

脑胶质瘤免疫检查点抑制剂及其临床研究进展

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【摘要】 脑胶质瘤是临床最常见的原发性颅内恶性肿瘤,尤以胶质母细胞瘤预后最差。近年来,靶向免疫检查点的免疫治疗在多种实体肿瘤中展现出良好疗效,成为胶质瘤药物治疗领域的潜在突破口,受到国内外神经外科和神经肿瘤科医师的关注。通过综述免疫检查点分子及抑制剂临床研究进展,介绍免疫治疗在胶质瘤领域的研究现状,以期对我国胶质瘤免疫治疗后续临床研究设计和开展提供参考。

【关键词】 神经胶质瘤; 免疫抑制剂; 免疫疗法; 综述

Advance of immune checkpoint inhibitors and clinical trials in glioma

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【Abstract】 Glioma is the most common primary intracranial malignant tumor, and glioblastoma has the worst prognosis. In recent years, immunotherapy targeting immune checkpoints has shown promising results in various solid tumors, and has also become a potential breakthrough in the field of glioma treatment, which has attracted the attention of worldwide neurosurgeons and neuro-oncologists. This paper reviews the literature about immune checkpoint molecules and the clinical trials of immune checkpoint inhibitors, and briefly introduces the research status of immunotherapy in glioma. We hope to provide some references for the design and development of subsequent clinical studies of glioma immunotherapy in China.

【Key words】 Glioma; Immunosuppressive agents; Immunotherapy; Review

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脑胶质瘤是临床最为常见的原发性颅内恶性肿瘤,具有生存期短、复发率高、病残率高和病死率高等特点^[1]。目前胶质瘤的治疗方法主要是通过手术最大程度安全切除,术后辅助放射治疗联合同步化疗或单纯辅以化疗,但绝大多数患者仍不可避免复发,其中以胶质母细胞瘤患者预后最差,为5年生存率最低的肿瘤之一,中位生存期仅14.7个月^[2]。多项研究显示,胶质瘤发病率呈逐渐升高趋势,因此更有效的抗肿瘤治疗方法是临床医师和科研工作者致力追求的目标^[3-4]。近年来,关于免疫检查点

及其抑制剂的研究日益增多,为恶性肿瘤的治疗提供一条新的思路^[5]。免疫检查点对自身反应性T淋巴细胞(以下简称T细胞)的抑制是生理状态下机体对自身免疫的防御措施,而在病理状态下,免疫检查点则通过类似方式保护肿瘤细胞免于机体的免疫反应。不同于传统化疗药物的细胞毒性作用和传统靶向治疗,免疫检查点靶向治疗旨在调节检查点分子,改变其功能,从而诱导肿瘤细胞死亡^[6]。本文拟对主要免疫检查点分子及其抑制剂的研究进展以及在胶质瘤领域的应用进行回顾(图1),并简要介绍部分免疫检查点抑制剂相关临床试验。

