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Prehospital and Disaster Medicine and Crises Management

Message from the Guest Editors

Man-made events, natural events, or conflicts cause major incidents, disasters, and crises all over the world. Human consequences from such events include both physical and psychosocial effects, an individual, group, and societal perspectives. Disaster management includes the preparations, response, recovery, and mitigation perspectives, and the activities may be on an individual, community, or strategic level. The response after a mass casualty or disaster event requires a well-coordinated, most often multi sectorial response, involving several actors, both professional and voluntary. The response can be provided by local, national, and/or international organizations. In such situations, the challenge is to correctly identify urgent and long term needs or risks, and to respond to these in an affective and sustainable way. This Special Issue welcomes papers with a prehospital or disaster management perspective related to major incidents and disasters.

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