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Implementation of New Imaging Techniques, Biomarkers and New Treatments in Prostate Cancer

Message from the Guest Editors

We are living in an era of unprecedented development in prostate cancer, both in the diagnosis of the disease with the introduction of multiparametric magnetic resonance imaging and positron emission tomography (PET) with new radiotracers (PSMA, fluciclovine, etc.), as well as with the implementation of molecular biomarkers (serum and urinary markers, genomic classifiers, genes associated with alterations in DNA repair, mismatch repair, etc.) which have diagnostic and prognostic implications that can allow us to personalize the treatment for our patients. The number of therapeutic options for castration-resistant and metastatic prostate cancer has substantially increased over the last few vears. The traditional treatment for these patients (i.e., androgen deprivation therapy) is now considered suboptimal. Moreover, in patients with oligometastatic disease or low tumor burden, metastasis-directed therapy combined with systemic treatments is another area of growing interest. This Special Issue aims to explore the technological and therapeutic advances that already have a clinical use or that can transform the diagnostic and treatment paths of prostate cancer in the coming years.

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