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Challenges and Future Trends in Bariatric Surgery

Message from the Guest Editors

Metabolic and bariatric surgery (MBS) is regarded as the most effective and durable therapeutic intervention for patients with obesity. The complexity of obesity as a chronic disease requires a comprehensive knowledge of all the available and feasible therapeutic options. Sleeve Gastrectomy (SG) and Roux-en-Y Gastric Bypass (RYGB) are the most common interventions, but new surgical procedures are spreading worldwide with different outcomes in terms of weight loss and remission of obesity-related medical conditions. The aim of this Special Issue is to report the role of methodology and the urge to develop GRADE-based guidelines, as well as the range of complications and long-term impact of MBS over time after new bariatric procedures such as one anastomosis gastric bypass, a single anastomosis sleeve-ileal bypass, or a single anastomosis duodeno-ileal bypass.

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