

## TRONEX HERBAL NOTES

for patients & practitioners



# Yun Zhi

Oncozac® offers a new generation of Yun Zhi (Coriolus versicolor) extract with USP-verified, proven absorbable peptidoglucan (APG) which is scientifically demonstrated to stimulate white blood cells, bone marrow cells and macrophages to boost immunity after oral administration.

#### **Cancer Patients**

The effectiveness in use of Yun Zhi in cancer patients has been recently documented with tremendous demonstrated success. Coriolus versicolor (also known as Turkey Tail) is the most well-studied medicinal mushroom in the world. This leathery, thick mushroom shows concentric zones of different colors and typically grows in tiled layers. While eating the mushroom itself has no known benefit, extracts derived from the fungus have shown promise in adjunct use for patients receiving chemotherapy and radiation therapy.

The specific process used in extracting the mushroom polysaccharide is important, and Oncozac® uses a proprietary extraction method and freezedrying process to ensure that active ingredients are not damaged during manufacturing and remain readily absorbable by the body for optimal effects. Oncozac is cGMP compliant, subject to rigorous testing and quality control, to help ensure consistency in quality and efficacy. Oncozac Yun Zhi is a 100% USP Verified Dietary Ingredient.

"The findings show that Yun Zhi results in significant survival advantage compared with standard conventional anti-cancer treatment alone. Of patient randomized to Yun Zhi, there was a 9% absolute reduction in 5-year mortality, resulting in one additional patient alive for every 11 patients treated. In patients with breast cancer, gastric cancer, or colorectal cancer treated with chemotherapy, the effects of the combination of Yun Zhi preparation on the overall 5-year survival rate was more evident..."

#### References

Efficacy of Yun Zhi (Coriolus versicolor) on survival in cancer patients: systematic review and meta-analysis.Eliza WL, Fai CK, Chung LP. http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/22185453



### **Common Uses for Yun Zhi**

Stimulate immune system, white blood cells, bone marrow cells and macrophages in people undergoing chemotherapy and/ or radiation. It is also used for potential preventive measures to help slow cancer and help improve quality of life.

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