

# Special Issue

## Microsporidia and Microsporidiosis

### Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue aims to focus on any aspect related to the pathogenesis of Microsporidia and Microsporidiosis. Original research articles, reviews, brief research reports, and mini-reviews that focus on but are not limited to the following aspects will be welcomed:

- Novel knowledge around the interaction of microsporidia proteins and host cell receptors during infection, the interaction mechanism of microsporidia with host immune systems during cell invasion or any information to fill the gaps in host-parasite interactions;
- The identification of novel proteins (e.g., polar tube proteins, spore wall proteins, sporoplasm proteins) of microsporidia and their roles during spore germination, host cell infection, and parasite transmission;
- The identification and in vitro cultivation of novel species of microsporidia;
- Host modulation by microsporidia effector molecules (e.g., secreted proteins, lncRNA, miRNA, circRNA);
- Ecological impacts of the microsporidian parasite;
- Novel diagnostic and therapeutic techniques.

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