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Identification of Novel Compounds against Multidrug-Resistant Cancer Cells

Message from the Guest Editors

Multidrug resistance (MDR) is among the major reasons for chemotherapy failure and cancer progression. In addition to ATP-binding cassette (ABC) transporters. various additional mechanisms are involved in which the tumour cells arrange themselves and continue to proliferate even in the presence of chemotherapy drugs. Inhibitors of ABC transporters can increase the efficiency of chemotherapy to some extent, but because of the multifactorial nature of MDR phenomena, novel inhibitors to target different MDR mechanisms are required. For this purpose, various MDR-associated proteins are awaiting targeting with natural compounds or synthetic derivatives to identify novel inhibitors to overcome MDR phenomena and increase chemotherapy success rates. This special issue of Pharmaceuticals on the "Identification of Novel Compounds against Multidrug-Resistant Cancer Cells" will include both regular articles and reviews focused on the most recent advances in the identification of novel compounds against multidrug-resistant cancer cells.

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