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## The Effect of Gastrectomy on Drug Activity

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### Message from the Guest Editors

Dear Colleagues,

Complete or partial gastric resection significantly changes gastrointestinal motility. The absorption area and the pH of the gastric juice are reduced, enzymes and transporters are disturbed, and the duodenum becomes a non-functional organ. All these anatomical and physiological changes in the gastrointestinal tract affect the absorption, metabolism, and transport of drugs taken orally.

For this Special Issue, we welcome contributions on every aspect of total or partial gastric resection in obese or cancer patients. Of interest are the pharmacokinetics of drugs, mainly the absorption and metabolism of anti-cancer drugs, as well as therapeutic drug monitoring. An additional aspect that can be discussed is the influence of gender, age, obesity, or diabetes on drug activity after gastrectomy.

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