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Drug Candidates for Anesthesia and Analgesia

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Only a few new analgesics with a new mechanism of action have emerged so far during the 21st century. In addition to the discovery of novel analgesic targets, there is also a need for individualized tailoring and repurposing of the currently used analgesics in drug delivery aspects, as well as identifying patient groups benefiting most from therapy. Recent and evolving drug innovations are primarily focused on modifying the chemical structures of existing drugs or drug classes with the intent to improve their pharmacodynamic, pharmacokinetic, and adverse effect profiles.

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