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Advanced Technologies in Medical Image Processing and Analysis

Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue (SI) will show the recent progress of AT research in medical image analysis and clinical applications. It will also discuss the existing problems in the field and provide possible solutions and future directions. More specifically, it will highlight state-of-the-art clinical applications that include four major human body systems: the nervous system, the cardiovascular system, the digestive system, and the skeletal system. Overall, according to the best available evidence, deep learning models perform well in medical image analysis; however, algorithms derived from small-scale medical datasets that impede clinical applicability cannot be ignored. Future directions could include federated learning, benchmark dataset collection, and utilizing domain subject knowledge as priors. In conclusion, recent advanced deep learning technologies have achieved great success in medical image analysis due to their high accuracy, efficiency, stability, and scalability. Technological advancements that can alleviate the high demands on high-quality, large-scale datasets could be a future development in this area.

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