15	External ion source (mA)	5					Not available in all systems
	Energy (MeV)	15	liquid	3 cc 150 µA	Facility design	yes	Only higher energy
	Beam current (µA)	>400 (800)	gas	80 µA	Radiation field profiles	yes	Only lower current
	Beam loss in cyclotron	<1%	solid	400 µA or 1000 µA	Certification support	yes	>40% beam loss (internal sources)
	Base vacuum (cryogenic) Torr	<3 x 10 ⁻⁸	transfer	yes	On line performance monitor	yes	> 10 ⁻⁶ Torr (diffusion pumps)
	Magnet and RF stability	< 10 ⁻⁴	Target supply	yes	Radiation field profiles	yes	Not available in all systems
	Beam Stability	< 1%	Radiochemical separation	yes	Certification support	yes	Not available in all systems
	Stripper foil changer	Fully automated multiple foil extractor (22 carbon foils)					0 to 5 carbon foils only
Cyclotron System			Targetry & Process Details		Facility Support		OTHER COMPANIES
BEST 20U/25	External ion source (mA)	5					Not available in all systems
	Energy (MeV)	15–25	liquid	3 cc 150 µA	Facility design	yes	Comparable energy
	Beam current (µA)	>400	gas	80 µA		yes	Only lower current
	Beam loss in cyclotron	<1%	solid	400 µA or 1000 µA	Radiation field profiles	yes	Not available in all systems
	Base vacuum (cryogenic) Torr	<3 x 10 ⁻⁸	transfer	yes	Certification support	yes	> 10 ⁻⁶ Torr (diffusion pumps)
	Magnet and RF stability	< 10 ⁻⁴	Target supply	yes	On line performance monitor	yes	Not available in all systems
	Beam Stability	< 1%	Radiochemical separation	yes	Continental Support centers	yes	Not available in all systems
	Stripper foil changer	Fully automated multiple foil extractor (22 carbon foils)					0 to 5 carbon foils only

Best Cyclotron Systems vs. Others

Cyclotron System			Targetry & Process Details		Facility Support		OTHER COMPANIES
BEST 28U/35	External ion source (mA)	5-10					External/Internal ion source
	Energy (MeV)	15-35	liquid	3 cc 150 μ A	Facility design	yes	Comparable energy
	Beam current (μ A)	>400 to 1000	gas	80 μ A		yes	Not available in all systems
	Beam loss in cyclotron	<1%	solid	400 μ A or 1000 μ A	Radiation field profiles	yes	Not available in all systems
	Base vacuum (cryogenic) Torr	<3 x 10 ⁻⁸	transfer	yes	Certification support	yes	> 10 ⁻⁶ Torr (diffusion pumps)
	Magnet and RF stability	< 10 ⁻⁴	Target supply	yes	On line performance monitor	yes	Not available in all systems
	Beam Stability	< 1%	Radiochemical separation	yes	Continental Support centers	yes	Not available in all systems
	Stripper foil changer	Fully automated multiple foil extractor (22 carbon foils)					0 to 5 carbon foils only
Cyclotron System			Targetry & Process Details		Facility Support		OTHER COMPANIES
BEST 70	External ion source (mA)	8-10					External/Internal ion source
	Energy (MeV)	35-70	liquid	3 cc 150 μ A	Facility design	yes	Comparable energy
	Beam current (μ A)	700-1000	gas	80 μ A		yes	Only lower current
	Beam loss in cyclotron	<1%	solid	400 μ A or 1000 μ A	Radiation field profiles	yes	Not available in all systems
	Base vacuum (cryogenic) Torr	<3 x 10 ⁻⁸	transfer	yes	Certification support	yes	> 10 ⁻⁶ Torr (diffusion pumps)
	Magnet and RF stability	< 10 ⁻⁴	Target supply	yes	On line performance monitor	yes	Not available in all systems
	Beam Stability	< 1%	Radiochemical separation	yes	Continental Support centers	yes	Not available in all systems
	Stripper foil changer	Fully automated multiple foil extractor (22 carbon foils)					0 to 5 carbon foils only

