

Special Issue

Drug Candidates for the Prevention and Treatment of Cardiovascular Diseases in Patients with Diabetes Mellitus, 2nd Edition

Message from the Guest Editor

Diabetes mellitus (DM) has already evolved into an epidemic in developing countries, especially in the western world. It raises the risk of cardiovascular diseases (CVDs) 2- to 4-fold. The aim of this Special Issue is to attract high-quality papers that focus on drugs with a potential to contribute to CVD prevention and treatment in patients with diabetes. We also expect manuscripts providing evidence or summarizing the expanding cardiovascular benefits of current anti-diabetic medications or of candidate drugs. The anti-inflammatory agents and immunomodulators used in auto-immune diseases have opened a new era in the pharmaceutical treatment of patients with CVDs. In addition to this, other drugs targeting the main pathophysiological mechanisms of myocardial or vascular remodeling are also quite promising. Finally, herbal medicine remains a very promising source of drug candidates and requires further investigation. With all this in mind, there is an increasing number of drugs that could serve effectively in the primary and secondary prevention of CVDs in DM in order to improve the survival and the quality of life of patients with diabetes.

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