Special Issue

Oral Health Inequalities in the World

Message from the Guest Editor

Oral health inequalities are a fundamental problem in dentistry. In the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) by 2030 developed by the United Nations, "Ensure healthy lives and promote well-being for all at all ages" was set as the third goal. The key targets for achieving this goal are universal health coverage and prevention and treatment of noncommunicable diseases. With regard to oral health, reducing inequalities by ensuring prevention and treatment of oral diseases is necessary for achieving this health goal for all population.

Since monitoring trends in health inequalities is part of the strategy to reduce health inequalities, reports of recent oral health inequalities from children to older people remain valuable. Studies from non-Western countries are still scarce. Research on various social determinants of inequalities and the mechanism of the determinants of oral health inequalities is required.

This Special Issue welcomes the submission of all types of studies, reviews, and short communications. I would be delighted to attract as high a diversity and heterogeneity of submissions across the world as possible.

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