

## Special Issue

# Epidemiology and Treatment of Atopic Eczema

### Message from the Guest Editors

Eczema (also known as atopic eczema or atopic dermatitis), is estimated to affect one in five school children, and is increasing worldwide. It is a condition that impacts on both the patient and their family, and has a large impact on healthcare resource use. For such a common condition, it is perhaps surprising that there are still so many unanswered questions about its causes, possible strategies for its prevention, and the best and safest ways of treating the disease. This Special Issue compiles articles that reflect current best practice from around the world in the management of eczema, along with new insights into the causes, mechanisms and strategies for prevention.

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