

# Special Issue

## Public Health and Sports Services Based on Sustainable Development Goals

### Message from the Guest Editors

Understanding the nuanced relationships between sports, public health, and sustainable development is crucial for designing targeted interventions that can maximize positive outcomes across multiple goals. Furthermore, the inclusivity of sports services has been a recurring theme in research, emphasizing the importance of making sports accessible to diverse populations. This Special Issue aims to bring together cutting-edge research at the intersection of public health and sports services. To explore how the integration of public health initiatives and sports services can contribute to achieving public health goals, fostering a holistic approach to well-being and societal advancement. This Special Issue seeks to provide a comprehensive platform for scholars, practitioners, and policymakers to share their insights that showcase the potential synergies between public health and sports in the pursuit of sustainable development. Research papers focusing on, but not limited to, the following topics are welcomed in this Special Issue: Keywords

- Public health integration
- Inclusive sports initiatives
- Community empowerment
- Global sports diplomacy

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