

Review of: "Evaluation of the impact of pre-operative stereotactic radiotherapy on the acute changes in histopathologic and immune marker profiles of brain metastases"

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A nice descriptive study of what happens with preop SRS. importantly the authors note that 1- they are comparing pre-operatively SRS-radiated tissue with primary tissue, not with pre-SRS (i.e. unirradiated) tissue. 2- There is a relatively short interval between SRS and resection and thus late immunomodulatory effects aren't assessed. and 3-we can't definitively say what these findings mean at this juncture. But its nice starting data to have.