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Abstract

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Content

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Navigation

The navigation between links is quick, and some information, such as figures, can be easily downloaded to other programs.

Reporter's comments

Timeliness

Update times are not given, but the most recent 'Positions Available' and meetings postings are from August 2001.

Best feature

The bringing together of many different sites concerning steroid nuclear receptors is very useful.

Worst feature

Some links go to pages that are empty, with no logo or other content.

Wish list

A search engine could help users locate information, and spell checking would make it more useful.

Related websites

Endocrinology databases is a collection of databases on hormones and their functions in humans and animals.

Table of links

The nuclear receptor resource

Endocrinology databases

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