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## Obesity Prevention in Children and Adolescents

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### Message from the Guest Editor

Dear Colleagues,

This Special Issue will focus on emerging environmental factors that influence childhood obesity and innovative, environmental strategies to prevent and treat this epidemic. We are interested in topics such as, though not limited to:

- multi-level, influencing factors
- innovative, environmental interventions
- the role of key stakeholders
- various settings (i.e., home, school, neighborhood, churches, communities)
- environmental, organizational and/or policy changes

Researchers are invited to contribute novel work to be considered for publication in this Special Issue. There are no restrictions on study design and methodology. Articles that focus on either preventing childhood obesity or decreasing the increase in childhood obesity are welcomed. Additionally, articles that focus on underrepresented or disadvantaged communities are encouraged.

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## Message from the Editor-in-Chief

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