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Gastric Cancer: From New Molecular Insights to Innovative Robotical Approaches

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This Special Issue aims to collect all new molecular evidences focusing on the heterogeneous biology of gastric cancer, especially evaluating the genetic and prognostic discrepancies between Asian and Caucasian populations. *Helicobacter pylori* infection, lifestyle, and diet habits are well established gastric cancer risk factors, but still remain to be defined if any different genetic cause is in relationship between the divergent clinical presentation between Eastern and Western populations. It is in fact well known that gastric cancer in Eastern countries is always diagnosed at earlier stages than in Western ones. Such discordances reflect not only a probable different molecular behavior but also different clinical approaches. The possibility to better define gastric cancer genetics differences plays a pivotal role, as it can lead to earlier stage diagnosis and to higher possibility of minimally invasive treatments such as robotic surgery.



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