

## Special Issue

# Development of Colon Targeted Drug Delivery System

### Message from the Guest Editors

It is well known that targeting drugs to the site of action in the colon for the treatment of colonic diseases such as ulcerative colitis and colon cancer would result in better therapeutic outcomes, as well as reduced site effects. This approach can improve the quality of life of patients suffering from these chronic diseases. The goal of this Special Issue is to publish research and review manuscripts detailing recent advances and developments in targeted drug delivery for the colon using novel approaches such as 3D printing, nanotechnology, novel tablet coating, liposomes, hydrogel, mini-capsules, and any other novel technology which can allow for effective colonic targeted drug delivery. Dr. Murtaza. M. Tambuwala

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