

Infrared WBH for relapse prevention in cancer

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Whole body hyperthermia plays an important role in the concept of biological cancer therapy, mostly in palliative situations. In the adjuvant setting, there has only been casuistic data until now.

The talk shows the immunology during / after chemotherapy and provides an overview of the immunological significance of fever, which most cancer patients have not experienced for many years before the disease. Since the opening of the praxis in early 2002, a collective of now > 60 patients (mainly breast cancer) has been observed. These patients were adjuvant treated with at least two whole body hyperthermia treatments. The follow-up so far shows a high number of patients with tumor-free survival even in high-risk constellation. The tumor after treatment should follow and evaluate this approach to a greater extend.