

Special Issue

Endoscopic Diagnosis and Treatment in Hepato-Pancreato-Biliary (HPB) Cancers

Message from the Guest Editors

The endoscopic diagnosis and treatment of hepato-pancreato-biliary cancers have seen significant progress in recent years. These procedures are primarily performed using endoscopic retrograde cholangiopancreatography (ERCP) and interventional endoscopic ultrasonography (EUS). The ERCP technique has a long history but is continuing to evolve with advancements in devices. Interventional EUS serves both diagnostic purposes, such as EUS-guided fine-needle aspiration (FNA) and contrast-enhanced EUS, and therapeutic purposes, including EUS-guided drainage. The development of interventional EUS has significantly transformed strategies for the endoscopic diagnosis and treatment of hepato-pancreato-biliary cancers. It is crucial to evaluate and summarize the current state of endoscopic diagnosis and treatment in hepatopancreatic and biliary cancers and to identify future challenges. This Special Issue will highlight the latest advances in these areas, assessing the usefulness of new techniques and equipment developments, as well as the current role of long-standing methods.

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