Best 15 MeV Cyclotron Ideal for FDG & Tc-99m Supply



Best 15



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- 15 MeV fixed energy H^- cyclotron
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Isotope Production Capabilities

Best 15 Isotopes

PET

Isotope	Application
Carbon-11	Broad Substitution
Nitrogen-13	Ammonia: blood flow
Oxygen-15	Blood flow, volume, oxygen utilization
Fluorine-18 aqueous	FDG mainly, many others
Fluorine-18 gas	Radiolabeling from gas phase
Copper-64	Integration through chelation chemistry
Iodine-124	Monoclonal antibodies

SPECT

Isotope	Application
Gallium-67	Fe analog, inflammatory lesions
Technetium-99m	Many

Therapeutic

Isotope	Application
Palladium-103	Interstitial implants, brachytherapy

Specifications within are subject to change.

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Best 20u/25 MeV Cyclotron For a Broader Range of Isotopes



Best 20u/25



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- 400 μ A extracted proton beams
- 2 simultaneous extracted beams
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Best 28u/35

Best 28u

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- 2 simultaneous extracted beams
- 4 target positions
- Fully upgradeable to Best 35



Best 35

- 35–15 MeV variable energy H⁻ cyclotron
- 1000 μA extracted proton beams
- 2 simultaneous extracted beams
- Up to 6 independent beam lines and target positions

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Isotope Production Capabilities

Best 20u/25/28u/35 Isotopes	
Isotope	Application
Iodine-123	Low dose imaging agent, replacing I ¹³¹
Indium-111	Blood cell labeling
Gallium-68 (generator)	Blood-brain barrier integrity, tumor localization
Thallium-201	Myocardium functional assessment
Krypton-81m (generator)	Gas for ventilation imaging or in solution for perfusion imaging
Plus all the isotopes the Best 15 can produce	

Best 70 Isotopes	
Isotope	Application
Rubidium-82 (generator)	Diagnosis of coronary artery disease, coronary stenosis, myocardial infarction imaging, viability, collateral function and cardiomyopathy
Iodine-123	Low dose imaging agent, replacing I ¹³¹
Copper-67	Used in radiotherapy by accumulation in tumour tissue using monoclonal antibodies
Krypton-81m (generator)	Used either in gaseous form for ventilation imaging or in solution for perfusion imaging
Research: Physics, chemistry, Radioactive Ion Beam, activation energy, etc.	

Best 70 MeV Cyclotron Ideal for Sr-82/Rb-82 Supply & Research

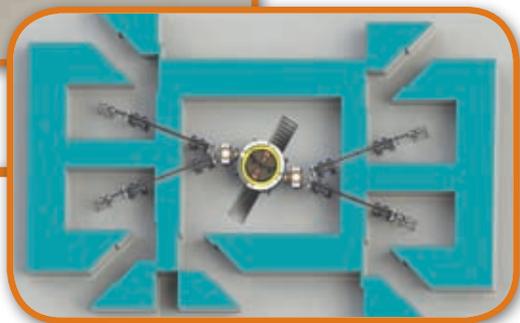


Best 70



Best 70

- 70–35 MeV variable energy H^+ cyclotron
- 700 μA extracted proton beams
- 2 simultaneous extracted beams
- Multiple independent beam lines and target positions



