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Advances in Primary Sclerosing Cholangitis: Pathogenesis, Diagnosis and Emerging Therapies

Message from the Guest Editors

Primary sclerosing cholangitis (PSC) is a chronic cholestatic liver disease characterized by progressive inflammation and fibrosis of the bile ducts, leading to biliary cirrhosis, liver failure, and an increased risk of cholangiocarcinoma. Despite extensive research, the pathogenesis of PSC remains incompletely understood, and effective therapies are lacking. This Special Issue aims to explore recent advances in the understanding of PSC, including genetic and immunological mechanisms, microbiome interactions, and novel diagnostic biomarkers. We also welcome studies on emerging therapeutic strategies. Contributions may include original research and reviews that provide new insights into disease mechanisms, innovative imaging techniques, and patient management strategies. This Special Issue aims to improve our understanding of PSC and support the development of better treatments. We encourage you to submit your work and contribute to the ongoing efforts to improve outcomes for patients with PSC.

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