



## Global Plan of Action for Children's Health and the Environment

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### Message from the Guest Editors

Dear Colleagues,

On behalf of the *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*, we are organizing a Special Issue on “Global Plan of Action for Children's Health and the Environment”. For detailed information on the journal, we refer you to <https://www.mdpi.com/journal/ijerph>.

The significance of children's environmental health (CEH) is crucial for the overall development of children and has contributed to many research and intervention studies with children and youth.

However, as claimed by the Global Plan of Action for Children's Health and the Environment (WHO), it is necessary to promote interventions on children's health and the environment that should benefit and contribute to broader efforts aimed at the policy and investment changes required to reduce the environmental threats to health.

Therefore, this Special Issue of articles is children-centered and emphasizes links between children's quality of life, health promotion, health education, nutrition, and physical and play activity in and outside educational settings.





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## Message from the Editor-in-Chief

Addressing the environmental and public health challenges requires engagement and collaboration among clinicians and public health researchers. Scientific discoveries and advances in this research field play a critical role in providing a rational basis for informed decision-making toward control and prevention of human diseases, especially the illnesses that are induced from environmental exposure to health hazards.

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