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Biologics for Bone and Soft Tissue Regeneration: What Is New, What Is True

Message from the Guest Editors

Injuries to the musculoskeletal system involve bone, ligaments, muscles, and tendons, producing pain, loss of function, instability, and, in the long term, osteoarthritis. Traditionally, the management of these injuries involves activity modification, physical therapy, a variety of surgical procedures, and pharmacological agents, including non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs, corticosteroids viscosupplementation, and narcotics. All these modalities have limitations and potential side effects. This collection highlights the current status, challenges, and emerging trends on the use of these biologic therapies for regenerating musculoskeletal tissues, including bone and soft tissues. We welcome both basic and translational original research, and review articles covering, but not limited to:

- mechanisms of action of therapeutic effects of these biologics
- therapeutics effects of these biologics in regenerating bone and/or soft tissue(s)
- comparison of these biologics to current standard treatments
- identifying research gaps to guide future research and streamline translation to clinical utilization

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