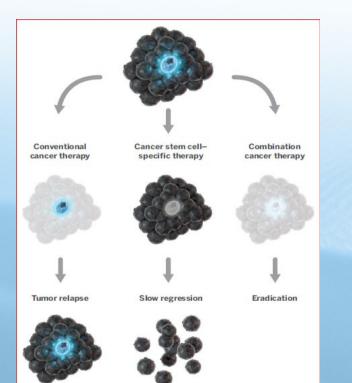
# Therapeutic Implication of CSC in CRC

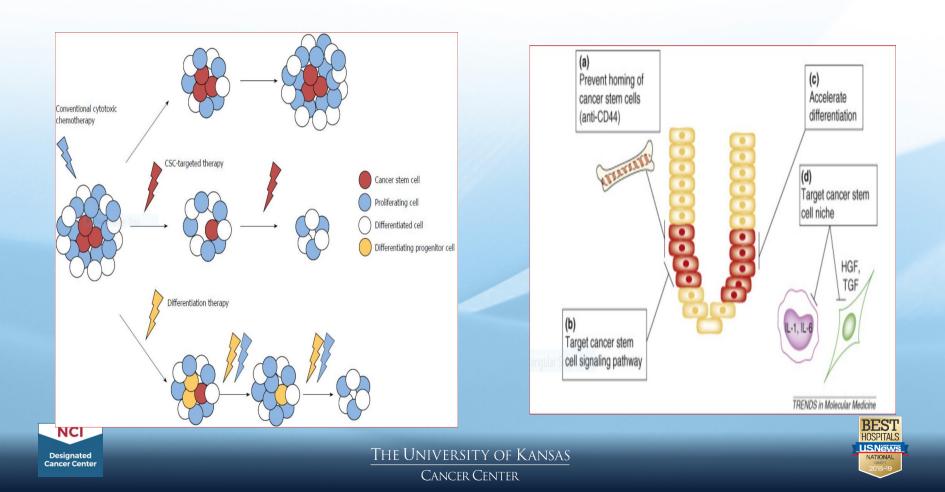


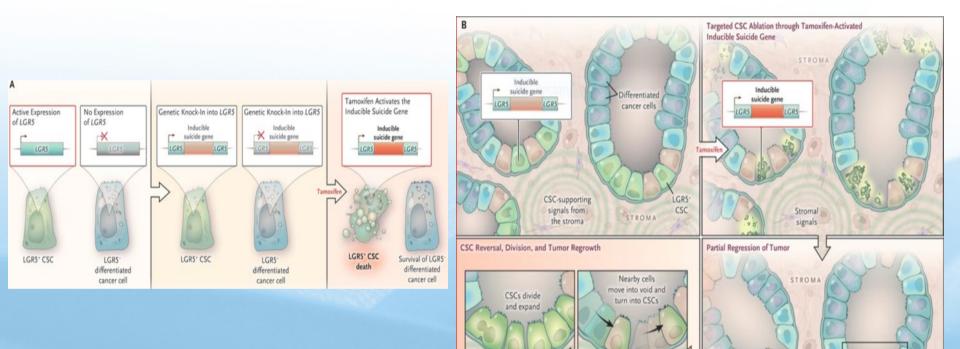
- Eradication of CSCs by Targeting Selective Markers on CRC CSCs (CD 133, CD44,CD 26, CD29, EpCAM)
- Inhibition or Interference of CSC-specific Pathway(Notch, Wnt/β-catenin, TGF- β, and Hedgehog, et al)
- Accelerate differentiation
- Genetic Technology (Kock-in Suicide Gene)
- Modify (Blocking & Interrupting Microenvironment)



