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Antibacterial Agents 2021

Message from the Guest Editor

Multidrug-resistant (MDR) bacteria are one of the highest threats to health worldwide. The most important drugs currently in clinical use were introduced in the period between the 1950s and 1980s. A lack of established treatment guidelines for MDR bacterial infections and misuse of drugs that cause mutations in bacterial genomes have led to an increase in antibiotic resistance.

The aim of this Special Issue is to cover recent advances in the discovery of antibacterial agents. This Special Issue may include original research articles and reviews on drug targets, medicinal chemistry, new chemical entities, structural biochemistry of unexploited targets, phage therapy, vaccine, new formulations, drug delivery, pharmacokinetics and dynamic aspects, and new strategies to use approved drugs.

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