Special Issue

Polymer Hydrogels for Cancer Therapy

Message from the Guest Editors

The Special Issue on 'Polymer Hydrogels for Cancer Therapy' is dedicated to recent advancements in the synthesis, fabrication, characterization, and use of polymer-based hydrogels for cancer research. With a focus on cancer treatment, post-surgery tissue regeneration and disease modelling, a broad range of topics from fundamentals, physicochemical and biological characterization, and applied aspects will be discussed. This includes polymeric hydrogels as drug delivery systems, in vitro and in vivo cancer models, and personalized medicine platforms. Since it is impossible to cover all aspects of hydrogels for cancer science in one issue, this Special Issue will contain only the best representative, high-quality, examples that bridge multiple research gaps in the field, in the hope to stimulate new research in polymer hydrogels for cancer research.

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