

Special Issue

Oral Cancer and Disease in Humans and Animals

Message from the Guest Editors

The increase in the mean life expectancy of humans as well as companion animals probably contributes to a higher incidence of neoplasms, with oncological disease today representing a major cause of death; however, there are important gaps in the knowledge of and subsequent interventions in these neoplasms, including many factors, such as the late diagnosis of neoplastic lesions and a lack of treatment options, that contribute to the poor survival of these patients. From this point of view, the molecular study of tumors and the search for molecules with prognostic value (cancer biomarkers, molecular diagnostics, immunotherapy, etc.) can open doors for a specialized characterization of tumors of each human or companion animal patient and better prognoses. This Special Issue is interested in the molecular pathology of oral carcinogenesis (including head and neck neoplasms) in human and veterinary patients that might contribute to an increase in the knowledge on oral oncology.

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