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Adipose-Derived Stromal/Stem Cells

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Message from the Guest Editor

Dear Colleagues,

Adipose tissue is a rich, ubiquitous and easily accessible source for multipotent stromal/stem cells (adipose-derived stromal/stem cells, ASCs). Isolated ASCs are a heterogeneous preparation consisting of several subpopulations of stromal/stem and precursor cells. Furthermore, donor-specific differences in ASC isolations and the lack of culture standardization impede the comparison of results from different studies.

This Special Issue welcomes original research and review papers addressing:

- 1. Isolation and characterization of ASC subpopulations
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