

Special Issue

Pulmonary Fibrosis: Therapeutic and Management Strategies

Message from the Guest Editor

The term “interstitial lung diseases” (ILDs) includes a wide spectrum of heterogeneous entities with different prognoses, as well as treatment options. Lung fibrosis is the late stage of many chronic, systemic or localized lung diseases, characterized by immune-mediated inflammation, such as hypersensitivity pneumonitis (HP) and autoimmune conditions, or via epithelial-driven dysfunction, such as idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis (IPF). Although historically thought of as rare diseases, the latest epidemiologic data show an increasing trend of incidence and prevalence of these diseases worldwide, reflecting both changes in environmental exposure and the higher awareness of these entities among clinicians. The aim of this Special Issue is to highlight the recent advances in the therapeutic and management strategies in this field, with a particular focus on progressive fibrosis phenotype.

Guest Editor

Prof. Dr. Martina Bonifazi

1. Department of Biomedical Sciences and Public Health, Marche Polytechnic University, 60020 Ancona, Italy
2. Respiratory Diseases Unit, Azienda Ospedaliero-Universitaria “Ospedali Riuniti”, 60126 Ancona, Italy

Deadline for manuscript submissions

closed (15 July 2024)



Journal of Clinical Medicine

an Open Access Journal
by MDPI

Impact Factor 2.9
CiteScore 5.2
Indexed in PubMed



mdpi.com/si/168479

Journal of Clinical Medicine
Editorial Office
MDPI, Grosspeteranlage 5
4052 Basel, Switzerland
Tel: +41 61 683 77 34
jcm@mdpi.com

mdpi.com/journal/

[jcm](https://jcm.mdpi.com)





Journal of Clinical Medicine

an Open Access Journal
by MDPI

Impact Factor 2.9
CiteScore 5.2
Indexed in PubMed



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



About the Journal

Message from the Editorial Board

There has been an explosion of gene and target based research and therapeutics in the multitude of fields that compose clinical medicine. The *Journal of Clinical Medicine's* (JCM) staff and editorial board are dedicated to providing cutting edge, timely, and peer-reviewed articles covering the diverse subspecialties of clinical medicine. The journal publishes concise, innovative, and exciting research articles as well as clinically significant articles and reviews that are pertinent to the myriad of disciplines within medicine. The articles published are relevant to both primary care physicians and specialists. The journal's full-texts are archived in PubMed Central and indexed in PubMed. Please consider submitting your manuscripts for publication to our journal and check us out on-line!

Editors-in-Chief

Prof. Dr. Emmanuel Andr  s

Internal Medicine Department, University Hospital Strasbourg, 67000
Strasbourg, France

Prof. Dr. Kent Doi

Department of Acute Care Medicine, University of Tokyo, Tokyo, Japan

Author Benefits

High Visibility:

indexed within Scopus, SCIE (Web of Science), PubMed, PMC, Embase, CAPlus / SciFinder, and other databases.

Journal Rank:

JCR - Q1 (Medicine, General and Internal) / CiteScore - Q1 (General Medicine)

Rapid Publication:

manuscripts are peer-reviewed and a first decision is provided to authors approximately 17.7 days after submission; acceptance to publication is undertaken in 2.7 days (median values for papers published in this journal in the first half of 2025).