Special Issue

Methotrexate-Based Drug Delivery Systems: Advances in Disease Treatment

Message from the Guest Editor

Methotrexate (MTX) is a well-established drug for the treatment of a wide range of disease conditions such as cancer, psoriasis, and rheumatoid arthritis. Despite its well-established efficacy profile, MTX presents low permeability and solubility, which limits its absorption, being a constant target for pharmaceutical formulators engaging in new proposals of active pharmaceutical ingredient (API) solid-state variations and/or drug delivery system (DDS) platforms development, based on nanotechnology, smart polymers, controlled release, or alternative routes of administration to improve MTX bioavailability, reduce adverse effects, and maximize clinical efficacy, compared with conventional dosage forms.

This Special Issue aims to collect up-to-date formulation and targeting approaches for MTX, such as controlled release carriers, multiparticulate and nanotechnology-based systems, polymorphism, alternative routes of administration for the common goal of improving bioavailability, reduce adverse effects, and maximize clinical efficacy.

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