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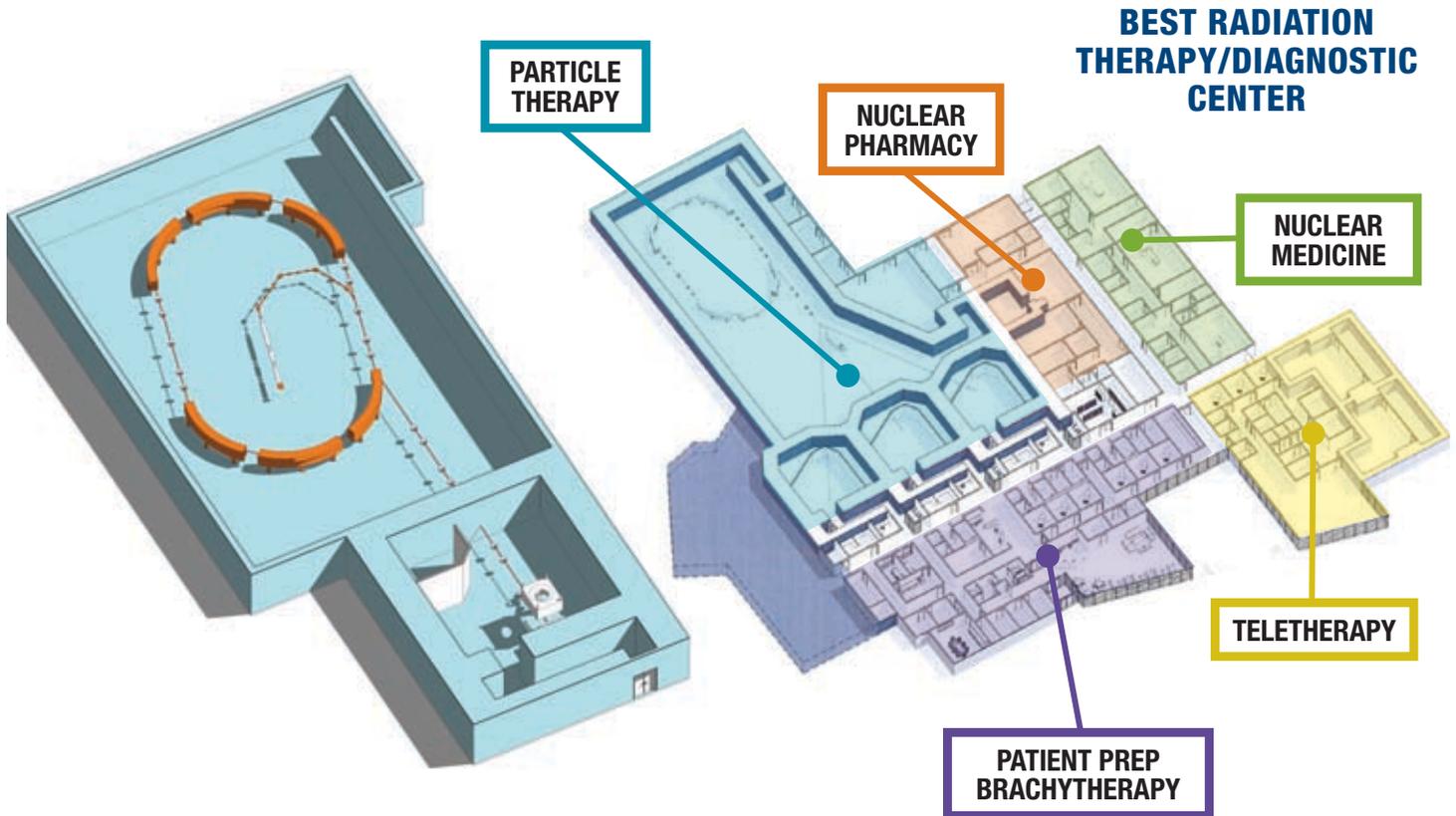


