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# From Molecular Basis to Therapeutic Approaches in Skeletal Muscle Dysfunction

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## **Message from the Guest Editors**

The aim of this Special Issue is the collection of original reports and literature reviews, both basic science and translational research investigation, with current knowledge from the molecular basis to therapeutic approaches to several types of skeletal muscle dysfunction.

Nutritional interventions and exercise tests have already begun in humans. However, much of the research on the molecular basis and therapeutic approaches has been developed from myotube cells, small animal models such as the nematode *C. elegans* and *Drosophila melanogaster*, and rodents, such as mice and rats. Collecting the latest results related to these basic studies will lead to the development of applications for combating human skeletal muscle dysfunction.













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