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Advances in Positional Vertigo

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Message from the Guest Editor

In the last 70 years the literature has been enriched with many works on positional vertigo, especially relating to BPPV. New variants, new diagnostic and therapeutic techniques, and new proposals to prevent recurrent BPPV have been described. However, positional vertigo is not exclusively BPPV. Positional vertigo has been observed in central nervous system disorders that can mimic BPPV, in inner ear disorders such as Meniere's disease, and in neurological disorders involving the inner ear. The scope of this Issue includes, but is not limited to:

- BPPV
 - New variants;
 - New approach strategies;
 - Therapeutic approach;
 - Prevention of recurrences, and vitamin D supplementation role;
 - Atypical forms;
 - Patients with poor/no response to the physical therapy;
- Pathophysiological mechanisms
 - Labyrintholithiasis, cupulolithiasis, canalolithiasis;
 - Cupulopathy, light/heavy cupula;
- Central positional vertigo
 - Vascular disorders and neoplasms of CNS;
 - Neurological/Autoimmune disorders;
- Recurrent positional vertigo in:
 - Menière; Migraine;
 - New pathophysiological proposals.



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