



Latest Advances in Degenerative Spinal Disease

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Message from the Guest Editor

Dear Colleagues,

As a spine surgeon performing surgery in all spine—my particular interest in the field of surgery is to reduce the invasiveness of spinal surgery and improve its safety. We believe that elucidating the mechanisms of spinal degeneration and spinal deformity can prevent the onset and progression of these diseases. My research comprises 20 years of studying tissue degeneration caused by oxidative stress; We have shown that excessive oxidative stress in tissue causes age-related degenerative diseases in mice. Building on these findings, we intend to explore clinically problematic neuropathies and spinal deformities through surgical and preventive developments in research.

Fortunately, I had the opportunity to participate in a special project on spinal degenerative diseases. We would like to ask you to report your original research or review the latest findings. We ask for your cooperation so that we can incorporate a special feature with substantial content.

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