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THE ROLE OF METABOLOMICS IN PERSONALIZED MEDICINE: **UNLOCKING NEW PATHWAYS TO PRECISION HEALTH**

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Metabolomics offers real-time biochemical insights that enhance **Abstract:** personalized medicine by linking metabolic profiles to disease states, drug responses,

and lifestyle factors. This review highlights its principles, clinical applications, technological progress, and challenges in advancing precision healthcare across *multiple medical fields.*

Introduction

Personalized medicine aims to tailor treatment High-throughput platforms like to each patient's unique biological structure. spectrometry (MS) and nuclear magnetic Metabolomics, the study of small-molecule resonance (NMR) have enhanced metabolite metabolites in biological systems, has emerged detection and quantification. Integration as a vital tool in this approach by providing with artificial intelligence further improves dynamic insights into physiological and pattern recognition and biomarker discovery. pathological states.

Metabolomics involves the large-scale analysis of metabolites in cells, tissues, or fluids. It reflects the end products of gene expression and environmental interaction, making it responsive to disease processes, highly treatment effects, and lifestyle influences.

Technological advances

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• Challenges in personalized medicine

Metabolomics faces several challenges that must be addressed to enable its integration into clinical practice. Analytical variability and the complexity of biological samples can compromise the consistency and reliability

• Role in personalized medicine

Metabolomics offers real-time, functional data that complements genomic, transcriptomic, and proteomic information. It enables the identification of metabolic signatures associated with specific diseases or treatment responses, guiding individualized diagnosis, prognosis, and therapy.

Clinical applications of metabolomics include identifying tumor-specific metabolic pathways for early cancer detection and targeted therapy, evaluating metabolic risk and disease progression, factors and predicting drug responses to personalize treatment and dosing strategies.

of results.

Also, the absence of standardized procedures across laboratories limits data comparability and validation. Addressing these issues is critical for the successful and widespread adoption of metabolomics in personalized medicine.

Conclusions

Metabolomics is reshaping personalized healthcare by providing actionable insights into individual health profiles. As tools and methodologies evolve, it will play a central role in the future of precision diagnostics and therapeutic strategies.





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