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Cannabis, Cannabis-Based Products, and Cannabinoids for Medicinal Use

Message from the Guest Editors

Patient interest in the use of cannabis and cannabinoids to treat a variety of conditions has increased over the last decade. Increased patient demand has also been accompanied by renewed scientific interest in the therapeutic effects of cannabis, and several clinical trials have recently evaluated the medical use of cannabinoids. Although the evidence base is limited and inconsistent, findings from systematic reviews of currently available controlled clinical trials suggest that cannabinoids, when used as either adjunctive treatment or a drug of last resort, relieve some of the symptoms of some illnesses (e.g., neuropathic pain and spasticity in multiple sclerosis, chronic non-cancer pain, intractable childhood epilepsy).

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