



Current Trends and Advances in Spondyloarthritis

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Message from the Guest Editor

Spondyloarthritis (SpA) represent a heterogeneous group of chronic inflammatory diseases, characterized by axial, enthesitis and peripheral involvement that may occur together with extra-articular manifestations.

In recent years, although the growing knowledge of pathophysiology, genetic predisposition, classification criteria, imaging and treatment has profoundly increased the quality of the research on SpA, the complexity and variety of clinical manifestations of the disease still cause diagnostic and therapeutic delay. Thus, the increased awareness of the early stage of the disease and knowledge of clinical progression in late stages might contribute to revolutionize the treat-to-target strategy with more tailored and multifactorial treatments and the achievement of a drug-free remission in SpA patients.

The aim of this Special Issue is to provide a broad update on the pathogenetic, diagnostic and clinical aspects of SpA that might ameliorate the knowledge from bench to bedside of some still enigmatic aspects of disease.

We are soliciting original articles, reviews, systematic reviews and meta-analyses, as well as case series related to future challenges in the field of SpA.





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