# **Special Issue**

### Innovative Statistical Methods in Public Health

### Message from the Guest Editors

Public health research is one of the most critical research areas for improving life. Such research is in a high demand following the rise of viruses including COVID-19, continuing HIV, and others, Public health research also serves an important role in, for example, environmental improvement, substance use cessation. disease prevention, physical activity, and healthy eating behavior. Statistics plays a significant role in public health research in drawing rigorous scientific conclusions. To stimulate new application and development of statistical methods in public health research, we initiated this Special Issue, entitled "Innovative Statistical Methods in Public Health". We welcome articles including meta-analysis, missing data analysis, survey sampling, causal inference, clinical trials, survival analysis, machine learning, Big Data, Bayesian statistics, and other statistical methods with application in public health research. Public health research includes (but is not limited to) substance use research, infectious disease, cardiovascular disease, physical activity, healthy diet, diabetes, obesity, cancer, oral health, and mental health.

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