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Progress in the Systemic Therapy of Urological Oncology

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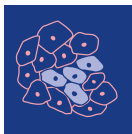
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Progress in the systemic therapy of urological oncology has been extraordinary. New treatments, such as immunotherapies, hormonal and targeted therapies, antibody-drug conjugates and radioligand therapies, have improved survival rates and quality of life for patients with various urological cancers. Additionally, precision medicine tools, utilising various platforms of molecular testing, have allowed for more personalised treatment plans. We are now entering an era of carefully crafting de-escalation and intensification approaches for metastatic disease, as well as intelligent early relapse detection and adjuvant therapy strategies. Our next generation clinical trials are biomarker-guided, such as minimal residual disease detection surrogates, that range from simple proteins (PSA in prostate cancer or PD-L1 expression in renal cancer), to microRNAs (miRNA-371 in testicular cancer) or ctDNA detection (urothelial cancer), or even radiomics (PSMA and other metabolic imaging in prostate cancer). This Special Issue invites papers on systemic therapies (e.g. chemotherapy, hormone therapy, immunotherapy, targeted therapy, radioligand therapies, novel therapeutics) in urological cancers.



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