## Special Issue

## Management of Atopic Dermatitis

### Message from the Guest Editor

Atopic dermatitis (AD) is a chronic inflammatory skin condition with variable clinical phenotypes, partly related to age, ethnicity, and disease severity, that causes a significant psychological and financial impact on patients, families and society. AD clinical and molecular heterogeneity highlights the unmet need for effective therapeutic options against more than one immune axis pathways. Therapeutic goals require a multistep approach to reduce pruritus and establish disease control primarily based on disease severity, patient's age, comorbidities, compliance, and costs. Topical and systemic drugs in development are innumerable and schematically divided into intra or extracellular agents. Ongoing randomized clinical trials demonstrate the efficacy and safety of several antagonist new drugs acting on objective and subjective disease parameters and on quality of life. However, studies on real-life experience are expected to include more information since patients from clinical trials do not act typically. This Issue examines the pathophysiology, epidemiology, heterogeneous clinical presentation, burden, diagnosis, and new topical and systemic emerging treatments of AD.

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