一、主要免疫检查点分子

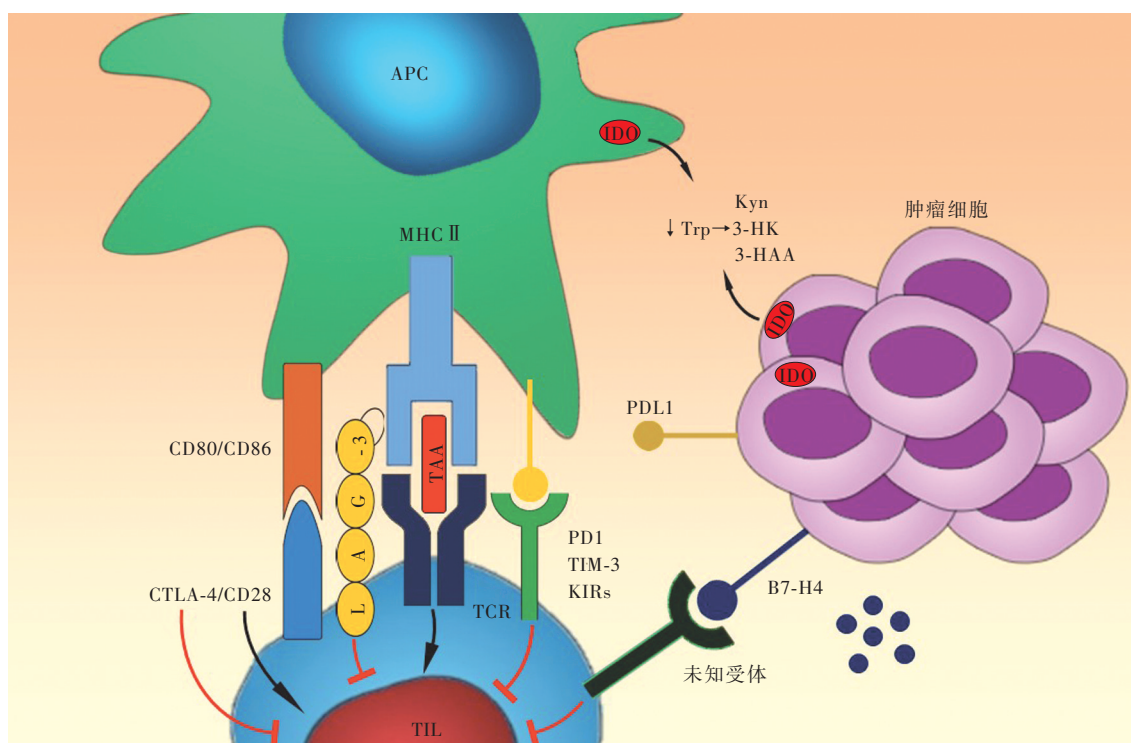
1. 细胞程序性死亡蛋白1/细胞程序性死亡蛋白配体1 细胞程序性死亡蛋白1(PD1)是一种通过淋巴细胞和单核细胞激活而表达但与细胞凋亡无关的蛋白质,由Honjo教授团队于1992年发现,因其通常表达于死亡的胸腺细胞故而得名^[7]。其后,

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↓, 下降。APC, 抗原呈递细胞; MHC II, 主要组织相容性复合物 II; TAA, 肿瘤相关抗原; TCR, T 细胞受体; TIL, 肿瘤浸润淋巴细胞; CTLA-4, 细胞毒性 T 淋巴细胞相关抗原 4; LAG-3, 淋巴细胞活化基因-3; PD1, 细胞程序性死亡蛋白 1; TIM-3, T 细胞免疫球蛋白黏蛋白分子-3; KIRs, 杀伤免疫球蛋白样受体; IDO, 吲哚胺-2,3-双加氧酶; Kyn, 犬尿氨酸; 3-HK, 3-羟基犬尿氨酸; 3-HAA, 3-羟基氨基苯甲酸; PDL1, 细胞程序性死亡蛋白配体 1

图 1 免疫检查点分子在肿瘤微环境中的作用机制

Figure 1 Schema of the interactions within immune checkpoint molecules and tumor microenvironment.

Freeman 等^[8]和 Latchman 等^[9]相继发现编码细胞程序性死亡蛋白配体(PDL)的基因,属于 B7 家族,这些配体绝大多数是 PDL1,小部分是 PDL2。T 细胞表面的 PD1 及其抗原呈递细胞(APC)和肿瘤细胞表面的 PDL1,是目前研究最透彻的免疫检查点分子。PDL1/2 与 PD1 结合可下调由 T 细胞受体(TCR)介导的信号转导通路,抑制早期 T 细胞激活,阻止其细胞毒性作用,并阻碍炎症因子的生成,导致 T 细胞在功能上无应答。PDL1 表达于肿瘤细胞,既可由某些内源性机制所致,如同源性磷酸酶-张力蛋白(PTEN)缺失激活磷脂酰肌醇 3-激酶(PI3K)信号转导通路,也可由外源性机制引起,如周围激活 T 细胞分泌的干扰素- γ (IFN- γ)^[10-11]。肿瘤细胞表面的 PDL1 可使肿瘤浸润淋巴细胞(TIL)不再具有免疫功能,而 PD1/PDL1 信号转导通路则使肿瘤细胞对 T 细胞介导的细胞凋亡不再敏感,提示 PDL1 是肿瘤细胞中普遍存在的抗凋亡分子^[12],故靶向 PD1/PDL1 的抗体可增强肿瘤浸润淋巴细胞的细胞毒性作用^[13-15]。目前,有 2 种抗 PD1 抗体(Nivolumab、

