



Long-Term Effects of Venom in Bites and Stings

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Message from the Guest Editor

Globally, venomous bites and stings are significant public health issues. In general, the most affected are the rural farming communities in tropics who mostly have poor access to healthcare. As a result of the socioeconomic factors of the vulnerable communities, which limit reporting, accurate estimates of the global burden of venomous bites and stings remain far from reality. Even presently, many victims of bites and stings seek treatment from healers and traditional practitioners, and hence never appear in the national health statistics of their countries.

This Special Issue of *Toxins* presents the most recent data on the long-term effects of bites and stings, covering a wide range of topics, including epidemiology, clinical effects, and mechanistic insights on the clinical effects.





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