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## Prostate Disease: Pathogenesis, Diagnosis, and Therapy

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### Message from the Guest Editors

Dear Colleagues,

The prostate is an important accessory organ of the male genitourinary tract. The incidence of prostate diseases, including benign prostate hyperplasia and prostate cancer, increase with age.

In the last decade, there were great advancements in the management of prostate disease. For example, the diagnosis of prostate cancer evolved from systematic biopsy to MRI-targeted biopsy. Much more attention has been gained in the treatment of early prostate cancer using focal therapy. Novel hormone agents, radium-223, PARP inhibitors, and PSMA-based radionuclide therapy have revolutionized the treatment for metastatic prostate cancer. Technological advances including laser surgery, water vaporization, and arterial embolization also offer safer treatment alternatives for patients with prostate hyperplasia.

The Special Issue entitled “Prostate Disease: Pathogenesis, Diagnosis, and Therapy” aims to publish original research articles and review in the field of prostate diseases. The new advances in pathogenesis, diagnosis, and therapy for prostate cancer or benign prostate hyperplasia are highlighted.

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