Pembrolizumab)和 3 种抗 PDL1 抗体(Atezolizumab、Avelumab、Durvalumab)应用于临床。转移性黑色素瘤患者的肿瘤浸润淋巴细胞常高表达 PD1,尤其是肿瘤反应性 T 细胞^[16-17],故在此类患者中 PD1 可以作为生物学标志物标记肿瘤反应性 T 细胞^[18]。在胶质瘤研究领域,PDL1 主要表达于胶质瘤细胞和小胶质细胞、PD1 表达于肿瘤浸润淋巴细胞,PDL1 表达变化与胶质瘤病理级别有关,研究显示,胶质母细胞瘤中的 IDH 野生型患者 PDL1 表达水平明显高于 IDH 突变型患者^[19],而且 PDL1 表达变化与胶质瘤患者预后呈负相关^[20],更多的功能学研究尚待深入探讨。对其他肿瘤患者的研究,PDL1 表达变化与预后间的关系尚不能确定,有待进一步研究^[21-23]。

2. 细胞毒性 T 淋巴细胞相关抗原 4 细胞毒性 T 淋巴细胞相关抗原 4(CTLA-4)是首个被发现的免疫球蛋白超家族成员,也是首个应用于靶向治疗的免疫调节分子,表达于 T 细胞[激活 T 细胞或调节性 T 细胞(Treg)],主要表达于激活 T 细胞^[24],与抗原呈递细胞表面的 CTLA-4 配体 CD80 和 CD86 结合,抑

制 T 细胞的共刺激信号转导通路^[25]。胶质母细胞瘤患者外周血 CD4⁺和 CD8⁺T 细胞表面的 CTLA-4 表达变化与预后呈负相关^[26]。与 CD28 类似,CTLA-4 与 B 细胞和抗原呈递细胞表面相同的蛋白配体结合,但不引起 T 细胞的激活,而是参与 T 细胞介导的抑制性抗体生成,具有抗移植免疫的功能^[27-28]。PD1 和 CTLA-4 均为免疫检查点分子,参与机体预防自身免疫反应的过程,但各自的作用机制和作用部位有所不同。CTLA-4 信号转导通路发生于 T 细胞激活的早期,且主要分布于淋巴结 T 细胞区;PD1 信号转导通路则发生于效应器官,如慢性炎症区域和肿瘤;临床前研究已证实,二者对 B16 黑色素瘤动物模型的治疗具有协同效应,二者联合治疗可使肿瘤浸润淋巴细胞数目增加,导致效应性 T 细胞(Teff)与 Treg 细胞比例发生变化,进而增强 Teff 细胞之功能^[29]。2013 年, Wolchok 等^[30]首次报告 Ipilimumab 联合 Nivolumab 治疗恶性黑色素瘤的 I 期临床试验结果,客观缓解率(ORR)为 40.33%(21/52),且大部分缓解发生于联合治疗早期;然而,治疗相关不良反应发生率也较高,其中黑色素瘤 III 级和 IV 级患者的不良反应发生率为 52.83%(28/53),主要包括血清脂肪酶(13.21%,7/53)、天冬氨酸转氨酶(13.21%,7/53)和丙氨酸转氨酶(11.32%,6/53)水平升高。

3. B7-H4 近年来,关于 B7 家族免疫检查点的研究日益增多,除 PDL1(B7-H1)外,其他主要研究还包括 B7-H3、B7-H4、B7-H5(VISTA)等。B7-H4 在正常组织中几乎不表达,而在多种恶性肿瘤如胶质瘤、肾癌、前列腺癌、乳腺癌中呈高表达^[31-34],可抑制 T 细胞增殖、细胞因子分泌和激活 T 细胞的细胞毒性作用^[35-36]。我们课题组通过对 B7-H4 的长期研究发现,胶质瘤干细胞(GSCs)样细胞可以通过白细胞介素-6(IL-6)/Janus 激酶(JAK)和信号传导与转录激活因子 3(STAT3)信号转导通路,诱导胶质瘤相关小胶质细胞表达 B7-H4,而表达 B7-H4 的巨噬细胞和小胶质细胞是通过抑制 T 细胞功能和降低自身吞噬能力,形成免疫抑制的肿瘤微环境(TME)^[37]。Jeon 等^[38]的研究显示,阻断 B7-H4 可阻止结肠和直肠肿瘤的生长,减少肺转移,并可增加 CD8⁺T 细胞的浸润。我们课题组的前期研究显示,低表达 B7-H4 的胶质母细胞瘤患者更容易从免疫治疗中获益,提示 B7-H4 对胶质瘤患者的预后具有预测作用^[37]。目前仅有一种抗 B7-H4 抗体药物 FPA150 获得美国食品与药品管理局(FDA)批准用于乳腺癌等肿瘤的临

