

Special Issue

New Frontiers in the Diagnosis of Sarcoidosis

Message from the Guest Editors

Sarcoidosis is a granulomatous disease that can affect every body organ to a different extent. The diagnostic role of imaging, such as computed tomography and magnetic resonance, is to reveal the presence of parenchymal infiltrates, lymphadenopathy, and also by documenting organ enlargement, nodular lesions, and patchy infiltration in extrapulmonary sites. The use of conventional ultrasound but even more that of contrast-enhanced ultrasound (CEUS) has been demonstrated to be useful to detect occult lesions and to describe the characteristics of some nodules that are not otherwise evident on the baseline examination. Finally, recent studies have highlighted that FDG PET/CT is also useful in staging the disease, in order to assess the presence of occult lesions, disease extent, treatment response and to identify the most suitable site for biopsy. The aim of this Special Issue is to report an overview of the latest research on the diagnosis of Sarcoidosis. s

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