

Special Issue

Mental Health of Health Care Workers in the COVID-19 Pandemic

Message from the Guest Editors

This special issue intends to provide the scientific community with evidence on both the aspects of psychological suffering experienced by health professionals during the pandemic (with its correlates such as burnout, post-traumatic stress syndrome, and ethical conflicts), and the coping strategies, resilience and adjustment processes they experienced and enacted during the pandemic.

Knowing the sources of psychological distress but also how to cope with them, is expected to contribute towards the knowledge base in order to cope effectively with current and future health emergencies.

This Special Issue of the International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health (IJERPH) focuses on mental health care and promotion in healthcare professionals. We encourage the submission of original research papers (both qualitative and quantitative), reviews, meta-analyses, and case studies that contribute new knowledge in this area. Interventional studies, trials, and epidemiological studies are also encouraged. The focus may include a specific population.

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