床试验(试验编号:NCT03514121),尚无该药用于胶质瘤的临床试验。

4. 吡啶胺-2,3-双加氧酶 吡啶胺-2,3-双加氧酶(IDO)是一种色氨酸分解代谢酶,主要表达于多种肿瘤细胞和树突状细胞(DC),虽非典型的免疫检查点分子,但具有抑制 T 细胞激活和抑制自然杀伤(NK)细胞功能的特点^[39]。IDO 通过犬尿氨酸(Kyn)信号转导通路参与色氨酸的降解^[40-42],可在不同肿瘤中介导多种抑制性信号转导通路并抑制抗肿瘤免疫反应^[39]。肿瘤细胞表面的 IDO 可将色氨酸分解为大量代谢产物,包括犬尿氨酸、3-羟基犬尿氨酸(3-HK)和 3-羟基氨基苯甲酸(3-HAA),而 T 细胞发挥功能需色氨酸的参与,因此,由 IDO 介导的色氨酸降解机制可间接抑制 T 细胞激活;色氨酸的代谢产物也可诱导 T 细胞凋亡^[43];此外,犬尿氨酸与转化生长因子- β (TGF- β)联合作用,可诱导 T 细胞表达 FoxP3 蛋白,从而导致 Treg 细胞生成^[44-46];同时,肿瘤细胞表面的 IDO 也具有诱导 Treg 细胞在肿瘤微环境中浸润的作用。研究结果显示,IDO 尚在抑制胶质瘤患者 T 细胞功能和 Treg 细胞聚集中扮演重要角色^[47-48]。在生理状态下,脑实质不表达 IDO^[49],而大多数胶质母细胞瘤和低级别胶质瘤患者均表达 IDO^[47,50],IDO 表达变化与胶质母细胞瘤患者预后呈负相关^[47]。动物模型观察显示,靶向 IDO 药物治疗胶质瘤有效^[51]。

5. T 细胞免疫球蛋白和黏蛋白分子-3 T 细胞免疫球蛋白和黏蛋白分子-3(TIM-3)既表达于 CD4⁺和 CD8⁺T 细胞,也表达于巨噬细胞和单核细胞,通过与其配体半乳糖素-9(Gal-9)结合,耗竭 T 细胞,从而参与肿瘤的免疫抑制和免疫逃逸^[52];此外,TIM-3 还存在其他配体,如磷脂酰丝氨酸(PS)^[53]和高迁移率族蛋白 1(HMGB1)^[54]。TIM-3 在包括胶质母细胞瘤在内的多种恶性肿瘤细胞中均呈高表达,抗 TIM-3 抗体可以降低 Treg 细胞比例,并增强 CD8⁺T 细胞分泌干扰素的能力。临床研究显示,过表达 TIM-3 的胶质母细胞瘤患者,肿瘤恶性程度更高、生活质量更低(KPS 评分)、预后更差^[55-56]。

6. 淋巴细胞活化基因-3 淋巴细胞活化基因-3(LAG-3)主要表达于 CD4⁺T 细胞、CD8⁺T 细胞、自然杀伤 T 细胞(NKT)、NK 细胞、树突状细胞和 Treg 细胞^[57-58],但在树突状细胞和 Treg 细胞中呈持续表达,而在其他细胞中经激活后方表达^[59-60]。与 CD4 类似,LAG-3 具有 4 个细胞外免疫球蛋白超家族样结

