

## Special Issue

# Global Economic Burden of HIV/AIDS

### Message from the Guest Editors

The syndemics in PLHIV impact quality of life and contribute to the economic burden of disease globally. To date, costs directly related to the clinical management of HIV/AIDS are relatively well understood; however, much remains to be studied. We invite papers that discuss the global economic burden of PLHIV in any setting. Papers that discuss collaborations with researchers, patient advocates, and public health practitioners that have implemented and analyzed the cost evidence-based interventions for prevention and treatment are welcomed.

Papers or commentaries examining the economic burden of HIV/AIDS, using mixed methods with an emphasis on both direct and indirect costs associated with the disease in various populations are welcomed. We aim to bridge this gap in the literature by taking a comprehensive perspective that incorporates population data to help to paint a larger picture of the overall economic burden of HIV/AIDS.

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