

**chemotherapy**

[,ki:məv|'θerəpi, ,kɛməv{'θerəpi}-] *n* *мед.*  
химиотерапия

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

**chemo·ther·apy** f250 [**chemotherapy**] *BrE* [ˌkiːməθerəpi] *NAmE*

[ˌkiːməθerəpi] (*also* informal **chemo**) *noun uncountable*

the treatment of disease, especially cancer, with the use of chemical substances

- a course of chemotherapy

**compare** ↑radiation, ↑radiotherapy

See also: ↑chemo

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[**Date:** 1900-2000; **Origin:** chemo- '*chemical*' (from Modern Latin, from Late Greek chemeia '*alchemy*', probably from chyma '*liquid*', from chein '*to pour*') + therapy]

the use of drugs to control and try to cure ↑cancer ⇒ radiotherapy

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