构域,与主要组织相容性复合物 II (MHC II) 结合,传递抑制信号,但具体信号转导机制尚不十分清楚。LAG-3 细胞内部分由多个结构域组成,其中 KIEELE 结构域与下调 T 细胞功能有关^[61]。肿瘤微环境的持续抗原刺激可导致 LAG-3 表达,并与 CD8⁺ 肿瘤浸润淋巴细胞的耗竭有关^[62]。小鼠肿瘤模型研究显示,LAG-3 和 PD1 共表达于肿瘤组织 T 细胞,可通过双重阻断机制限制肿瘤细胞的生长,这一抑制作用明显优于单一阻断机制^[63-64]。除 MHC II 外, Gal-3 也是 LAG-3 的配体,参与 CD8⁺ T 细胞的抑制过程^[65]。目前关于 LAG-3 的研究尚处于动物实验阶段,仅有少量临床研究正在进行中,如 Relatimab 联合 Nivolumab 治疗多种实体肿瘤(试验编号: NCT01968109),已在黑色素瘤患者中显示出较好的治疗效果^[66]。

7. 杀伤免疫球蛋白样受体 杀伤免疫球蛋白样受体(KIR)是减弱 NK 细胞毒性且抑制其分泌细胞因子的抑制性受体^[67],表达于 T 细胞和抗原呈递细胞。KIR 可表达于各种肿瘤细胞,并且提示预后不良^[68-69],其中,CD94/NKG2A 表达于大多数星形细胞瘤 T 细胞^[70],T 细胞 KIR 的激活可以抑制其细胞毒性作用。目前多种抗 KIR 抗体正处于临床试验阶段(试验编号: NCT02331875, NCT01714739, NCT01750580),主要通过同步抗 KIR 抗体的固有免疫和抗 PD1 或 CTLA-4 等抗体的获得性免疫以综合评价其抗肿瘤效应。

二、免疫检查点抑制剂临床研究进展

在生理状态下,免疫检查点分子作为一种免疫调节机制具有抑制细胞毒性 T 细胞功能的作用;在肿瘤微环境中,变异的免疫检查点信号转导通路则是一种重要的免疫逃逸机制。目前,针对免疫检查点的单克隆抗体已获得较好的临床前期结果,如 PD1、CTLA-4;关于免疫检查点抑制剂治疗胶质母细胞瘤的临床试验正在进行。免疫检查点抑制剂临床试验主要分为以下几类:免疫检查点抑制剂单药治疗、联合用药,以及免疫检查点抑制剂联合化疗、立体定向放射外科(SRS)治疗、靶向其他免疫靶点。

胶质瘤免疫检查点抑制剂的临床试验尚处于早期阶段,大多数试验尚在招募或进行中(表 1),仅少量试验公布初步结果。Schalper 等^[71]对 30 例胶质母细胞瘤患者(3 例原发、27 例复发)术前和术后均施以 Nivolumab 治疗(试验编号: NCT02550249),对这些患者肿瘤微环境的观察结果显示,辅助

Nivolumab 治疗可使趋化因子转录增强、免疫细胞浸润增多、肿瘤微环境中 T 细胞受体克隆多样性增加。然而,该项试验在 27 例复发胶质母细胞瘤患者中未获得显著的生存获益,但 3 例原发患者中 2 例生存期达 33 和 28 个月,随访至今仍生存^[71]。

在常春藤基金会早期临床试验联盟开展的一项多中心随机对照临床试验中,观察免疫治疗对复发胶质母细胞瘤患者的疗效,所纳入的 35 例患者被随机分为两组,一组手术切除 + 术前和术后 Pembrolizumab 辅助治疗,另一组手术切除 + 术后 Pembrolizumab 辅助治疗。结果显示,手术前后均接受 Pembrolizumab 免疫治疗者总生存期(OS)明显优于仅术后接受 Pembrolizumab 免疫治疗者^[72]。

