



New Diagnostic and Therapeutic Approaches in Food Allergy

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Message from the Guest Editors

Dear Colleagues,

Food allergy is an adverse reaction of the immune system triggered by harmless food-derived allergens. Although various studies and guidelines have emphasized that food allergies are more common in children than in adults, they can cause mild to severe symptoms in both groups and can sometimes be life-threatening. Therefore, diagnosis and treatment are crucial to avoid food allergy reactions.

This Special Issue welcomes submissions of Original Research Articles, Clinical Case Reports and Reviews on novel studies performed in the diagnosis and treatment of food allergies. Specific subject areas of interest include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Specific mechanisms of food allergy (cellular and molecular).
- Current clinical tips on food allergy diagnosis.
- Novel methods on food allergy diagnosis.
- Cellular and molecular biomarkers of food allergy.
- The role in food tolerance acquisition.
- Involvement of dendritic cells, T regulatory cells and innate lymphoid cells in food allergy mechanisms.
- New perspectives of allergen immunotherapy.
- New approaches to desensitization in food allergy.
- Monoclonal antibody therapies in food allergy treatment.....



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