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Cellular and Metabolic Reprogramming in Cancer

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Cancer is a heterogeneous disease caused by genetic and epigenetic changes conferring characteristic properties to cancer cells. Cancer cells have the capability to modify and reprogram their cellular metabolism in order to support biomass production and proliferation. Cellular and metabolic reprogramming can occur in response to both intracellular and extracellular signals, including growth factors and cytokines, ECM remodelling and chronic inflammation. Cellular and metabolic reprogramming contributes to acquired drug resistance to anti-cancer agents, significantly limiting patient survival. The purpose of this Special Issue is to focus on cutting edge research and cover advances on cellular and metabolic reprogramming in malignancies, including cancer stem cells and differentiation. extracellular matrix remodeling, metabolic switches, and anticancer strategies, their therapeutic potential. benefits, possible complications, and pitfalls of such approaches. We invite authors to submit original and novel review articles on basic and translational research.

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