# Special Issue

# Advancing Nutrition Equity: Strategies for Health, Well-Being, Policy, and Food System Justice

# Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue invites submissions that explore innovative nutrition strategies designed to promote health, well-being, and equity through systemic, sustainable, and culturally responsive approaches. We particularly welcome interdisciplinary research that bridges science, practice, and policy to address both individual-level nutrition outcomes and broader structural determinants of health. Areas of interest include (but are not limited to) the following:

- Nutrition interventions targeting food insecurity, malnutrition, and chronic disease;
- Food system justice, sustainability, and sovereignty;
- Policy, governance, and cross-sector strategies to improve nutrition equity;
- Community-based and culturally tailored nutrition programs;
- Integration of traditional, Indigenous, and ancestral food knowledge;
- Precision nutrition and digital health tools for behavior change;
- Mental health and nutrition, especially in youth and vulnerable populations;
- Global and urban nutritional transitions linked to migration and modernization.

### **Guest Editors**

Dr. Fatheema Begum Subhan

Department of Nutrition and Food Science, California State Polytechnic University, Pomona, CA 91768, USA

# Prof. Dr. Bonny Burns-Whitmore

Department of Nutrition and Food Science, Huntley College of Agriculture, California State Polytechnic University, Pomona, CA 91768, USA

### Deadline for manuscript submissions

15 December 2025



# **Nutrients**

an Open Access Journal by MDPI

Impact Factor 5.0 CiteScore 9.1 Indexed in PubMed



mdpi.com/si/241290

Nutrients
Editorial Office
MDPI, Grosspeteranlage 5
4052 Basel, Switzerland
Tel: +41 61 683 77 34
nutrients@mdpi.com

mdpi.com/journal/ nutrients





# **Nutrients**

an Open Access Journal by MDPI

Impact Factor 5.0 CiteScore 9.1 Indexed in PubMed





# **About the Journal**

# Message from the Editorial Board

Nutrients is an on-line open access journal that was first published in 2009. Nutrients adheres to rigorous peer-review and editorial processes and publishes only high quality manuscripts that address important issues related to the impacts of nutrients on human health. The Impact Factor of Nutrients has risen rapidly since its establishment and it is now ranked in the first quartile of journals publishing in the field of nutrition and dietetics research.

#### **Editors-in-Chief**

## Prof. Dr. Lluis Serra-Majem

- Centro de Investigación Biomédica en Red Fisiopatología de la Obesidad y la Nutrición (CIBEROBN), Institute of Health Carlos III, 28029 Madrid, Spain
- Research Institute of Biomedical and Health Sciences (IUIBS),
   University of Las Palmas de Gran Canaria, 35001 Las Palmas, Spain
   Preventive Medicine Service, Centro Hospitalario Universitario
   Insular Materno Infantil (CHUIMI), Canarian Health Service, 35016 Las Palmas, Spain

#### Prof. Dr. Maria Luz Fernandez

Department of Nutritional Sciences, University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT 06269, USA

#### **Author Benefits**

#### Open Access:

free for readers, with article processing charges (APC) paid by authors or their institutions.

### **High Visibility:**

indexed within Scopus, SCIE (Web of Science), PubMed, MEDLINE, PMC, Embase, PubAg, AGRIS, and other databases.

### Journal Rank:

JCR - Q1 (Nutrition and Dietetics) / CiteScore - Q1 (Nutrition and Dietetics)