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In recent years, we have witnessed remarkable progress in the diagnosis of biliary–pancreatic disorders thanks to advances in endoscopic procedures and image diagnosis (e.g., CT, MRI, EUS, ERCP, cholangioscopy, and pancreatoscopy). The diagnosis of early biliary–pancreatic cancer is a pressing issue, and the aforementioned techniques can increase the chances of early biliary–pancreatic cancer detection; however, there are still significant gaps in our knowledge in relation to the follow-up period and key findings. Advances in endoscopic devices including the EUS-FNA needle can improve the accuracy of malignant disease diagnosis and help us to obtain large tissue samples for next-generation sequencing. Tissue sampling under ERCP is not sufficient; however, new devices and methods can improve the diagnostic accuracy of histological and cytological diagnosis.

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