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Physical and Mental Health Interactions: An Integral Approach to a Bidirectional Relationship

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Message from the Guest Editors

Dear Colleagues,

The relationship between physical and mental health is complex and inextricably linked. Uncovering the potential pathways that provide evidence for bidirectional causality and understanding the common risk factors that shape individual vulnerability and/or resilience could increase recognition of the importance of integrated care.

This Special Issue explores the diverse aspects of physical and mental health interactions, identifying how physical health conditions affect mental well-being and vice versa, and highlights the importance of an integrated approach to address these interactions for improved overall health outcomes.

The purpose of this Special Issue is to gather research articles, reviews, and/or meta-analyses on psychological problems in patients with physical health conditions and physical illness in patients with mental disorders, including other studies related to health psychology, behavioral medicine, and consultation-liaison psychiatry.

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