

## Special Issue

# Social Determinants of Health/Mental Health Among Youth and Young Adults

### Message from the Guest Editor

This Special Issue aims to highlight innovative research and reviews that align with the journal's scope, specifically focusing on how social determinants influence the health/mental health and development of Youth and young adults (YYAs). We seek to gather a collection of works that offer new insights, methodologies, and evidence-based strategies to inform healthcare research, practice, and policy aimed to collectively tackle this challenge. We welcome submissions on the following topics:

- Systematic reviews summarizing and synthesizing current evidence of social determinants of health and mental health among YYAs;
- Quantitative and qualitative research that uses an intersectional approach to examine or explore social determinants of health among YYAs;
- Papers developing or refining measurement, conceptual, or theoretical models related to the social determinants of health and mental health among YYAs;
- Papers examining policy or programs that address social determinants among YYAs.

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