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## Mitochondrial Dysfunction and Immuno-Oxidative Stress in Neuropsychiatric Disorders

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### Message from the Guest Editors

Evidence suggests that metabolic changes associated with immuno-oxidative pathway, including mitochondrial dysfunction, redox dysregulation, oxidative stress and neuroinflammation, play an important role in the pathophysiology of numerous neuropsychiatric diseases and aging-associated brain disorders. The interaction between these processes disrupts local neuronal circuits and leads to disconnection between distant brain regions, ultimately impairing information processing and affecting cognitive function. However, the molecular mechanisms and alternated metabolisms associated with these abnormalities, particularly in relation to immuno-oxidative pathways in the brains of neuropsychiatric patients, and the ways in which they change over time are not yet fully understood. This Special Issue aims to advance our understanding of these underlying mechanisms and explore novel therapeutic approaches that can alleviate the burden of these disorders.



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