



Personalis NeXT Personal® Data Showcasing Ultrasensitive MRD to be Presented at ESMO 2026

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Late-breaking oral presentation highlights the role of ultrasensitive ctDNA in drug development; first data from prospective B-STRONGER-1 study in early-stage triple-negative breast cancer

FREMONT, Calif.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Oct. 21, 2026-- Personalis, Inc. (Nasdaq: PSNL), a leader in advanced genomics for precision oncology, today announced that two oral presentations and two poster presentations featuring its NeXT Personal ultrasensitive circulating tumor DNA (ctDNA) test will be presented at the European Society for Medical Oncology (ESMO) Congress 2026, taking place October 23-27 in Madrid, Spain. Highlights include a late-breaking oral presentation of NeXT Personal data for the C-POST Phase 3 study in cutaneous squamous cell carcinoma, as well as a Rapid Oral presentation from B-STRONGER-1, a prospective, multicenter study evaluating NeXT Personal for detecting molecular residual disease in patients with early-stage triple-negative breast cancer receiving neoadjuvant therapy.

"B-STRONGER-1 builds on our earlier work in triple-negative breast cancer demonstrating the use of ultrasensitive MRD testing for monitoring neoadjuvant therapy response," said **Richard Chen, MD, President and Chief Medical Officer of Personalis**. "We are also excited to see NeXT Personal data presented from biopharma in new indications like cutaneous squamous cell carcinoma as we continue to expand evidence around NeXT Personal for a broad range of solid tumors."

Presentation Schedule

Late-Breaking Oral Presentation

- **Title:** *C-POST phase 3 trial of adjuvant (adj) cemiplimab (cemi) vs placebo (pbo) for high-risk cutaneous squamous cell carcinoma (CSCC): Updated overall survival (OS) and outcomes from circulating tumour DNA (ctDNA) analyses*
- **Presenter:** Danny Rischin, M.D.; Peter MacCallum Cancer Centre
- **Abstract:** LBA59 | **Session:** Rapid Oral - Melanoma and Other Skin Tumours
- **Time:** Sun, 10/25/2026, 10:42 - 10:47 CET
- **Location:** Granada Auditorium - Hall 4

Rapid Oral Presentation – B-STRONGER-1

- **Title:** *Ultrasensitive monitoring of early ctDNA dynamics during neoadjuvant treatment in early-stage triple-negative breast cancer: Pre-interim results from the B-STRONGER-1 study*
- **Presenter:** Carlos Barcenas, M.D.; The University of Texas MD Anderson Cancer Center
- **Abstract:** 540RO | **Session:** Rapid Oral - Breast Cancer, Early Stage
- **Time:** Fri, 10/23/2026, 16:42 - 16:47 CEST
- **Location:** Alicante Auditorium - Hall 6

Poster Presentations

- **Title:** *Ultrasensitive ctDNA kinetics predict early immunotherapy response and complement radiographic assessment in advanced cancer.* (UC San Diego). **Abstract #** 4280P | **Session:** Translational Research and Biomarkers | **Time:** Fri, 10/23/2026, 15:15 - 16:00 CEST | **Location:** Poster Area - Hall 5
- **Title:** *Circulating tumour DNA (ctDNA), cancer antigen 125 (CA125) and human epididymis protein 4 (HE4) associate with survival outcomes in patients with platinum-resistant ovarian cancer (PROC) treated with ubamatamab (uba).* (Yonsei University Health System). **Abstract #** 1957P | **Session:** Investigational Immunotherapy | **Time:** Sat, 10/24/2026, 12:00 - 12:45 CEST | **Location:** Poster Area - Hall 5

About Personalis, Inc.

At Personalis, we are transforming the active management of cancer through breakthrough personalized testing. We aim to drive a new paradigm for cancer management, guiding care throughout the patient journey. Our highly sensitive assays combine tumor-and-normal profiling with proprietary algorithms to deliver advanced insights even as cancer evolves over time. Our products are designed to detect minimal residual disease (MRD) and recurrence at the earliest timepoints, enable selection of targeted therapies based on ultra-comprehensive genomic profiling, and enhance biomarker strategy for drug development. Personalis is based in Fremont, California. To learn more, visit www.personalis.com and connect with us on [LinkedIn](#) and X ([Twitter](#)).

Forward-Looking Statements

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