



## Dementia: From Molecular Pathophysiology to Novel Therapeutic Approaches

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### Message from the Guest Editor

Dementia is a serious health and economic problem worldwide. Despite many efforts, there are not effective treatments to prevent or cure dementia. Neurodegenerative dementias are characterized by the accumulation of specific proteins, but they also share common processes. The cooperation of all these mechanisms determines the onset and progression of such diseases. Therefore, modern therapies are moving from monocentric to multitarget approaches. Another crucial point in dementia research is the lack of concordance between animal or cellular models with human studies, especially in terms of drug efficacy.

This Special Issue aims to cover every necessary step in the process of developing new drugs in the field of neurodegenerative dementias, including:

Identifying models that faithfully reproduce human pathologies;

Expanding knowledge on pathophysiological mechanisms and their interconnections in determining the onset and progression of dementias;

Screening for potential new drugs.

Experimental studies in in vitro or in vivo models and biomolecular experiments in clinical settings are both welcome for consideration.





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