Innovation and Evidence for Achieving TB Elimination in the Asia–Pacific Region

Message from the Guest Editors

The challenges for TB elimination remain large, there is much cause for hope with improved all oral MDR-TB treatments, a richer pipeline of new TB diagnostics and vaccines, and shorter latent TB infection treatment regimens. The lancet series “How to Eliminate Tuberculosis” outlined an evidence-based approach to ending TB into 4 key areas: rethinking data management to target hotspots, active case finding and prompt treatment, treating latent TB infection, and employing a biosocial approach throughout. This Special Issue “Innovation and evidence for achieving TB Elimination in the Asia–Pacific Region” invites submissions within these four broad areas with relevance to the Asia–Pacific region. A broad range of research methodologies will be accepted, including qualitative, epidemiology, operational, implementation, and policy research, as well as other relevant approaches.

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