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Stromal signals

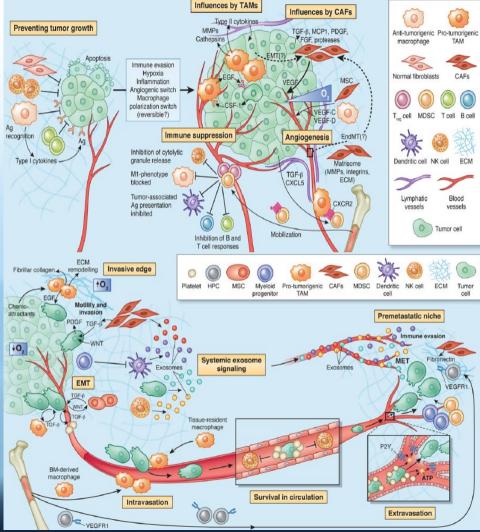


Stromal signals

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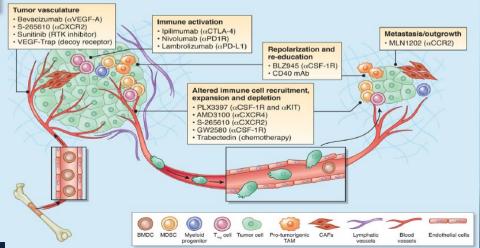
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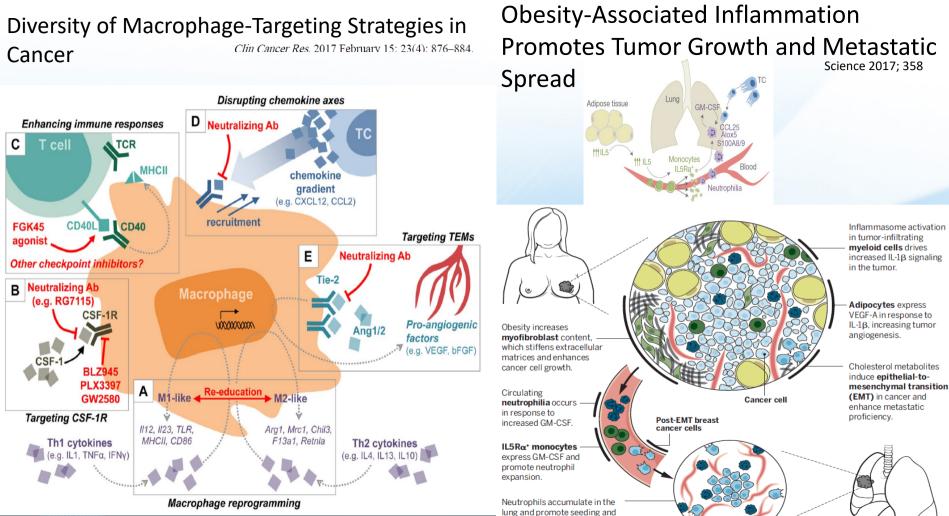
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Nat Med. 2013 November ; 19(11): 1423-1437.

- Multiple Stromal Cell Types Converge to Support a Tumorigenic Primary Niches
- Microenvironment Supports Metastatic
  Dissemination and Colonization
- Theraputic Strategies to Re-educate the Tumor Microenvironment

