Special Issue

Chronic Liver Disease and Hepatocellular Carcinoma—2nd Edition

Message from the Guest Editors

Chronic liver disease of different aetiologies represents a major risk factor for the development of hepatocellular carcinoma (HCC). Since about 80% of patients develop HCC as consequence of chronic liver disease and cirrhosis, many studies are focusing on unravelling the molecular mechanisms responsible for its development and progression in order to find new therapeutic targets and predictive marker of its prognosis that could prevent the progression of chronic disease to cancer.

This Special Issue aims to provide new insights on novel molecular targets, therapeutic options, and/or biomarkers which could be helpful in preventing the progression of chronic liver disease to HCC and that could potentially be exploited in clinical development. Studies investigating naturally derived materials are also welcome, even though they must report a precise description of the active ingredients of the plant extract.

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