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# Safety and Effectiveness of Medication in Elderly Patients

### Message from the Guest Editor

The elderly constitute a growing world population group, with more than 200 million people over 60 years of age. Elderly persons often suffer from multiple chronic conditions, and consequently polypharmacy is frequent. However, elderly persons are particularly susceptible to adverse drug events or interactions with other drugs due to their physiological changes, genetic predisposition, and environmental exposure. Consequently, integral and multidisciplinary approaches to promote and implement appropriate prescription and medication use in the elderly is warranted.

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