

Special Issue

Heart Failure: Pathophysiology, Symptoms, Diagnosis and Treatment

Message from the Guest Editors

Heart failure is a complex clinical syndrome characterized by a constellation of symptoms and signs due to elevated intracardiac pressures and inadequate cardiac output as a result of a structural or functional abnormality of the heart.

Considering the fact that it is one of the most common causes of hospital admission with high readmission rates, heart failure undoubtedly poses a major economic burden on healthcare systems. Despite the progress in the field of diagnosis and Treatment of heart failure that has been achieved in recent decades, its prognosis still remains grim.

In this regard, *Medicina* is launching a Special Issue. The aim of this Special Issue is to enhance our current understanding and shed light on the evolving pathophysiological concepts of heart failure, discuss existing evidence, outline contemporary diagnostic and management approaches, address recent developments, and provide new insights in the field of heart failure. Accordingly, we are inviting colleagues from all over the world to submit their latest research, original studies, opinion articles, reviews, meta-analyses, case series, or interesting case reports.

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