Special Issue

Problems for Managing Chronic Pain

Message from the Guest Editors

Pain Assessment in Clinical Trials (IMMPACT) recommendation asserted that clinical trials should assess outcomes representing six core domains: pain, physical functioning, emotional functioning, participant ratings of improvement and satisfaction with treatment. symptoms and adverse events, and participant disposition, it is difficult to define which type is the most appropriate outcome for each study sample. Also, it has been believed that surgical intervention is the ultimate treatment option for long-standing musculoskeletal pain conditions despite insufficient evidence. Therefore, we proposed the Special Issue focusing on "Problems for Managing Chronic Pain". The purpose of this Special Issue is to highlight problems and solutions for managing various chronic pain conditions such as headache, low back pain and arthritis pain.

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