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Recent Advances in Endometriosis Pathophysiology and Pharmacological Treatment

Message from the Guest Editors

Endometriosis affects up to ten percent of women of reproductive age and causes symptoms that include different chronic pelvic pain manifestations and infertility. The therapeutic strategies for this condition include the surgical resection of ectopic lesions, pain management, and different hormonal treatments. Unfortunately, our therapeutic armamentarium has not dramatically improved over the last decades. This is because the etiology and pathophysiology of endometriosis have not been completely elucidated. A better understanding of these mechanisms could lead to new therapeutic options.

We welcome all contributions, either reviews, metaanalyses or original research articles related to our topic "Recent Advances in Endometriosis Pathophysiology and Pharmacological Treatment" to this Special Issue of the International Journal of Molecular Sciences.

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