3b. Your preferences

You have read the information about the treatment options. Your personal feelings are just as important as the medical facts.

Think about what matters most to you in this decision. Show how you feel about the following statements by moving the blue dots on the slider scale.

| Reason for: Surgery | Reason for: Radiation therapy |
|---------------------|------------------------------|
| I want all tumour cells to be removed from my body | I want all tumour cells to die and stop growing |
| More important | Equally important | More important |
| I find bowel problems are worse than incontinence | I find incontinence is worse than bowel problems |
| More important | Equally important | More important |
| I feel reassured that I can still have radiation if surgery is not sufficient | I find it acceptable that surgery is more difficult after radiation therapy |
| More important | Equally important | More important |
| I don't feel anxious about surgery | I feel anxious about surgery |
| More important | Equally important | More important |