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The Bioethics of iPS Cell-Based Drug Discovery

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2nd Floor Main Building iCeMS Complex 1

The ethical issues surrounding the use of iPS cell-based drug discovery systems are derived from the notion of moral complicity. Regardless of one's views about the moral status of preimplantation human embryos, it is argued that researchers and other beneficiaries of this technology must think seriously about two possible sources of their moral complicity -- embryo destruction and injustices to the original somatic cell donor.

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