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The Application of Laparo-Endoscopic and Robotic Surgery in Cancer Treatments and Research

Message from the Guest Editor

Due to the introduction of and global spread of minimally invasive surgical approaches and platforms, surgical treatments in the management of cancer have rapidly advanced over the last three decades. Laparo-endoscopic approaches and newly developed robotic platforms in cancer surgery have reportedly conferred patient-friendly, minimal invasiveness, superior perioperative outcomes and acceptable oncologic outcomes in selected patients compared to those of conventional open surgery. On the other hand, along with technical refinements and innovations, the expansion of surgical indication is still underway in minimally invasive surgery for ill-conditioned cancers and patients. This Special Issue will highlight the present status, recent advances, innovative techniques, clinicopathological and molecular research, and future innovation and research seeds in minimally invasive surgical approaches to cancer treatments in a variety of organs.

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