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Peripheral T-cell Lymphoma: From Biological Research to New Therapies

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Peripheral T-cell lymphoma (PTCL) is a heterogeneous group of non-Hodgkin lymphomas (NHL) that originates from mature T-cells, including PTCL, not otherwise specified (PTCL-NOS), anaplastic large T-cell lymphoma (ALCL), angioimmunoblastic T-cell lymphoma (AITL), NK/Tcell lymphoma, and adult T-cell leukemia/lymphoma (ATLL). PTCL is generally aggressive and has a poorer prognosis than diffuse large B-cell lymphoma. Genomic analyses of some types of CTCL such as ATLL, ALCL, and PTCL-NOS have been performed so far, and the involvement of important somatic gene alterations including T-cell receptor signaling pathways has been clarified. Furthermore, the relationship between genetic mutations and prognosis and prediction of the effectiveness of anticancer drug treatment have been clarified. However, most PTCL are generally not curable and thus prevention of disease progression and development of new treatments are urgently needed. For this Special Issue, we encourage the submission of original research articles and reviews on any aspect of PTCL, including critical signaling pathways, host immune responses, and novel targeted therapies.













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