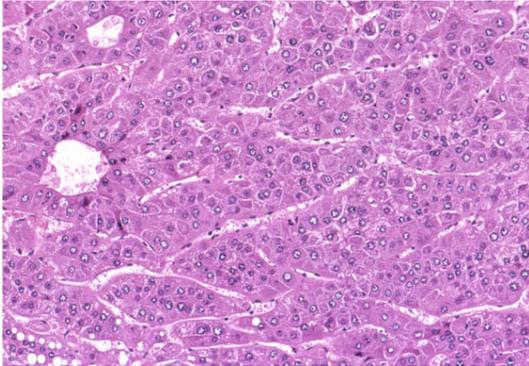
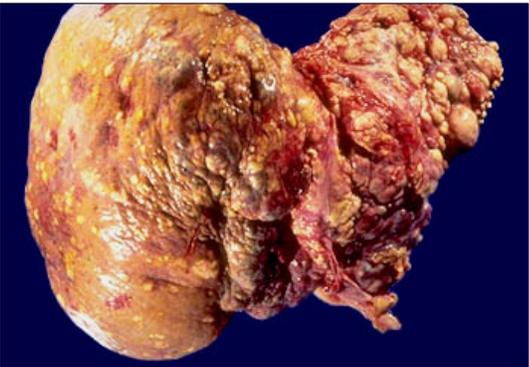


Human Liver Cancer



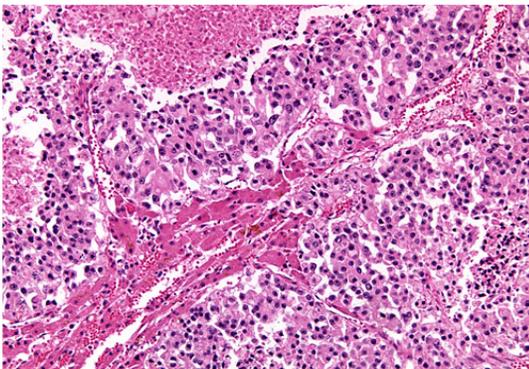
Hepatocellular Carcinoma (HCC) is the 5th most common and the 2nd most lethal malignancy worldwide with rising incidence in the western world



HCC has doubled in the US over the past two decades and is predicted to continue to rise

HCC is multi-resistant to conventional irradiation or chemotherapy

Less than 40% of the HCC patients are eligible for curative treatment (transplantation)



Relapse occurs in most HCC patients after surgery

HCC is a major public health problem