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Personalized Medicine in Brain Tumors

Message from the Guest Editors

Brain tumors are a heterogeneous group including, among others, gliomas, neuronal tumors, embryonal tumors, meningiomas, other mesenchymal tumors, lymphomas, and sellar tumors. An increasing body of evidence points towards the biological heterogeneity of brain tumors, both at the cellular and molecular level. Accordingly, the upcoming 2021 WHO classification will expand an integrated histological-molecular approach, in which molecular data have a key role in establishing the correct diagnosis. From a therapeutic viewpoint, in some histologies, like lower-grade gliomas and medulloblastomas, such refined diagnosis has led to effective treatments. However, in other tumors, e.g., GBM, notwithstanding the huge advances in cellular and molecular profiling, novel therapeutics have failed to improve prognosis, which remains dismal. These issues foster an increased effort towards a personalized approach to brain tumors, in which a tailored treatment is administered based on the clinical, radiological, histopathological, biological, and molecular features of the single tumor.

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