

Special Issue

The Kidneys in Autoimmune Disease: From Basic Mechanisms to Clinical Outcomes

Message from the Guest Editors

The kidneys are major organs affected by systemic autoimmune diseases, and acute kidney injury in these conditions has increased mortality. With this Special Issue, we aim to give an overview of systemic autoimmune diseases with a preference for kidney involvement. These include systemic vasculitis, systemic lupus erythematosus, and underrecognized conditions, such as primary Sjögren's syndrome or sarcoidosis. In the latter condition, affection of the kidneys is rare, but newer studies show a higher prevalence of renal sarcoidosis than previously reported. This Special Issue aims to provide a broad overview of current and new knowledge on renal manifestations in systemic autoimmune diseases, including original studies and reviews on histopathology, biomarkers, clinical outcomes, and novel therapeutic strategies, especially using immunomodulating therapies.

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