

NIDDK P30 Center for Molecular Studies in Digestive and Liver Diseases



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"Targeting inflammation to sustain oral and systemic health"

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Dr. Sahingur's research program has been continuously funded by federal and non-federal grants and focuses on defining the role of immune and inflammatory pathways in periodontal disease pathogenesis, genetic and epigenetic susceptibility to periodontitis and the link between oral and systemic diseases. Sahingur and her team initiated the studies that revealed the involvement of nucleic acid sensing and ubiquitination in periodontal disease pathogenesis and more recently the link between oral cavity, gut, and liver axis. Dr. Sahingur actively serves academia and scientific community in many capacities where she participates as a standing member in NIH study sections and in editorial boards of journals including Journal of Dental Research and Molecular Oral Microbiology.

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