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Bone Regeneration and Repair Materials

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Message from the Guest Editors

Bone tissue has a remarkable capacity to regenerate after injury and trauma. However, the extent of bone loss or the presence of concurring diseases can often surpass its regenerative ability, leading to the failure of conventional procedures and, consequently, the need for additional treatments. Regenerative medicine in the context of bone regeneration encompasses all currently available treatments including biological and material approaches as well as the combination of both, which are under the scrutiny of researchers and clinicians. This Special Issue, "Bone Regeneration and Repair Materials", aims to compile original articles and reviews in this field, covering all aspects of scientific investigation from bench to bedside. Papers dealing with, but not limited to: new insights on the use of grafts and/or fixation devices; the role of cells and growth factors, either combined or not with biomaterials; development, physico-chemical modifications, the characterizations, and biological evaluations of bone biomaterials; and innovative advances toward bone regeneration are of great interest.



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