

Special Issue

Point-of-Care Testing for Infectious Disease

Message from the Guest Editor

Infectious diseases, including COVID-19, are still the leading cause of death globally. One of the most efficient strategies to prevent the spread of diseases and guide proper treatment is providing a quick, on-site diagnostic test, such as the point-of-care (POC) test. Various diagnostic methods and/or devices have been advanced in terms of their speed, portability, and readout during the SARS-CoV-2 pandemic. There is still an urgent need effective treatments for the vast majority of other infectious diseases caused by bacteria (*Mycobacterium tuberculosis* (Mtb), *Staphylococcus aureus*), viruses (Human papillomavirus, Hepatitis C, Norovirus, influenza), fungi (*Coccidioidomycosis*), and parasites (Malaria). Thus, innovative POC methods and devices that can be used to identify those infectious diseases is the aim of this Special Issue of *Diagnostics*. This Special Issue of *Diagnostics* focuses on “Point-of-Care Testing for Infectious Disease” and invites submissions on future possibilities, recent advances, emerging approaches, and the best up-to-date standard operation manufacture for POC devices.

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