

Special Issue

Management of Indoor Air Quality in Healthcare Units

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Indoor air quality in healthcare units has relevant impacts on patient safety and the occupational health and safety of healthcare professionals. Indoor air contamination, caused by outdoor pollutants, indoor activities, building materials, or furniture, is of high concern in healthcare facilities due to the fragility of their occupants' health. Therefore, the need to adequately manage indoor air quality in healthcare facilities is of the utmost importance and cannot be compromised, especially considering the new challenges regarding the prevention of airborne infections caused by the COVID-19 pandemic situation. The purpose of this Special Issue is to encourage the sharing of research studies focused on emergent threats to indoor air quality in healthcare units, as well as the sharing of best management practices regarding these new challenges.

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