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Current Perspectives in Management of Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease

Message from the Guest Editor

Despite considerable progress over the past several decades, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD) continues to be a major public health problem and a challenge for physicians in the 21st century. COPD represents a major problem for clinicians. The advancement of scientific knowledge and the availability of new therapeutic and diagnostic tools make the management of the disease more complex, with progressively more focused approaches towards the implementation of a more personalized medicine. As a consequence, COPD is currently in the spotlight, as its high prevalence, morbidity, and mortality create formidable challenges for health systems, with a number of clinical challenges. In this Special Issue, we want to look for initiatives, original research studies, and reviews that provide added value to the knowledge of clinicians on the management of COPD, from epidemiological, diagnostic, and therapeutic points of view, that help clinicians to move towards a more personalized medicine in the management of COPD.

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