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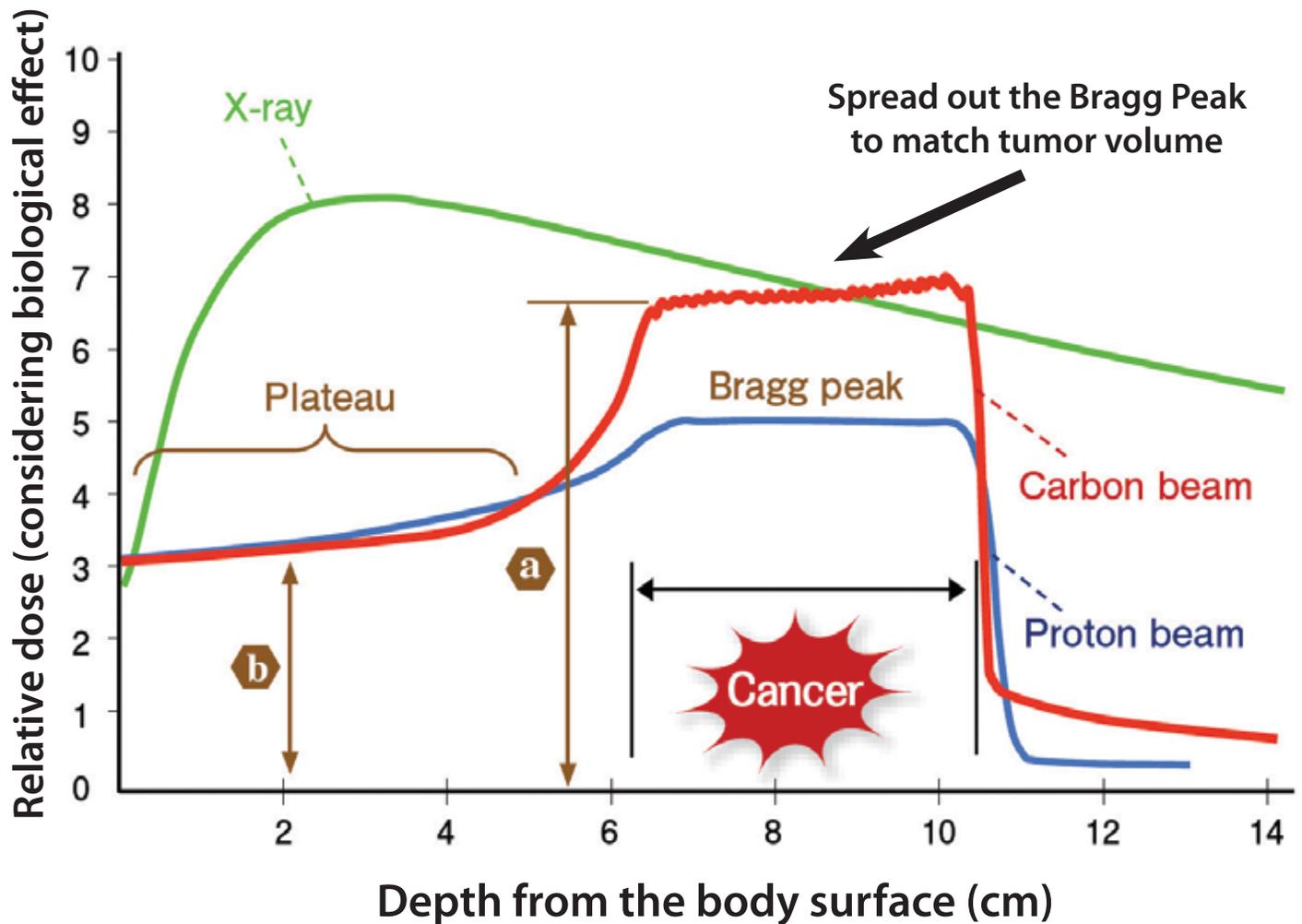
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Clinical Comparison: X-rays • Protons • Carbon Ions

Peak-to-Plateau ratio of the RBE (a/b) is larger in carbon ion beams than for proton beams.



