

## Special Issue

# The Effects of Social Relationships on Health in Old Age

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This Special Issue of *Healthcare* seeks commentaries, original research, short reports, and reviews on the effects of social relationships on health in old age, focusing on new and emerging topics. This Special Issue aims to identify dimensions of social relationships that promote physical, cognitive and mental health. It will also welcome contributions exploring moderating and mediating factors, as well as longitudinal processes and objective health measures that may provide a firmer ground for decision making in addition to self-report measures. Additional related contributions are welcome. It is envisioned that health policy specialists, policymakers, and healthcare practitioners will use this Special Issue as a resource for developing progressive social interventions for older adults.

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