

Special Issue

Examining Linkages among Food Insecurity, Food Systems, and Public Health

Message from the Guest Editors

Food insecurity is a key social determinant of health, co-existing with multiple markers of poverty and associated with a variety of diet-related chronic conditions.

Although the prevalence of food insecurity has declined slowly over the previous decade, there were sharp increases during the COVID-19 pandemic, with the percentage of people in the world affected by hunger increasing from 8.4 percent in 2019 to 9.9 percent in 2020, which translates to an estimated 768 million people. For this Special Issue, we invite research manuscripts that: 1) examine risk factors for food insecurity, 2) explore the influence of food insecurity on nutrition related behaviors and other health behaviors, 3) evaluate the impact of interventions focused on reducing food insecurity, and 4) examine the relationships among food systems, food security, and public health.

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