Special Issue

Personalized Oncology in Gastrointestinal Cancer: Emerging Therapies and Challenges

Message from the Guest Editor

This Special Issue will mainly focus on analyzing present and future approaches for the treatment of gastrointestinal (GI) cancer patients, with a glimpse into novel perspectives and future challenges in clinical practice. GI cancers are one of the most common worldwide cause of cancer-related death. They include a wide spectrum of neoplasms, including esophageal, gastric, hepatic, biliary, pancreatic, small bowel and large bowel as well as rectal cancers. In the last decade, significant improvements have been made in the prognosis of patients affected by these tumors thanks to the development of new treatments, which include cytotoxic drugs, targeted therapies, and immunotherapy. Recently, emerging and novel biomarkers have been identified and validated with a huge impact on patients' outcomes and improving the treatment landscape. Despite these advances, GI cancers still represent a major public health problem worldwide; hence, it is mandatory to develop novel therapeutic approaches. We cordially invite experts in the field to submit original research or review articles to better understand and explore this important topic.

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