

Special Issue

Building Evidence for Effective Healthcare Programs

Message from the Guest Editor

The number of publications in healthcare is increasing every year. However, there is still insufficient evidence for rational decision making in the healthcare community. As innovative approaches and interventions are introduced, new evidence is also necessary. The role of the researcher is to continuously produce such new evidence. While novel medical technologies and approaches can create problems that were not previously considered, they can also alleviate them. Economic concerns, such as cost, burden, efficiency, can always be one of the most important considerations. In the healthcare field, decision making is necessary from time to time. This issue focuses on the following topics: economic evaluation of a smart hospital, cost-effectiveness of non-pharmaceutical interventions in healthcare, alternative approaches in economic evaluations in healthcare, economic implications of hospital operations during the COVID-19 pandemic, etc.

- economic evaluation
- cost-effectiveness
- alternative approaches
- interventions
- smart hospitals
- digital health

Guest Editor

Dr. Tae Hyun Kim

Department of Healthcare Management, Graduate School of Public Health, Yonsei University, 50-1 Yonsei-ro, Seodaemun-gu, Seoul 03722, Korea

Deadline for manuscript submissions

closed (5 June 2023)



International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health

an Open Access Journal
by MDPI

CiteScore 8.5
Indexed in PubMed



mdpi.com/si/93151

*International Journal of
Environmental Research and
Public Health*

Editorial Office
MDPI, Grosspeteranlage 5
4052 Basel, Switzerland
Tel: +41 61 683 77 34
ijerph@mdpi.com

mdpi.com/journal/

ijerph





International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health

an Open Access Journal
by MDPI

CiteScore 8.5
Indexed in PubMed



[mdpi.com/journal/
ijerph](https://mdpi.com/journal/ijerph)



About the Journal

Message from the Editor-in-Chief

Addressing the environmental and public health challenges requires engagement and collaboration among clinicians and public health researchers. Scientific discoveries and advances in this research field play a critical role in providing a rational basis for informed decision-making toward control and prevention of human diseases, especially the illnesses that are induced from environmental exposure to health hazards.

IJERPH provides a forum for discussion of discoveries and knowledge in these multidisciplinary fields. Please consider publishing your research in this high quality peer-reviewed journal.

Editor-in-Chief

Prof. Dr. Paul R. Ward

School of Society and Culture, Adelaide University, Adelaide 5001,
Australia

Author Benefits

Open Access:

free for readers, with article processing charges (APC) paid by authors or their institutions.

High Visibility:

indexed within Scopus, PubMed, MEDLINE, PMC, Embase, GEOBASE, CAPlus / SciFinder, and other databases.

Journal Rank:

CiteScore - Q1 (Public Health, Environmental and Occupational Health)