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Novel Targets for Fibrosis Development: Macrophages as a Source of Ligands and Myofibroblast Transition

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Macrophages play an important role in the maintenance of tissue homeostasis; their reply to injury varies immensely depending on the nature and duration of the insult. In addition, recent studies demonstrate that macrophages can directly transform into myofibroblasts within the injured tissue. In this regard, therapeutic strategies aimed at controlling macrophage activation, polarization and transition should be emphasized in the prevention of fibrosis. We cordially invite authors in the field to submit original research or review articles pertaining to this field of biomedicine.

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