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Ripening and Degradation Mechanisms of Neutrophil Extracellular Traps

Message from the Guest Editors

Neutrophil Extracellular Traps (NETs) represent a crucial element of the innate immune response, formed by the release of decondensed chromatin fibers and associated proteins from neutrophils. These structures play a vital role in capturing and neutralizing pathogens. However, the formation and degradation of NETs are tightly regulated processes, and any imbalance can lead to pathological conditions, including chronic inflammation, autoimmune diseases, and thrombosis.

This Special Issue seeks original papers and reviews on the mechanisms of the extracellular modification and degradation of NETs and their impact on health and disease.

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