

Special Issue

Advancements in Feline and Canine Neonatal Medicine and Reproduction

Message from the Guest Editors

Neonatal medicine and reproduction in cats and dogs have made remarkable advances in recent years, leading to improved outcomes in producing healthy offspring. We are seeking papers highlighting advances in assisted reproductive technologies (ART) for cats and dogs, treatment of reproductive disorders, as well as cutting-edge research and innovative practices contributing to improved neonatal care for our Special Issue. In addition, the importance of hereditary aspects in neonatal health and reproduction is a very important aspect to consider. Overall, the content of this Special Issue will consist of original research papers, review articles, and short communications on all areas of small animal reproduction and neonatology. The goal is to provide a comprehensive overview of advances in feline and canine neonatal medicine, including gynecology, andrology, biotechnology, obstetrics, perinatal care, genetics, and ethical considerations. We invite inspiring contributors to share their knowledge and expertise for this exciting upcoming Special Issue.

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