

Special Issue

Advancing Communication in Healthcare for Special Populations: Equity, Access and Empowerment

Message from the Guest Editor

We are pleased to invite submissions to the *Healthcare* Special Issue, titled “Advancing Communication in Healthcare for Special Populations: Equity, Access and Empowerment”. In this Special Issue, original research articles and reviews are welcome. Research areas may include (but are not limited to) the following:

- Health communication campaigns designed to target special populations.
- Research that addresses issues surrounding equity and/or accessibility to healthcare for people belonging to special populations.
- Thoughts and experiences regarding lessons learned from health literacy/education projects among special populations.
- Steps taken using health strategies, for disease prevention, to empower special populations.
- Research about health provider/patient communication that targets special populations to encourage behavioral changes and/or access to quality healthcare.
- Papers addressing theoretical models and concepts with a focus on empowering and helping special populations gain access to quality healthcare.

I look forward to receiving your contributions.

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We would be pleased to welcome you as one of our authors.

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