CheckMate-143 试验(试验编号: NCT02017717) I 期阶段共纳入 40 例复发胶质母细胞瘤患者,随机分为 Nivolumab 组和 Nivolumab + Ipilimumab 组,结果显示, Nivolumab 组患者耐受性良好,而 Nivolumab + Ipilimumab 组因 Ipilimumab 剂量过大而影响患者的耐受性^[73]。随后的 CheckMate-143 III 期试验显示, Nivolumab 并未较贝伐单抗显示出更显著的生存获益(中位总生存期 9.8 个月对 10 个月)^[74],推测该项试验的失败原因可能与所纳入的胶质瘤病列 PDL1 表达水平过低有关^[75]。晚近开展的两项针对原发胶质母细胞瘤患者的临床试验分别为 CheckMate - 498 (试验编号: NCT02617589) 和 CheckMate-548(试验编号: NCT02667587)。与放射治疗联合替莫唑胺化疗相比, CheckMate-498 试验所纳入的 MGMT 非甲基化胶质母细胞瘤患者经放射治疗联合 Nivolumab 免疫治疗后,并未获得更长的总生存期^[76];而与术后同步放化疗继而辅助化疗相比, CheckMate-548 试验中的 MGMT 甲基化胶质母细胞瘤患者在 Nivolumab 辅助治疗后无进展生存期(PFS)并未明显延长,总生存期未到达观察终点^[77]。

Lukas 等^[78]进行的抗 PDL1 抗体 Atezolizumab 临床试验(试验编号: NCT01375842)共纳入 16 例复发胶质母细胞瘤患者,结果显示, Atezolizumab 安全性和耐受性均较好;进一步研究显示,外周 CD4⁺ T 细胞增多和 IDH 基因突变等可能提示更好的疗效。

三、免疫检查点抑制剂治疗过程中的难点

术后同步放化疗继而辅助化疗可以显著减少外周 CD4⁺ T 细胞数目,且与总生存期缩短有关^[79],从而减少肿瘤 T_H1 细胞,导致免疫治疗的失败。针对胶质瘤小鼠模型的研究显示,抗 PD1 抗体联合全

表1 近年开展的免疫检查点抑制剂相关临床试验*

Table 1. Currently ongoing clinical trials concerning immune checkpoint inhibitors*

