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Improving End-of-Life Care Quality for Children with Cancer

Needs: There exists a dearth of education or standards on how to best provide end-of-life care to children with cancer.

Objectives: To review the current state of end-of-life care for children with cancer and characterize the need for evaluation of care quality in this setting.

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Obesity and Cancer: How Can We Break the Link?

Needs: There is a clear association between obesity and multiple forms of cancer, but mechanistic studies have been lacking.

Objectives: Describe the association between hyperinsulinemia and obesity in murine models of colon and breast cancer and identify the metabolic mechanism by which insulin appears to drive tumor growth in the models presented.

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