



Alternative Approaches for and with Women in the Criminal Justice System

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Message from the Guest Editor

This Special Issue aims to begin to re-address this imbalance by investigating the progressive provisions (from both abolitionist and reformist perspectives) available to women in the Criminal Justice System (CJS) from the first point of contact to the last. These include female victims of crime. We particularly welcome research that looks at provisions for and the experiences of women with lived experience, including those who work within it. Explorations and/or evaluations of interventions that consider secondary harm to families and communities of women who are or have been part of the CJS are also encouraged.

Manuscripts of interest include, but are not limited to, those dealing with the following topics:

- Alternative ways of engaging professionals who work with women in the CJS (e.g., police, court staff, and victim support services).
- Creative interventions for women at any stage of the CJS (from the point of arrest to the end of sentence).
- Innovative research methodologies that engage women in the CJS in research.
- Research or examples of practice that engage diverse and alternative stakeholders in work with women in the CJS.





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