



an Open Access Journal by MDPI

# Featured Reviews in Pharmacokinetics and Pharmacodynamics of Antibiotics

Guest Editors:

#### Dr. Piera Ceschi

Department of Prevention, South Tyrolean Healthcare Service, Bressanone, Italy

#### Dr. Leonardo Pagani

Antimicrobial Stewardship Program, Infectious Diseases Unit Room 4.607 Bolzano -Central Hospital Bolzano, Bolzano, Italy

Deadline for manuscript submissions: **31 October 2024** 

### Message from the Guest Editors

Dear Colleagues,

The appropriate prescription of antibiotics relies on a thorough understanding of the pharmacokinetic (PK) and pharmacodynamic (PD) principles.

When antibiotics are chosen optimally according to these principles, it is possible to achieve a tangible improvement in clinical outcomes and to minimize potential adverse effects. Moreover, the rational use of antibiotics is a cornerstone to reduce the development of antimicrobial resistance (AMR).

Contributors are kindly invited to submit reviews including on PK/PD principles, clinical application of PK/PD in patient populations with altered drug disposition, as well as PK/PD analysis and modelling.



mdpi.com/si/129882







an Open Access Journal by MDPI

### **Editor-in-Chief**

#### Prof. Dr. Nicholas Dixon

School of Chemistry and Molecular Bioscience, University of Wollongong, Wollongong, NSW 2522, Australia

### Message from the Editor-in-Chief

There are very few fields that attract as much attention as scientific endeavor related to antibiotic discovery, use and preservation. The public, patients, scientists, clinicians, policy-makers, NGOs, governments, and supragovernmental organizations are all focusing intensively on it: all are concerned that we use our existing agents more effectively, and develop and evaluate new interventions in time to face emerging challenges for the benefit of present and future generations. We need every discipline to contribute and collaborate: molecular, microbiological, clinical, epidemiological, geographic, economic, social scientific and policy disciples are all key. Antibiotics is a nimble, inclusive and rigorous indexed journal as an enabling platform for all who can contribute to solving the greatest broad concerns of the modern world.

# **Author Benefits**

**Open Access:** free for readers, with article processing charges (APC) paid by authors or their institutions.

**High Visibility:** indexed within Scopus, SCIE (Web of Science), PubMed, PMC, Embase, CAPlus / SciFinder, and other databases.

**Journal Rank:** JCR - Q1 (*Pharmacology & Pharmacy*) / CiteScore - Q1 (*General Pharmacology, Toxicology and Pharmaceutics*)

# Contact Us

Antibiotics Editorial Office MDPI, St. Alban-Anlage 66 4052 Basel, Switzerland Tel: +41 61 683 77 34 www.mdpi.com mdpi.com/journal/antibiotics antibiotics@mdpi.com X@antibioticsmdpi