

## Special Issue

# The Economics of Caring

### Message from the Guest Editors

It is essential to mention that the economics of caring has been an increasing topic of interest in the last two decades. Therefore, it is now an excellent time to provide, in a monograph, a global perspective of the subject, with an overview of the most-affected countries and of the latest methodological advances. In addition, other issues of interest will be addressed, including the following: International perspectives of the economics of caring; Specific studies for illness or particular population segments involved in care, including all kinds of costs (direct costs, e.g., healthcare costs; indirect costs, e.g., productivity losses; and intangible costs); Methods for measuring the effects of care on health and equity, and for evaluating the impact of policies to address the need for care; Impact of caring on the health of the caregivers; Present and future trends of informal care: continuation and survival or extinction? Informal and formal care: complementary or substitutive? We would be delighted to attract as many diverse submissions representing different geographies and jurisdictions as possible.

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