



CoQ10 and Aging and Age-Related Diseases

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Message from the Guest Editor

CoQ10 is key as the antioxidant preventing the oxidation of lipids in cell membranes and also in lipoproteins in plasma. This function is essential in many different aspects related with aging and with age-related diseases such as cardiovascular and neurological diseases, kidney dysfunction, muscle wasting, and immunological dysfunction and inflammatory processes, among others.

We invite you to submit your latest research findings or a review article to this Special Issue. In this issue, we want to summarize and increase knowledge of the important function of CoQ10 in aging and its relationship with age-related diseases, with an important focus on the antioxidant function of CoQ10 in the prevention of oxidative damage in cell membranes. Its relationship with nutrition, life habits, and health during aging will be another important aspect to be highlighted in this Special Issue. Further, studies of the importance of bioavailability of this molecule in elderly people and/or the induction of its synthesis during aging are very welcome since these aspects are not completely addressed.

I look forward to your contribution.





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