Special Issue

Molecular Biology in Glioblastoma Multiforme Treatment

Message from the Guest Editor

Glioblastoma multiforme (GBM, glioblastoma) therapy remains an unmet medical need. Glioblastoma is characterized by aggressive, chemo-resistant, and relapse-prone behavior, all of which are mainly attributed to its remarkable intra-tumor molecular heterogeneity, which makes it difficult to eradicate, even by means of targeted therapies, which are typically able to eliminate only a percentage of cancer cells, thus increasing the chance of relapse and drug resistance. For these reasons, it is crucial to explore in depth the bio-molecular features of this disease, turning our attention towards those common traits that could involve the majority of the glioblastoma cell population, such as energy metabolism requirements, signal transduction pathways, the stability of the mitotic apparatus, immunological features, and, finally, neurotransmitter-mediated interplay between glioblastoma cells and neurons/astrocytes.

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- energy metabolism
- tumor immune microenvironment
- neurotransmitters

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