



Pathological Mechanisms Involved in Restenosis Progression

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Dear Colleagues,

Percutaneous coronary intervention (PCI) has been widely used for acute coronary syndrome (ACS). However, restenosis has always remained to be a major concern for the effectiveness and complication of PCI. Although the development of drug eluting stents (DESs) has significantly reduced the restenosis rate down to 5-20% of patients after PCI as compared to bare metal stents (BMS), intervention or prediction of restenosis still remains to be an important issue to maintain the life quality of patients receiving PCI. Novel DES with even lower restenosis rate or pharmacological approaches to prevent restenosis or identification of precise risk factors leading to restenosis are all awaiting further exploration. This Special Issue "Pathological Mechanisms Involved in Restenosis Progression" will call for papers with outstanding findings to eliminate the incidence of restenosis or to identify biomarkers for the prediction of restenosis.

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