

Special Issue

Parasitic Diseases in Canines and Felines and Their Vectors

Message from the Guest Editors

Parasitic diseases in dogs and cats, both domestic and wild, are one of the most important problems for these living creatures. They are caused by various parasites, including protozoa, trematodes, cestodes, nematodes, and arthropods. These diseases cause severe and potentially fatal damage to their hosts, many of them being cosmopolitan diseases. Moreover, they cause important economic losses, both for the administration in the case of wild or stray animals, and for the owners in the case of domestic animals. Knowledge of the biology, the current epidemiological status in any region, parasite diagnosis and antiparasitic treatments, and control measures have an important role to play in society. In addition, it should be noted that many of these diseases are zoonotic, meaning that people can be affected, as well as the health care system, which is important from a One Health perspective; controlling these diseases and their consequences has a direct impact on the environment and human health. We invite you to share your recent findings through this Special Issue, focused on all kinds of parasitic diseases in dogs and cats.

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