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Abstract

AIM: To clarify the utility of using des- γ -carboxy prothrombin (DCP) and α -fetoprotein (AFP) levels to predict the prognosis of hepatocellular carcinoma (HCC) in patients with hepatitis B virus (HBV) and the hepatitis C virus (HCV) infections.

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