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## Cytokines in Immune Diseases

### Message from the Guest Editor

Immune cells are ubiquitously distributed in our organism, and are sources of biologically active compounds such as cytokines/chemokines and growth factors. They also mediate innate and adaptive immunity. The increased concentration of cytokines in humans causes local and systemic inflammation, which can even lead to death. Chemokines, interleukins, lymphokines, interferons, and tumour necrosis factors are common cytokines related to immune responses. As we know, cytokines play an important role in immune diseases, such as immunological disorders, tumour immunology, asthma, allergies, etc. These topics are very intricate and deserve thorough investigation. In this Special Issue, original research articles and comprehensive reviews on the topic of cytokines in immune diseases are warmly welcomed by outstanding experts in the research area.

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