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Percutaneous Coronary Intervention (PCI): Past, Present and Future

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Message from the Guest Editors

Percutaneous coronary intervention (PCI) represents the most common strategy to manage flow-limiting coronary artery stenoses. According to the latest evidence from large randomized or observational studies, PCI continues to improve with an ever-broadening indication in light of the newer devices and procedural techniques, which has led higher rates of successful procedures and improved clinical outcomes over time. PCI has also been offered to more complex patients including those at high-risk or with cardiogenic shock, eventually through devices for mechanical support.

The aim of the present Special Issue is to offer insights into the implementation of diagnosis and treatment of patients with coronary artery disease (CAD), covering several aspects of interventional cardiology from procedural techniques to peri-procedural management. The intended primary target audience consists of clinicians who are involved in the care of patients for whom revascularization is indicated. We invite researchers and clinicians to submit their works, including original clinical research studies, meta-analyses, and reviews, related to the PCI field.













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