Special Issue

Novel Pharmacological Approaches to the Treatment of Depression

Message from the Guest Editors

Depression is a common chronic neuropsychiatric disorder. It can affect people of all ages, genders, racial/ethnic/cultural backgrounds. Clinical efficiency of the available antidepressant drugs is not sufficient since a number of patients with depression do not respond to the prescribed therapy, do not achieve complete remission, and they suffer relapses. Therefore, constant attempts have been made to develop new, more effective antidepressants or treatment strategies. Research teams focus on novel compounds but also they evaluate unique combinations of known substances with an antidepressant potential. Simultaneously, intensive studies on the pathomechanism of depressive disorders have been carried out in order to identify innovative drug targets. In this Special Issue on Novel Pharmacological Approaches to the Treatment of Depression we would like to bring together experts working in the depression field and invite them to present their recent results from both pre-clinical and clinical studies related to pharmacotherapy of depressive disorders. Review articles and short communications on the latest achievements in the management of depression would be also welcome.

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