Graph courtesy of Hirohiko Tsujii et al., *Radiological Sciences*, 50(7), 4, 2007

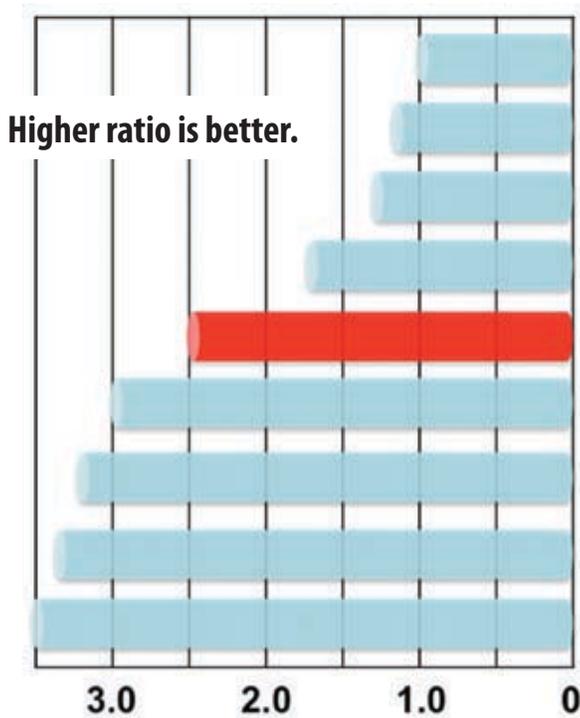
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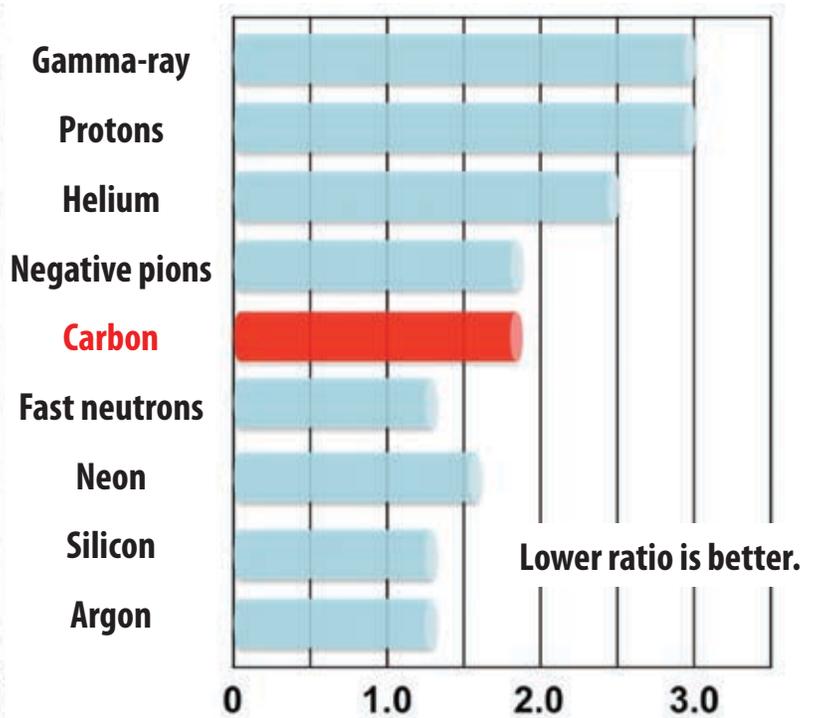


