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New Concepts Relating Mesenchymal Tumors Based on Genetics and Epigenetics

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With the rapid development of new molecular techniques, we are able to reappraise our conventional classification system of soft tissue tumors, at least for certain tumor groups. Moreover, we are responsible for the development of new concepts.

A new classification mainly based on molecular findings may help treat patients better and collect adequate data of larger cohorts to understand the underlying biology and improve the therapy and assessment of prognosis.

In this Special Issue, we discuss categories of tumors, often selected in small groups based on clinicopathological findings, including immunohistochemistry, and wish to demonstrate that it would be useful to re-classify them due to the same genetic pathways and epigenetic findings leading to a more proper classification with clinical implications.



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