

## Special Issue

# Recent Advances in Gastrointestinal Tract Oncology: Pathology, Diagnostics and Therapy

### Message from the Guest Editors

Gastrointestinal tract cancers pose a significant public health challenge globally, and their incidence is constantly increasing. We suffer from colon cancer more often, but the number of liver cancer cases is also increasing. At the same time, three cancers of the gastrointestinal tract, pancreatic cancer, gallbladder cancer, and liver and intrahepatic bile duct cancer, were placed on the list of the ten most lethal cancers by the American Society of Oncology (ACS). The molecular aspects of gastrointestinal cancers are the subject of intense research, which may lead to generating a better understanding of the genetic changes and molecular pathways associated with gastrointestinal cancers, facilitating the development of targeted therapies and personalized therapeutic approaches, contributing to improving patient outcomes, greater diagnostic accuracy, and a better overall survival rate. In this Special Issue, we present original research and literature reviews discussing various aspects of the pathology, diagnosis, and therapy of gastrointestinal cancer.

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