



## The Role of Fascia in Pain Perception and Manual Therapy

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This Special Issue, “The Role of Fascia in Pain Perception and Manual Therapy”, aims to publish the latest developments in the role of the different fasciae in pain perception with a major emphasis on the tools for diagnosis, on the mechanism of action of manual therapy with a difference between superficial or deep massage, on the bioimages analysis, and on the investigation of the mechanical behaviour. Original research, brief reports, and review articles are invited.





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