



Mental Health, Stigma and Addictive Behaviors

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Message from the Guest Editors

Dear Colleagues,

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Potential topics include (but are not limited to):

- Mental health and economic factors;
- Mental health and homelessness;
- The stigma of mental health;
- Prevention of stigma related to intellectual disability;
- Compulsive gambling;
- Internet gaming disorders;
- Other addictive behaviors;
- Self-regulation and addictive behaviors;
- Interventions in substance abuse;
- Relapse prevention in the treatment of substance abuse.





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