



## Risk Factors for Adolescent Substance Use and Addictive Behaviors

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### Message from the Guest Editors

A wide range of topics will be included in this Issue, related to risk and protective factors for addictive behaviors and substance use during adolescence, including risk perception, neurobiological risk factors, socioeconomic and cultural factors for smartphone addiction, internet addiction, internet gaming addiction, substance abuse (tobacco, alcohol cannabis), etc.

This Special Issue in the International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health is dedicated to recent findings on “Risk Factors for Adolescent Substance Use and Addictive Behaviors” to make substantial contributions to knowledge in understanding why some adolescents engage in these high-risk health behaviors.





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