



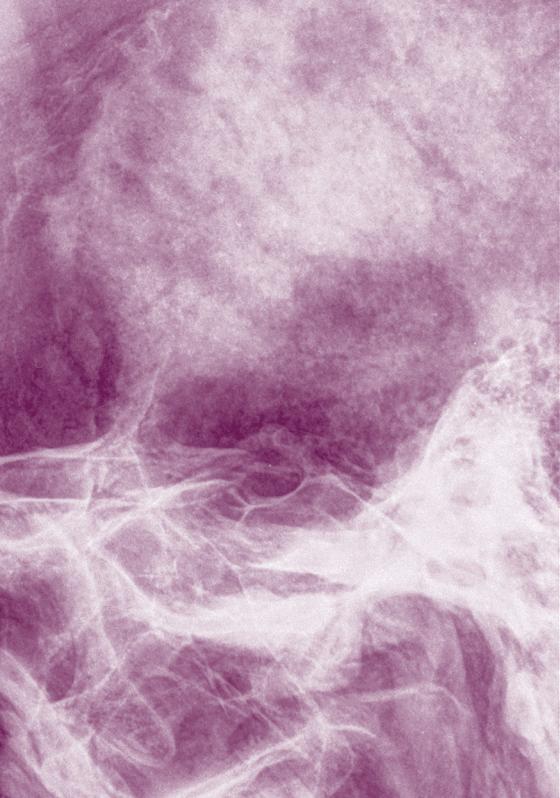
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# Message from the Editor-in-Chief

*Medicines* (ISSN 2305-6320) is an international, peer-reviewed, and open-access journal aimed at disseminating cutting-edge research in the field of drug discovery and clinical application. It publishes original research papers, research communications, letters, and systematic reviews. The contents of the papers handled are manufacture of new drugs, exploration of drug-delivery systems, therapeutic effect, action mechanism, and their modulation by intrinsic and extrinsic factors. We look forward to handling your contributions in the very near future.

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**Editor-in-Chief**

Prof. Dr. Hiroshi Sakagami

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## Scope

The following topics are suggested (in alphabetical order):

- Clinical application of drugs
- Combination effects of more than two drugs
- Drug development
- Drug regulations
- Hormesis
- Identification of target molecule of the drug
- Modulation factors of drugs (such as aging, sex, microenvironment and physiological fluids)
- Overcoming drug tolerance
- Pharmacodynamics
- Pharmacokinetics
- Pharmacogenomics
- Pharmacovigilance
- Pharmaceutical formulation
- Specificity and adverse effects of drug

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