Special Issue on Congenital Disorder

Call for Papers

**Congenital disorder** is the abnormality of structure and function of the human body arising during development. The incidence is 2~5% in newborn. Genetic abnormalities, the intrauterine (uterus) environment, errors of morphogenesis, infection, or a chromosomal abnormality may cause congenital disorder. The outcome of the disorder will depend on complex interactions between the pre-natal deficit and the post-natal environment. Although prenatal diagnosis (screening) can be used to detect some disorders before birth, more need to be discussed on *congenital disorder*.

In this special issue, we intend to invite front-line researchers and authors to submit original researches and review articles on exploring *congenital disorder*. Potential topics include, but are not limited to:

- Congenital physical anomaly
- Birth defects
- Congenital malformation
- Causes of congenital disorder
- Epidemiology of congenital disorder
- Treatment of congenital disorder
- Prevention of congenital disorder

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