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THE NEW ERA OF BREAST DISEASE: AWARENESS AND PSYCHOPATHOLOGICAL FEATURES

This special issue discusses topics related to new technologies in order to help dedicated breast radiologist in the detection and diagnosis of breast and malignant diseases.

In the first section, a new experimental high frequency probe is presented, especially for superficial breast lesions and cutaneous involvement of breast disease (The new era of breast ultrasonography: high frequency).

A focus on the breast radiologist training (Breast Ultrasonography: Who makes the best diagnosis?) can emphasize the central role of the imaging in the diagnostic-therapeutical course of breast disease with attention to the primary role of the confidence between the physician and the patient (Trusted physician in breast cancer exams)

Breast diseases, indeed, present not only physical involvement but also very significant psychological consequence that can influence personality and temperamental traits (Personality disorder and temperamental traits in patients with breast disease: a pictorial essay) of the patient with different facets in young (Level and conditioning of knowledge in benign breast disease in very young patients) or old women (Awareness of breast cancer in old women: psychopatological features) and in men, especially in presence of genetic syndromes (Breast cancer in an old male with Klinefelter syndrome: awareness and knowledge).

This special issue focused not only to the breast physician or patient, but also to the ill caregiver (Metastatic breast cancer caregiver : needs and quality of life evaluation), with the intent to optimize the quality of life, also in presence of advance disease.

Authored by experts in the field, we believe these articles would serve as a very important resource on breast disease.

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