Special Issue

Natural Products in Internal Diseases: From Preclinical Research to Clinical Translation

Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue focuses on exploring natural products and their therapeutic potential in the treatment of internal diseases. Natural products have long been a rich source of bioactive compounds with diverse pharmacological properties. We invite researchers to submit studies on topics including, but not limited to:

- The isolation and characterization of bioactive compounds from natural sources;
- The mechanisms of action of therapeutic effects of natural products in internal diseases;
- The development of novel formulations and drug delivery systems for natural compounds;
- Preclinical and clinical studies evaluating the efficacy and safety of natural products;
- Pharmacokinetics, pharmacodynamics, and toxicity profiles of natural compounds;
- The synergistic effects of natural products with conventional therapies;
- Studies leveraging artificial intelligence for drug discovery and the optimization of natural product therapies;
- The evaluation of phytotherapeutics in the context of traditional practices and their integration into evidence-based medicine.

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