

Special Issue

Zoonoses: Wild and Domestic Animal Interaction

Message from the Guest Editors

The emergence of zoonotic pathogens is one of the greatest challenges to global health security. The severity of zoonotic diseases is compounded by several factors, including the connection with domestic and wild animals. The interconnections between domestic and wild animals are very important to understand the epidemiology of zoonotic infectious disease and to prevent human infections, on the basis of the “One Health” approach. Recent studies highlight that the diffusion of extensive breeding could promote contact between wildlife and domestic animals, and, therefore, the spread of infectious diseases. This Special Issue aims to explore and understand the epidemiology and/or the effect of bacterial, viral, and parasitic zoonotic diseases in wild and domestic animals. You are invited to submit either an original article or a review summarizing different aspects of zoonoses. Articles highlighting and documenting any aspect of bacterial, viral, or parasitic zoonoses in wild and domestic animals are welcome and will be taken into consideration for the publication.

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