



## Pandemic Preparedness: Lessons Learned from COVID-19

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The International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health is preparing an important and timely Special Issue with the theme "Pandemic Preparedness: Lessons Learned from COVID-19", as the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic has highlighted the need for robust mechanisms and global preparedness and responses to such public health crises. In this Special Issue, a variety of research articles, reviews, and perspectives that cover different aspects related to pandemic preparedness and lessons learned from the COVID-19 pandemic will be considered. The following are a few potential areas of focus that you may consider: Epidemiology and Public Health Response; Healthcare Infrastructure and Capacity; Vaccine Development and Distribution; Communication and Information Dissemination; Global Collaboration and Preparedness; Lessons Learned and Recommendations; Ethical Considerations.

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