



## Lung Health, Tuberculosis, and Air Pollution in Low- and Middle-Income Countries

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### Message from the Guest Editors

Non-communicable lung diseases, tuberculosis (TB), and pneumonia are leading causes of morbidity and mortality worldwide. The inhalation of polluted air—including household air pollution, outdoor air pollution, and air pollution from tobacco smoke—is a major cause of lung disease, causing around 13 million deaths globally each year. Most of this burden falls on the people living in low- and middle-income countries.

In recognition of the magnitude of the global health challenges represented by lung diseases, tuberculosis, and air pollution, you are invited to submit manuscripts to be considered for publication in this Special Issue on “Lung Health, Tuberculosis, and Air Pollution in Low- and Middle-Income Countries”. We will particularly welcome submissions from sub-Saharan Africa.





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## Message from the Editor-in-Chief

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