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Innovative Immunotherapies: CAR-T Cell Therapy for Cancers: 2nd Edition

Message from the Guest Editor

Immunotherapy harnesses the power of the immune system to recognize and attack cancer cells. Innovative immunotherapies, such as CAR-T, have shown advantageous outcomes in various cancer types. By modifying a patient's T cells, CAR-T targets specific antigens in cancer cells. This precision targeting allows for a particular attack on cancer cells while minimizing damage to healthy cells. However, it is important to note that CAR-T therapy has some difficulties and challenges; for example, it can be associated with significant side effects, including cytokine release syndrome and neurotoxicity. Improving CAR-T involves better target selection, higher potency, longer persistence, and overcoming resistance mechanisms that are employed by cancer cells to evade/escape the immune system. In this Special Issue, we will encourage novel approaches and perspectives of CAR-T cell therapy for cancers.

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