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Cellular and Molecular Mechanisms in Cardiopathy and Therapeutic Strategies

Message from the Guest Editors

Cardiovascular disease, specifically heart failure, is the leading cause of death globally. Despite current advances in the standard of care, the risk of death and the rehospitalization of HF patients remain unacceptably high. Notably, different forms of cardiopathies, defined as any sort of cardiac disease caused by maladaptive cardiac remodelling, impaired myocardial mechanics, and/or energetics, are often exposed along with the onset of HF symptoms and could act as potential targets to limit HF progression. Current treatments for cardiopathy include lifestyle changes, medications, and surgical or implantable devices, and with the advance in genome engineering, gene correction therapy for cardiomyopathy becomes promising. The primary objective of this Special Issue is to clarify our current understanding of the underlying mechanisms responsible for cardiopathy, preferably at cellular and molecular levels, that leads to HF and to explore the therapeutic strategies across interdisciplinary fields of biochemistry, biology, and engineering. We eagerly anticipate receiving your submissions and look forward to compiling an informative and insightful collection of articles.

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