

Special Issue

Bridging the Gender Disparity Gap in Healthcare

Message from the Guest Editor

As societies across the world strive to place equal importance on the health needs of both men and women, it is disheartening to note that women have been consistently underrepresented in clinical trials designed to test the efficacy of novel therapies in various diseases. Lack of female research subjects in studies not only limits our understanding of the underlying disease mechanisms and markers of illnesses but also undermines the possibility of newer, expensive treatments to work in the intended real-world populations. Keeping in mind the gender disparity in healthcare treatment and delivery, the Special Issue of the International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health will focus on bridging the gender gap and seek research that is aimed at improving quality of care and health outcomes in women. Research demonstrating utilization of medications or procedures to improve healthcare and outcomes in women, consequences of preventive measures such as cancer screening, contraceptives, etc., and evidence of substance abuse in specialized populations are highly encouraged.

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