Special Issue

Research in Genetic Causes of **Adult-Onset Disorders**

Message from the Guest Editor

Advances in genomic technologies have revolutionized our understanding of monogenic adult-onset disorders, enabling accurate diagnoses and therapeutic development. Neurodegenerative diseases, cancerpredisposing syndromes, cardiomyopathies, and autosomal dominant polycystic kidney disease are prominent examples. This Special Issue focuses on recent research into the genetic causes of adult-onset disorders, emphasizing genomic approaches, mechanistic studies validating genomic findings, specific therapeutic approaches related to the genetic cause, penetrance, and variant expression of pathogenic within families. We welcome the submission of original research, case studies, up-to-date reviews, and discussions on topics including:

- Methods to validate variants of uncertain significance:
- Methods to detect and validate non-canonical variants:
- Expansion of the phenotypic spectrum and its relationship with dual molecular diagnosis;
- The clinical and molecular characterization of family members:
- Estimates of disease penetrance using population cohort data:
- Gene-tailored therapeutic options (including) pharmacogenomics).

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