Special Issue

Interactions Between Early Nutrition, Early Environment, and Immunity

Message from the Guest Editors

The first 1000 days of life, including the intrauterine period, are critical for the development of a healthy immune system. During this time, both nutrition and environmental exposures play essential roles in shaping immune function. Specific nutrients, dietary patterns, and environmental factors impact the composition of the intestinal microbiota, which in turn has a decisive influence on immune system functionality throughout life. This special issue aims to highlight the complex interactions between early-life nutrition, environmental factors, and immune health. We welcome a diverse range of original studies—such as in vivo and in vitro research, case studies, cohort studies, and reviewsthat explore how these interactions contribute to immune-related conditions across the lifespan. Areas of interest include, but are not limited to, allergies, infections, autoimmune diseases, immunodeficiencies, neuroimmune disorders, obesity, metabolic syndrome, and diabetes.

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