Special Issue

Interventions and Strategies to Address Pain- and Injury-Related Morbidity and Mortality

Message from the Guest Editors

We are pleased to invite submissions to this Special Issue, which aims to showcase research on the efficacy of interventions targeting pain- and injury-related morbidity and mortality outcomes. Submissions may include studies from clinical, community, or sports-related settings and should aim to inform rehabilitation theory-practice, enhance recovery, and ultimately reduce the burden of pain and injury in diverse populations. Studies incorporating movement analysis, muscle function assessment, or musculoskeletal modeling to inform intervention design are particularly welcome. Research areas may include (but are not limited to) the following:

- Interventions and strategies for acute and chronic pain rehabilitation and management;
- Interventions and strategies for prevention and rehabilitation of musculoskeletal injuries;
- Biomechanical and neuromechanical perspectives on movement impairments related to pain and injury (e.g., ACL injury, osteoarthritis);
- Analyses of moderators, mediators and causal pathways of intervention efficacy addressing pain- and injury-related outcomes.

We look forward to receiving your contributions.

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