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Antimicrobial Biomaterials

Message from the Guest Editor

Microbial infections have become a top concern according to the World Health Organization, particularly considering the increased occurrence of multidrugresistant pathogens. Antimicrobial biomaterials offer a promising strategy to combat microbial infections as they can kill microbes or inhibit microbial growth on their surface or within their surrounding environment. This Special Issue is seeking manuscript submissions on all aspects of antimicrobial biomaterials, especially on the design and fabrication of novel biomaterials, the functionality of biomaterials under conditions simulating in vivo, the mode of action of antimicrobial materials, and microbe and material interactions. All submission types, including original research manuscripts, short communications, and reviews, are appreciated.

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