

Special Issue

Second Edition of Teenage Reproductive Health: Pregnancy, Contraception, Unsafe Abortion, Fertility

Message from the Guest Editors

We are organizing a Special Issue on “Teenage Reproductive Health: Pregnancy, Childbirth, Contraception, Unsafe Abortion, and Fertility” in the *IJERPH*. Improving reproductive health for teenagers is an important objective for public health officials and health ministries globally. Reproductive health refers to the health of an individual’s reproductive system during all stages of life. However, teenagers, and, in particular, teenage women, are very likely to encounter reproductive health issues. Many lower- and middle-income countries have laws that restrict reproductive rights, resulting in limited access to contraception, abortions and being able to express sexual orientation and choose gender. This leads to serious consequences including contributing to high maternal mortality, morbidity and potentially the imprisonment and social exclusion of teenagers. In this Special Issue, we wish to shed light on this important area in order to map the current situation, propose solutions and aim to influence politicians and policymakers.

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