

Special Issue

Sarcopenia and Liver Disease: Current and Future Perspectives

Message from the Guest Editors

There are numerous nutritional, genetic, and environmental factors that have a more or less prominent impact on the sarcopenia of chronic liver disease. Sarcopenia is characterized by an age-related decrease in muscle mass and muscle strength. The prevalence of sarcopenia is 10–40% in people aged 65 or older. Recently, it has been known that sarcopenia is more closely related to metabolic diseases beyond the decline and quality of life in older patients. Sarcopenia is common in adults with chronic liver disease. This Special Issue will present articles indicating the prevalence of sarcopenia in chronic liver diseases. Obesity is common among adult sarcopenic patients and is also prevalent in chronic liver disease. In the Special Issue, the readership will find relevant research carried out by several health care professionals and researchers with extensive knowledge on clinical settings and is intended to address new issues of interest of specific importance to research and clinical practice.

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