

Special Issue

Burden of Tuberculosis in Different Countries, 2nd Edition

Message from the Guest Editors

According to the 2023 World Health Organization (WHO) Annual Tuberculosis (TB) Report, an estimated 10.6 million individuals (95% uncertainty interval [UI] 9.9–11.4 million) fell ill with TB in 2022. It is more than in 2021 (10.3 million, 95% UI 9.6–11 million) and 2020 (10.0 million, 95% UI 9.4–10.7 million), with a concomitant increase in the TB incidence rate by 1.9% from 2020 to 2021 and 2021 to 2022.

The severity of national TB epidemics, when measured in terms of incidence rates, varies across countries. This Special Issue focuses on the burden of TB in different countries, with a special focus on areas where the incidence rate or other measures of burden is high per se, or in comparison to other districts, regions or areas close by. Although articles regarding large geographical areas with high measures of burden will be welcomed, we are particularly interested in more nuanced reports of smaller, well-defined places with high burdens. A broad range of research methodologies will be accepted, including qualitative, epidemiology, operational, implementation, modelling, and policy research, as well as other relevant approaches.

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