Biological Effectiveness Comparison: Protons • Carbon • Neon

RBE: Relative Biological Effectiveness
OER: Oxygen Enhancement Ratio

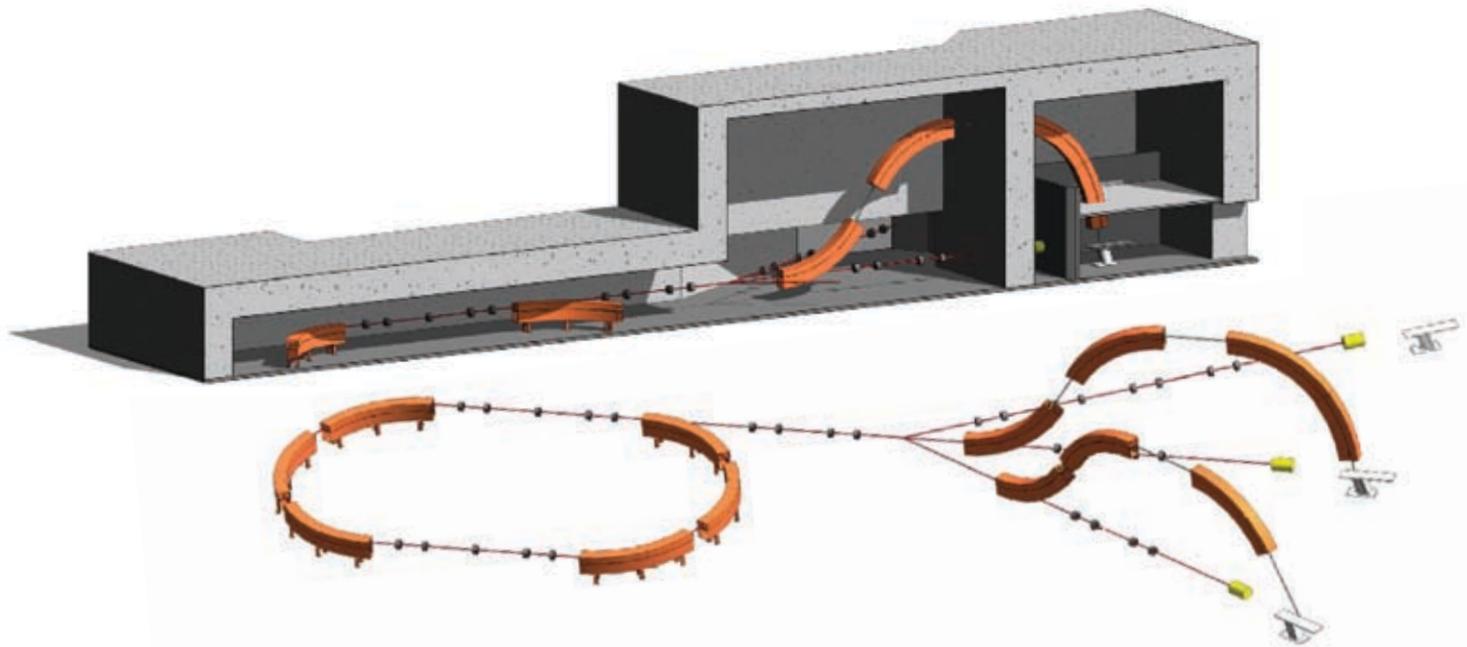


RBE represents the biological effectiveness of radiation in the living body. The larger the RBE, the greater the therapeutic effect on the cancer lesion.



OER represents the degree of sensitivity of hypoxic cancer cells to radiation. The smaller the OER, the more effective the therapy for intractable cancer cells with low oxygen concentration.

Advanced Beam Delivery — Less Shielding



Accelerator Comparison Table

				Maximum Credible Incidence (MCI)	
	Energy Maximum (MeV)	Avg. Current Delivered (nA)	Charge Accelerated (nC/s)	Risk Ratio MCI/Delivered	Shielding (50 mSv/yr Concrete @10.00 m (m))
Protons (206 MeV)					
Isochronous Cyclotron (NC)	230	2	1250	625	2.89
Isochronous Cyclotron (SC)	250	2	313	156	2.44
Synchro Cyclotron (SC)	250	2	1	0.50	0.54
Slow Cycling Synchrotron	250	2	20	10	1.53
Best ion Rapid Cycling Medical Synchrotron (iRCMS)	1200	2	0.133	0.067	0.13

