Special Issue

Food Safety and Microbiological Hazards

Message from the Guest Editor

Food safety is a necessary individual right and a fundamental element of human health and socioeconomic development. Pathogenic bacteria, fungi, and viruses are the drivers of microbiological food hazards and are the major causative agents of food safety issues around the world. The following subtopics are of particular interest: (i) epidemiology of microbiological food hazards and their causative agents, (ii) microbiological toxins as food safety hazards, (iii) surveillance and risk assessment of microbiological hazards in food and food systems, (iv) microbiological food safety practices, guidelines, and regulatory frameworks, (v) risk communication, awareness, and consumer education, (vi) prevention, control, and management of food pathogens, (vii) emerging microbiological pathogens and food safety implications, (viii) biotechnology and bioengineering: prospects and consequences for microbial food safety, (ix) globalization and the digital revolution: challenges and opportunities for food safety

- food safety
- microbiological food hazards
- food spoilage
- food pathogens
- microbiological contaminants of foods
- foodborne disease
- microbial toxins

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