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Immunotherapeutics for Treating Infectious Diseases and Beyond

Message from the Guest Editors

Immunotherapy or immune-based therapy has a long history of success in the treatment of a wide range of human diseases, including cancer and infectious, metabolic, and autoimmune diseases, serving as a promising substitute to chemotherapeutics. This strategy involves the use of biological and/or synthetic agents to modulate host immune responses toward the cure. New technological advancements have been made to enhance the effects of therapeutic antibodies by employing several modifications, such as antibody engineering (Fc engineering, glycoengineering), as well as developing human, humanized, chimeric, and bispecific antibodies, etc. Despite this, in recent years, functional limitations related to immunotherapeutics, including inadequate pharmacokinetics and compromised non-specific interactions within the immune system, have been revealed and these deficits indicate the need to perform additional in-depth research and more significant efforts in this direction.

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