Special Issue

Canine Behavior, Behavioral Wellbeing

Message from the Guest Editor

Canine behaviors have been studied from the aspect of owner's perceptions, symptoms of behavior disorders, and medical disorders such as neurological conditions or pain. In recent years, as the knowledge of this field has grown, there is increased awareness of the importance of psychological and behavioral well-being and their impact on the physiological health of dogs. However, we also realize more studies are needed to collect quantitative data that allow for clinical application. Multidimensional factors that help to enhance our scientific understanding of canine behaviors are

- Interpreting and evaluating behaviors;
- Preventing behavior disorders;
- Optimizing therapeutic outcomes;
- Evaluating behavior training and management;
- Assessing environmental factors;
- Examining influence of caregiver's satisfaction or burden.

This Special Issue welcomes contributions on these topics in original and clinical investigations or literature reviews from interdisciplinary research.

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