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# Metal Complexes as Potential Antimicrobial and Antiproliferative Agents

### Message from the Guest Editor

In recent decades, a large number of coordination compounds with antimicrobial and/or antitumor activity have been published. The huge interest in developing such species comes from the increased resistance of germs/tumor cells as well as from the ability of pathogenic microorganisms to develop biofilms on prosthetic materials or natural tissues. The synthesis strategies are oriented toward the use of transition metal ions, which are involved in different biological processes and polydentate ligands, either synthetic or natural, sometimes with proven antimicrobial activity. The purpose of this Special Issue is to join the effort to find new species with improved biological activity and low toxicity.

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