临床试验	试验阶段	疾病	靶点	治疗药物	治疗方案
NCT02017717 (CheckMate-143)	Ⅲ期	复发GBM	PD1 VEGF	Nivolumab Ipilimumab BEV	N组:Nivolumab N+I组:Nivolumab+Ipilimumab B组:BEV
NCT02617589 (CheckMate-498)	Ⅲ期	原发GBM MGMT非甲基化	PD1	Nivolumab TMZ	1组:Nivolumab+放射治疗 2组:TMZ+放射治疗
NCT02667587 (CheckMate-548)	Ⅲ期	原发GBM MGMT非甲基化	PD1	Nivolumab TMZ	1组:Nivolumab+TMZ+放射治疗 2组:安慰剂+TMZ+放射治疗
NCT03726515	I期	原发GBM MGMT非甲基化	PD1	CAR-EGFRvⅢ-T细胞 Pembrolizumab	CAR-EGFRvⅢ-T细胞+Pembrolizumab
NCT03707457	I期	复发GBM	PD1 IDO1	Nivolumab 抗GTR单克隆抗体MK-4166 IDO1抑制剂INCB024360 Ipilimumab	1组:Nivolumab+抗GTR抗体 2组:Nivolumab+IDO1抑制剂 3组:Nivolumab+Ipilimumab
NCT02852655	Ⅱ期	复发GBM	PD1	Pembrolizumab	1组:术前Pembrolizumab+术后Pembrolizumab 2组:术后Pembrolizumab
NCT03743662	Ⅱ期	复发GBM MGMT甲基化	PD1 VEGF	Nivolumab BEV	非手术组:再程放射治疗+Nivolumab+BEV 手术组:再程放射治疗+Nivolumab+BEV
NCT02658981	I期	复发GBM	PD1 LAG-3 CD137	Nivolumab BMS986016(抗LAG-3单克隆抗体) Urelumab(抗CD137抗体)	A1组:BMS986016 A2组:Urelumab B1组:BMS986016+Nivolumab B2组:Urelumab+Nivolumab
NCT02529072	I期	复发Ⅲ~Ⅳ级胶质瘤	PD1	Nivolumab+DC疫苗	1组:术后Nivolumab+DC疫苗辅助治疗 2组:术前Nivolumab+DC疫苗联合术后Nivolumab+DC疫苗辅助治疗
NCT03233152	I期	复发GBM	PD1 CTLA-4	Nivolumab+Ipilimumab	手术切除+Nivolumab+Ipilimumab
NCT02287428	I期	原发GBM MGMT非甲基化	PD1	Pembrolizumab+个性化新抗原疫苗 (NeoVax)	1组:放射治疗+NeoVax 1a组:放射治疗同步Pembrolizumab+NeoVax+Pembrolizumab 1b组:放射治疗+NeoVax+Pembrolizumab 1c组:放射治疗(放射治疗期间+1剂量Pembrolizumab)+NeoVax+Pembrolizumab
NCT02335918	Ⅱ期	复发GBM	PD1 CD27	抗CD27单克隆抗体Varlilumab Nivolumab	Varlilumab+Nivolumab
NCT03493932	I期	复发GBM	PD1 LAG-3	Nivolumab BMS986016	术前Nivolumab联合术后Nivolumab+BMS986016辅助治疗
NCT02968940	Ⅱ期	复发IDH突变型GBM	PD1	Avelumab	Avelumab+低分割放射治疗
NCT03422094	I期	原发GBM MGMT非甲基化	PD1 CTLA-4	NeoVax Nivolumab Ipilimumab	NeoVax+Nivolumab+Ipilimumab
NCT03491683	I/Ⅱ期	原发GBM	PD1	INO-5401 INO-9012 抗PD1抗体Cemiplimab TMZ	INO-5401+INO-9012+Cemiplimab+TMZ同步放化疗
NCT03718767	Ⅱ期	复发IDH突变型胶质瘤	PD1	Nivolumab	Nivolumab
NCT02798406	Ⅱ期	复发GBM/胶质肉瘤	PD1	溶瘤病毒DNX-2401 Pembrolizumab	DNX-2401+Pembrolizumab
NCT03576612	I期	原发高级别胶质瘤	PD1	AdV-tk 伐昔洛韦 TMZ Nivolumab	AdV-tk+伐昔洛韦+TMZ+Nivolumab
NCT03797326	Ⅱ期	多种实体肿瘤, 包括复发GBM	PD1	Pembrolizumab 乐伐替尼	Pembrolizumab+乐伐替尼
NCT03341806	I期	复发GBM	PDL1	Avelumab	Avelumab+MRI导航下LITT治疗
NCT03750071	I/Ⅱ期	复发GBM	PDL1	VXM01(疫苗) Avelumab	VXM01+Avelumab
NCT03291314	I期	复发GBM	PDL1 VEGFR	Avelumab 阿西替尼	阿西替尼+Avelumab
NCT02794883	Ⅱ期	复发GBM	PDL1 CTLA-4	Durvalumab 抗CTLA-4抗体Tremelimumab	1组:Durvalumab 2组:Durvalumab+Tremelimumab 3组:Tremelimumab
NCT02968940	Ⅱ期	继发IDH突变型胶质瘤	PDL1	Avelumab	Avelumab+低分割放射治疗
NCT02336165	Ⅱ期	GBM	PDL1 VEGF	Durvalumab BEV	A组(新发GBM):放射治疗+Durvalumab B组(复发GBM, BEV未治疗组):Durvalumab+BEV C组(复发GBM, BEV难治组):Durvalumab+再次BEV治疗

续表 1

临床试验	试验阶段	疾病	靶点	治疗药物	治疗方案
NCT03047473	II期	原发GBM	PDL1	Avelumab	标准辅助治疗, TMZ + Avelumab
NCT02311920	I期	原发GBM/胶质肉瘤	PD1 CTLA-4	Nivolumab Ipilimumab TMZ	1组: TMZ + Ipilimumab 2组: TMZ + Nivolumab 3组: TMZ + Nivolumab + Ipilimumab
NCT04003649	I期	复发GBM	PD1 CTLA-4	IL-13R α 2-CAR-T细胞 Nivolumab Ipilimumab	1组: CAR-T细胞 + Nivolumab + Ipilimumab 2组: CAR-T细胞 + Nivolumab
NCT04047706	I期	原发GBM	PD1 IDO1	IDO1抑制剂 BMS986205 Nivolumab TMZ	1组: 放射治疗 + TMZ + BMS986205 + Nivolumab 2组: 放射治疗 + BMS986205 + Nivolumab
NCT02052648	I/II期	恶性脑肿瘤	IDO1	IDO1抑制剂 Indoximod TMZ BEV	1组: Indoximod + TMZ 2组: Indoximod + TMZ 3组: Indoximod + TMZ + BEV 4组: Indoximod + TMZ + SRT

