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Novel Therapeutic Agents and Innovative Treatment Strategies Against Infectious Diseases

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This Special Issue focuses on innovative therapeutics for infectious diseases, with a particular emphasis on resistant and emerging pathogens. The rise of multidrug-resistant (MDR) and extensively drug-resistant (XDR) strains has heightened the need for novel therapies. We aim to highlight advancements in discovering new therapeutic agents, including small molecules, biologics, and vaccines, as well as innovative drug delivery systems like nanocarriers, lipid-based formulations, and targeted delivery strategies. The issue covers all microbial infections, with a focus on tuberculosis (TB), and explores novel molecular targets and host-targeted therapies to overcome microbial resistance and enhance therapeutic outcomes. It also examines new pathways in infectious disease pathogenesis, such as amino acid biosynthesis, hostmicrobe interactions, and viral replication processes, as potential targets for drug discovery. We invite original research articles and reviews that advance the understanding and treatment of microbial infections, including novel therapeutic approaches, drug targets, mechanisms of action, and delivery systems.

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