



## Fight against Hospital Infection: What We Have Learned from the Lesson of COVID-19

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### Message from the Guest Editors

Healthcare-acquired infections (HAIs) are the most frequent and serious complication of healthcare, associated with high mortality and morbidity. In recent years, but especially in the last year, healthcare has undergone deep changes. COVID-19 was an example of a community infection that quickly turned into the healthcare environment.

We are specifically inviting papers outlining studies and research in the field of innovative devices (both personal protection devices and environmental decontamination devices) or procedures introduced in the COVID-19 era and which subsequently entered the daily routine hospital activities and will from now on remain in the procedures for defending against communicable diseases in the hospital. Find more details at: [Fight against Hospital Infection](#).





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