

Special Issue

Biological Advances in Pregnancy Complications

Message from the Guest Editors

Placenta-mediated complications result in significant short- and long-term maternal and fetal/neonatal morbidity and mortality, including preterm birth, hypertensive disorders of pregnancy, fetal growth restriction, abruption, and fetal loss. Obesity, gestational and pre-gestational diabetes, zoonotic diseases, and heat stress are increasingly prevalent worldwide. We are interested in the impact of combined exposures on mothers and babies in the short and long term. Maternal complications include metabolic syndrome and non-cardiovascular issues, while neonates may experience various health problems and developmental delays. However, the biological aspects of these complications have not been well studied. To address this gap, we plan to launch a Special Issue focusing on these topics, beneficial for basic and clinical researchers. We invite you and your colleagues to submit contributions to the Special Issue, "Biological Advances in Pregnancy Complications." We welcome original articles, reviews, and relevant communications for consideration. Your insights will enhance our understanding of pregnancy complications. We look forward to your valuable contributions.

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