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Cancer Heterogeneity: Biomarkers and Targeted Therapies

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Message from the Guest Editors

Cancer cannot be understood as a single disease but rather a collection of distinct tumor subtypes. Tumor cells are extremely plastic and dynamic, and the diversity of phenotypes observed in tumors reflects the array of cell types present in the tumor. The extended use of cuttingedge technologies such as single-cell and spatially resolved transcriptomics provides powerful tools to unravel molecular and cellular features of tumor heterogeneity, with the great potential of being translated into new and reliable biomarkers, and novel targeted therapies. In this Special Issue, we invite reviews and original research manuscripts that examine how cancer heterogeneity can be exploited to identify new biomarkers and molecular drivers responsible for tumor maintenance, circumvent drug resistance, and/or develop effective targeted therapies in the path of getting closer the personalized medicine to cancer patients.

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