



## **Myocardial Infarction: Prevention and Treatment**

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### **Message from the Guest Editors**

Cardiovascular diseases are the leading cause of death globally, and this record is linked to a number of risk factors that, acting alone or in integrated way, are responsible for the development and progression of atherothrombotic disease and its complications. Ischemic heart disease is also considered a complex disease as it is conditioned by both environmental factors and multiple genetic influences. Despite significant improvements over the past decades, acute myocardial infarction remains a major cause of mortality and morbidity and a major source of expense for the National Health System.

The aim of this Special Issue is to offer the readers the best overview about prevention and treatment of myocardial infarction in its many ways in order to give a global and complete vision of the problem.





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