Special Issue

Women's Cardiovascular Disease

Message from the Guest Editors

Despite the fact that cardiovascular disease is the leading cause of death among women, gender-related differences in pathophysiological mechanisms, disease presentation, and comorbidities still remain under-represented in cardiovascular clinical research. Additionally, the gender gap in cardiology is not exclusive to female patients but substantially impacts the cardiology profession, where women continue to be under-represented in leadership positions. This Special Issue welcomes contributions, in the form of both original research articles and high-quality reviews, in the field of women and cardiac disease to improve the diagnosis and treatment of female patients as well as to encourage the training of female cardiologists and promote women's inclusion in leadership.

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