

Special Issue

Cultural Competence in Healthcare and Healthcare Education

Message from the Guest Editors

Inequalities in healthcare constitute the main challenge in contemporary societies and a domain that needs immediate attention in an era of globalization, diversity and multiculturalism. The cultural competence of healthcare professionals has been acknowledged as an important skill for helping reducing health disparities and it is supported by research, indicating a link with patient satisfaction and adherence to therapy. This Special Issue invites researchers, teachers and academics to submit their work on cultural competence in healthcare and healthcare education. Articles, reviews and concept papers could focus on cultural competence or other related concepts, such as diversity competence, structural competence, intercultural communication, cultural awareness, cultural humility, cultural sensitivity, cultural empathy, cultural intelligence etc.

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