

Special Issue

Clinical Experience with Radiation Therapy in Prostate Cancer

Message from the Guest Editors

Prostate cancer represents the most common tumor in the male population, and radiation therapy has traditionally played a main role in the management of every phase of the natural history of the disease, from localized prostate cancer to metastatic dissemination.

From a biological point of view, in localized disease, the radiobiological properties of prostate cancer have led clinicians to explore all the declinations of altered fractionation schedules with an improved therapeutic ratio for both patients and facilities. At the same time, our scientific community is gaining a deeper understanding of the biological patterns of metastatic disease, with improved outcomes provided by metastasis-directed treatments, also in combination with new systemic therapies such as second-generation anti-androgens or PARP inhibitors.

Given the high incidence of this tumor and the key role of radiotherapy in all the settings of prostate cancer, *Medicina* is launching a Special Issue entitled “Clinical Experience with Radiation Therapy in Prostate Cancer” with the aim to collect up-to-date experiences and detailed overviews regarding the recent advancements in the management of this disease.

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