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Pathogenesis and Treatment of Preeclampsia

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Message from the Guest Editors

Preeclampsia is a pregnancy-specific hypertensive disorder with multisystem involvement. It is one of the "great obstetrical syndromes" with multiple etiologic factors that converge to an angiogenic imbalance, such as endothelial dysfunction.

Preeclampsia complicates 5–8% of pregnancies worldwide and is one of the main causes of maternal and perinatal morbidity and mortality. Despite the increase in knowledge of its pathogenesis, there is no specific cure for this disease, other than delivery. Therefore, there is an urgent need for therapeutic strategies to prolong pregnancy in the case of early-onset forms and to prevent/reduce maternal–fetal– neonatal complications.

This Special Issue aims to collate research that explores all potential therapies for the prevention and treatment of preeclampsia, in the light of new etiopathogenetic evidence.









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