Planning a Carbon Ion Therapy Facility

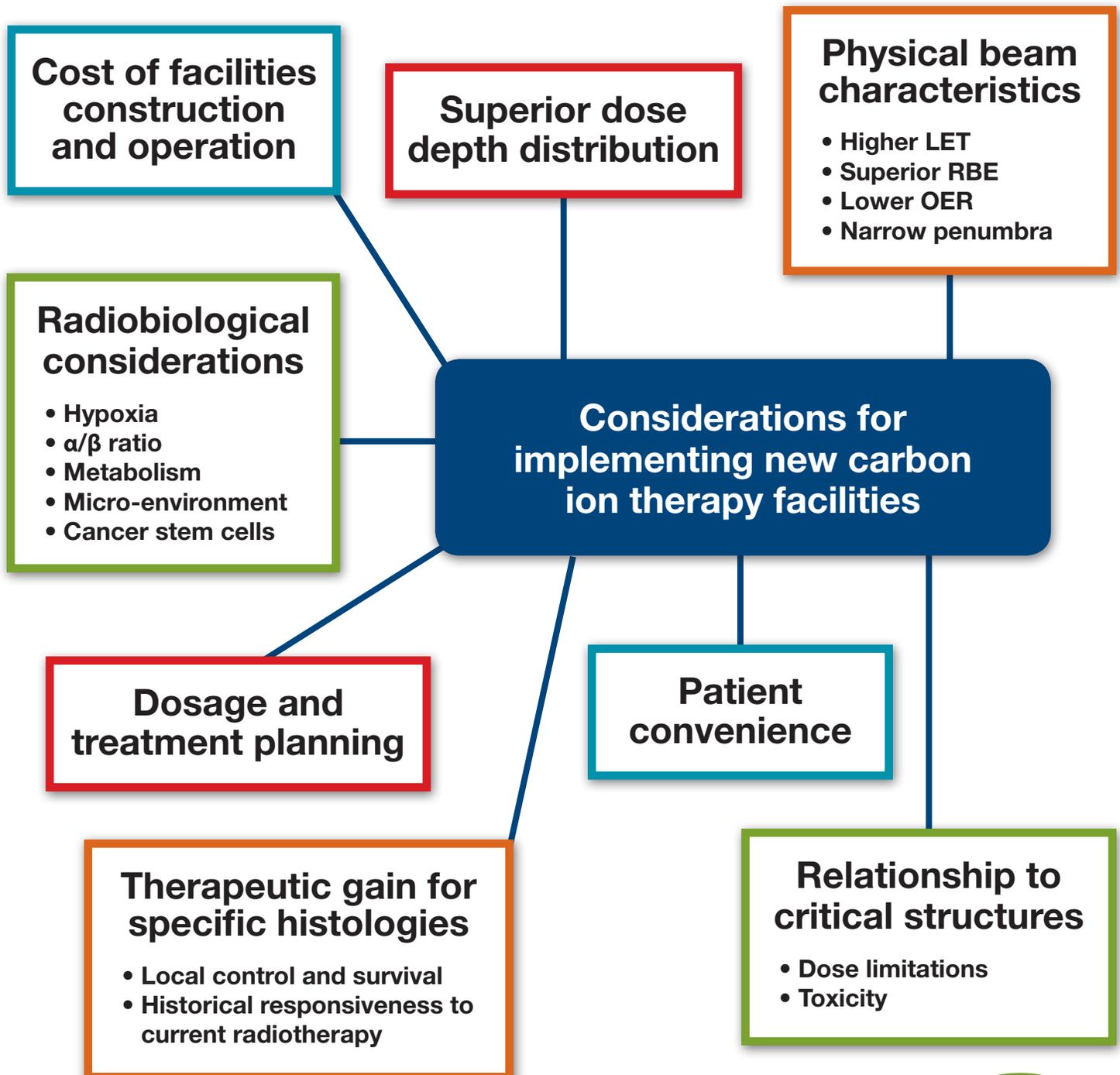


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