



## Molecular Mechanisms of Placental Diseases and Related Pregnancy Complications

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The human placenta is a temporary but highly complex organ of pregnancy. Defects in placental functions have been implicated in the pathophysiology of most pregnancy complications, including preeclampsia, HELLP syndrome, placental abruption, preterm birth, and intrauterine growth restriction, which have enormous impacts on the lifelong health of mothers and the babies born to the mothers with these conditions. However, the molecular underpinnings of such placental defects are poorly understood.

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