



## Further Understanding of Myocardial Diseases: From Mechanisms to Treatment

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### Message from the Guest Editor

Myocardial diseases are abnormalities of the cardiac muscle and can be divided into primary and secondary types. Primary myocardial diseases are mainly related to genetic causes and include different cardiomyopathies (hypertrophic, dilated, restrictive, infiltrative, etc.) and storage diseases. Secondary types of myocardial diseases are mostly acquired (with a potential genetic background) and can be caused by hypertension, valvular heart disease, ischemia, or heart rhythm disease, among other conditions.

This Special Issue aims to provide an overview of the latest evidence and close the gaps in the current understanding of myocardial diseases to improve treatment options. Therefore, I welcome the submission of in-depth review articles and innovative original research papers in the important field of myocardial diseases.

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