This week in therapeutics

Indication	Target/marker/pathway	Summary	Licensing status	Publication and contact information
Cancer				
Prostate cancer	O-Linked N-acetylglucosamine transferase (OGT)	<p>Mouse studies suggest inhibiting OGT could help treat prostate cancer. In a mouse xenograft model of prostate cancer, small hairpin RNA against OGT decreased bone metastasis compared with control shRNA. Next steps include identifying OGT inhibitors.</p> <p>SciBX 5(6); doi:10.1038/scibx.2012.153 Published online Feb. 9, 2012</p>	Patented; available for licensing and partnering	<p>Lynch, T.P. <i>et al. J. Biol. Chem.</i>; published online Jan. 24, 2012; doi:10.1074/jbc.M111.302547 Contact: Mauricio J. Reginato, Drexel University College of Medicine, Philadelphia, Pa. e-mail: mauricio.reginato@drexelmed.edu</p>