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# **Tobacco Harm Reduction**

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### Message from the Guest Editors

Dear Colleagues,

Tobacco Harm Reduction has been a controversial area in public health, largely due to the promotion by the tobacco industry of cigarette modifications that gave the appearance of reduced harm, without reducing health risk. This may have increased overall harm by discouraging smokers from quitting. However, there is now good evidence that switching from cigarettes to some alternate nicotine and tobacco products can reduce exposure to harmful constituents and reduce health risk. Newer products, such as e-cigarettes and other vaping devices and heated tobacco products are generating substantial interest. This Special Issue welcomes submissions on these priority research areas and other research that advances our understanding of the potential place of tobacco harm reduction within a comprehensive strategy to reduce the burden of smoking related disease and assists policy makers to determine what level of regulation is most appropriate.

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