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Hypertrophic Cardiomyopathy: Lights and Shadows of Structural Pharmacological Treatment

Message from the Guest Editor

Hypertrophic cardiomyopathy (HCM) is the most common inherited cardiac disease and affects approximately 1:500 people worldwide. Over the last years, specific myosin inhibition as a novel treatment option showed overwhelming results in short-term treatment periods in symptomatic obstructive HCM patients. Nevertheless, long-term results and respective influences on left ventricular ejection fraction are scarce. Moreover, the effects of this novel treatment in non-obstructive HCM remain an important subject of current research, as is the impact of myosin inhibition on the occurrence of unfavourable arrhythmias, such as ventricular tachycardias and/or atrial fibrillation, which represents the main aim of this Special Issue.

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