Special Issue

Plant-Based Foods and Human Health

Message from the Guest Editor

Rising awareness of health and wellness is behind the popularity of plant-based foods, which are rich in polyphenols, polysaccharides, peptides, and other small-molecule compounds. More and more research has shown that plant-based diets are cost-effective, low-risk interventions that go a long way towards improving and maintaining health. The beneficial effects of plant-based foods on health include, but are not limited to, the following aspects:

- Anti-obesity:
- The prevention and management of diabetes;
- Lower risk of heart disease;
- Lower blood pressure;
- Increased chances of longevity.

This Special Issue explores the beneficial effects of plant-based foods and their active compounds on human nutrition and health.

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