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Research on the Primary Care Services, Patients Safety and Primary Healthcare Workers Training in the Face of Adversity

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Message from the Guest Editor

Primary care services play an important role in preventing ill health, both physically and mentally, not only of our patients and their families but also of migrants and refugees. The purpose of this Special Issue is to gather recent research that shows the importance of primary care services for surpassing current health challenges. We look forward to submissions that include theory-based investigations in the form of experimental studies, observational designs with follow-up measurements, or systematic reviews. This Special Issue plans to answer the following questions: How do patients access primary care services nowadays? Does digital technology promote health equality in primary care services? What are the new strategies for primary care services in adapting to current adversities? Are primary care teams resilient enough? Have the roles of the primary healthcare workers (doctors, nurses, community pharmacists, psychologists, dentists, and all others who work in teams providing primary care) changed? How can primary care teams increase patients' safety? Do we need to change the future training of primary healthcare workers and address how to face adversity?









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