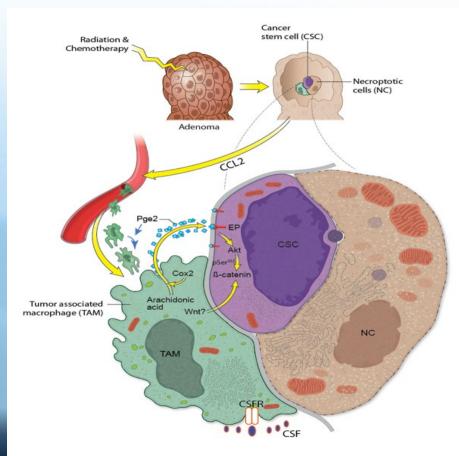


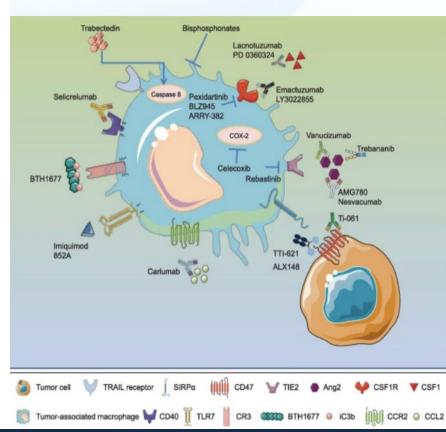


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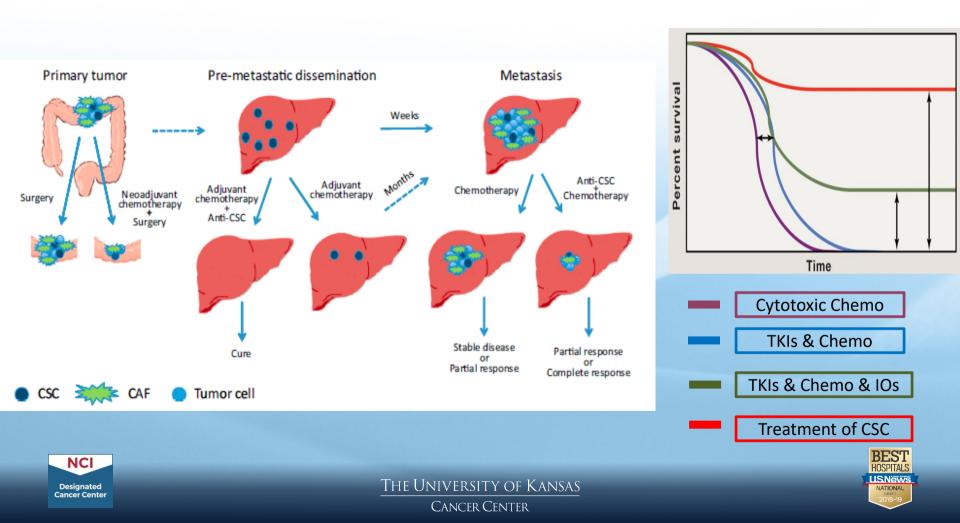
CANCER CEN outgrowth of disseminated cancer cells.

#### Targeting Macrophages that Form a Chemotherapy-induced Niche Significantly Reduces Cancer Stem Cells and Tumors





Li, L and He XC, AACR 2019



### Summary

- The significance of Cancer Stem Cell has been realized and recognized in the most recent years
- CSCs are most critical for the cancer Recurrence, Resistance, and Replication
- Eradication of CSCs will cure cancer from fundament
- Colon Cancer Stem Cells (CCSC) have Characteristics and Advantages of both CSC and Intestinal System (ISC)
- Future clinical strategies and success will be tightly linked to a deeper understanding of the dynamic, adaptable, and evolving nature of CCSC



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# Summary

Comprehensive/'Cross Discipline'/Concept approval Studies

- Patient selection (based on the genetic characteristics) -- Standard
- Monitoring the treatment timely fashion -- Should be built in
- Prediction the recurrence Early with cfDNA et, al -- As an endpoint
- Pre-early phase: approve of concept (e.g. window trial) -- Main focusing of the future 'Early Phase Study'
- 'Cross discipline' -- New tech, Industry ← → Academia
- Targeting the tumor microenvironment (TME): stroma, stem cells...
  - macrophages, immune suppressor cells, fibroblasts, the vasculature, various other components of a tumor-supportive TME.
  - 'Re-education', 'Modification' the Microenviroment





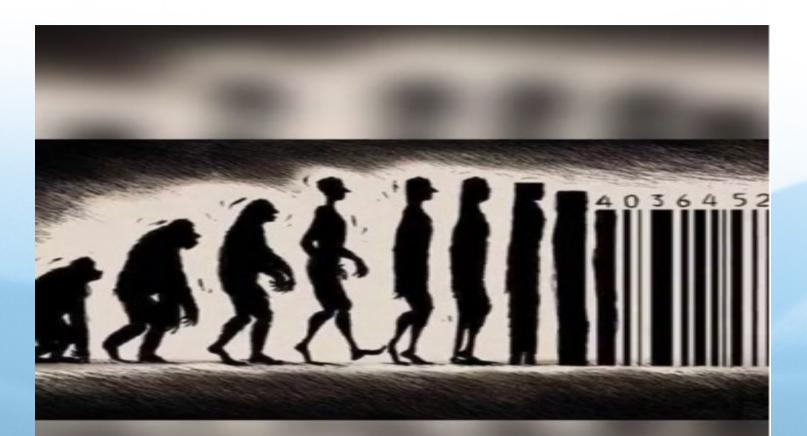
# Summary

 The Combination of Modern Technology and Biologic/Genetic Based Treatment makes Cancer Diagnosis, Treatment and Patient Care to a Different Level Completely.

 The Advances and Challenges are 'Exciting' – Needs/Dements all Sub-specialties Work Together Closer than Ever. ('May soon be beyond Our Imaginations'.)











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