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Electrospun Nanofibers in Healthcare: Structural and Biological Properties

Message from the Guest Editors

Electrospinning has the unique ability to produce mats of sub-micrometric fibers that resemble the extracellular matrix of human tissues. These fibers may be functionalized with small molecules, growth factors, antimicrobial agents, or even cells. Therefore, potential applications of electrospun nanofibers are manifold, with special emphasis in healthcare. This Special Issue of *Materials* will collect original research articles or comprehensive reviews related to the development of electrospun fiber mats for healthcare applications, covering new electrospinning assemblies, the processing of new materials, structural design, functionalization, the encapsulation and delivery of bioactive molecules, properties, applications, in vitro studies, and in vivo studies. It is our pleasure to invite you to submit a manuscript to this Special Issue and contribute to the advances in this field.

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