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# Role of Dysfunctional Adipose Tissue in the Pathogenesis of Multiple Organ Injuries

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The scope of this Special Issue includes, but is not limited to, the following:

- Dysfunctional adipose tissue and beta-cell wellness: an ineffective combination.
- Impact of dysfunctional adipose tissue depots on the cardiovascular system.
- Role of adipose tissue dysfunction in the onset of obesity-related hypogonadism.
- Adipose tissue inflammation and pulmonary dysfunction in obesity.
- Mechanisms linking excess of adipose tissue to increased risk of neurodegenerative diseases.
- Dysfunctional adipose as risk factors for the development of dermatological diseases.



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