

## Special Issue

# Management of Vulvar Cancer

### Message from the Guest Editors

Vulvar cancer (VC) is a rare malignancy, accounting for an estimated 5.6% of all gynecologic malignancies and 3.7% of gynecologic cancer deaths. Ninety percent of primary VCs are squamous cell carcinoma (SCC), while other rare histologies include Bartholin gland adenocarcinoma, melanoma, extra-mammary Paget's disease, verrucous carcinoma, basal cell carcinoma, and sarcoma. Risk factors for the development of vulvar neoplasia include old age, human papillomavirus infection, cigarette smoking, inflammatory conditions, and immunodeficiency. A surgical and reconstructive treatment approach has so far been a cornerstone of the different strategies at both initial and advanced stages. Significant advances have been made over time in pre-operative work-up and surgical planning, turning from 'en-bloc' surgery, which is burdened by the highest morbidity, to more conservative approaches without compromising oncologic safety. Moreover, the integration with other treatments, such as radio-chemotherapy, brachytherapy, or electrochemotherapy, has improved overall clinical outcomes, allowing for additional opportunity even in cases unsuitable for upfront surgery.

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