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Drug Candidates for the Treatment of Breast Cancer

Message from the Guest Editor

Breast cancer has become the most commonly diagnosed cancer globally, and the incidence and number of survivors with this disease continue to increase, with most developed countries reporting 85–90% five-year survival rates. Both the relapse and metastasis of breast cancer remain great challenges, despite advances in chemoprevention, chemotherapy, endocrine therapy, and gene-targeted therapy over the past decades. Innovative therapeutic strategies are still urgently needed. Cancer vaccines and new drugs are attractive options, as they aim to induce a durable response or therapeutic relevance to eradicate breast cancer. We welcome review and original articles that highlight the challenges and opportunities in the development of breast cancer treatment drugs. The topics of interest include, but are not limited to, the following: new positioning of breast cancer treatment drugs; selective optimization and reduction of side effects; the origin and application of synthetic drugs or drug metabolites as new drugs, drug delivery systems, or for nanomaterial applications.

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