*数据来源于 ClinicalTrials.gov。GBM, glioblastoma, 胶质母细胞瘤; PD1, programmed cell death protein 1, 细胞程序性死亡蛋白1; VEGF, vascular endothelial growth factor, 血管内皮生长因子; BEV, bevacizumab, 贝伐单抗; TMZ, temozolomide, 替莫唑胺; EGFR III , epidermal growth factor receptor variant III, 表皮生长因子受体变异体III; IDO1, indoleamine-2, 3-dioxygenase 1, 吲哚胺-2, 3-双加氧酶1; GITR, glucocorticoid-induced tumor necrosis factor receptor, 糖皮质激素诱导的肿瘤坏死因子受体; LAG-3, lymphocyte-activation gene 3, 淋巴细胞活化基因-3; DC, dendritic cells, 树突状细胞; CTLA-4, cytotoxic T lymphocyte-associated antigen 4, 细胞毒性T淋巴细胞相关抗原4; PDL1, programmed cell death protein ligand 1, 细胞程序性死亡蛋白配体1; IDH, isocitrate dehydrogenase, 异柠檬酸脱氢酶; CAR, chimeric antigen receptor, 嵌合抗原受体; LITT, laser interstitial thermal therapy, 激光间质热疗; VEGFR, vascular endothelial growth factor receptor, 血管内皮生长因子受体; SRT, stereotactic radiotherapy; 立体定向放射治疗

身替莫唑胺或卡莫司汀(BCNU)化疗组总生存期并未优于单纯替莫唑胺或卡莫司汀化疗组^[80]。值得注意的是,局部应用化疗药物联合抗PD1抗体可以有效避免全身免疫抑制。提示在联合免疫治疗的情况下,局部化疗可能优于全身化疗。放射治疗同样可以引起全身淋巴细胞减少,因此,低分割放射治疗和立体定向放射治疗(SRT)是潜在的可以联合免疫治疗的手段^[81]。晚近研究显示,低照射剂量的放射治疗或立体定向放射治疗可以导致免疫系统的应答和激活,改善肿瘤微环境,为放射治疗联合免疫治疗建立了基础并值得进一步探索^[82-83]。此外,血-脑屏障也是造成胶质瘤免疫治疗效果欠佳的原因之一,改变给药方式(如对流增强给药)或新型治疗方式[如肿瘤治疗电场(TTF)]均为潜在方法,这些方法是否对免疫系统有影响,能否将“冷肿瘤”转变为“热肿瘤”,能否改善免疫检查点抑制剂的疗效,尚待进一步研究。

免疫治疗后的影像学改变可能有别于传统的实体瘤疗效评价标准(RECIST)和神经肿瘤反应评价(RANO)标准。研究显示,某些进展性恶性黑色素瘤患者接受Ipilimumab治疗后肿瘤负荷短暂性增加(原发肿瘤灶体积增加或新发肿瘤灶)后再病情缓解^[84]。为了避免将此类改变评价为“肿瘤进展”,神经肿瘤免疫治疗反应评价(iRANO)标准在RANO标准基础上增加了对“肿瘤进展”的进一步鉴别,以

资与“治疗反应”相鉴别。如果影像学提示肿瘤进展而临床症状6个月内无恶化,则建议继续免疫治疗,3个月后复查MRI,若仍提示肿瘤进展,则3个月前的评价即定义为“肿瘤进展”;如果提示疾病稳定或疾病缓解,则建议继续免疫治疗。

综上所述,免疫检查点抑制剂的问世改善了许多既往预后不良的实体肿瘤患者,如恶性黑色素瘤、非小细胞肺癌、肾癌等,但在胶质母细胞瘤治疗方面尚未显示出显著疗效。本文对免疫检查点分子及其抑制剂相关研究进展进行回顾,相信现有的临床前研究和临床试验能够积累大量的免疫治疗经验,为后续的治疗研究提供借鉴和参考。

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