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The Role of the Immune System in Systemic Sclerosis

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Systemic sclerosis is a systemic inflammatory disease that begins with immune abnormalities and leads to vascular damage and fibrosis. Although basic research has typically focused on B cells, vascular endothelial cells, and fibroblasts, systemic sclerosis research has made rapid progress, especially in recent years. Reasons for these advances include technological advances such as single cell analysis, as well as advances in clinical and translational research. These rapid advances have left no doubt surrounding the involvement of inflammatory cytokines and immune abnormalities in the pathogenesis of systemic sclerosis. This Special Issue, entitled "The Role of the Immune System in Systemic Sclerosis", aims to advance research on the involvement of the immune system in systemic sclerosis research.

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