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**Message from the Guest Editors**

According to the WHO around three billion people use solid fuels to provide energy for their day to day cooking and heating needs. These dirty-burning fuels produce large amounts of partial products of combustion that lead to high levels of air pollution both indoors in the household and outdoors. WHO estimates that over four million people die every year as a result of exposure to household air pollution. The morbidity and mortality associated with exposure to household air pollution is associated with poverty and, as such, is a particular problem for the rural poor and for people living in sub-Saharan Africa especially.

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