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## Occupational Health and Quality of Life of Health Care Workers in “Return to Work” Stage

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### Message from the Guest Editor

Dear Colleagues,

Occupational healthcare should incorporate measures to support workers' wellbeing (physical, mental and social), prevent diseases, and promote healthy lifestyles and organizational conditions (organizational culture, organization of work), encouraging healthy work environments. The purpose of this Special Issue is to define how occupational healthcare may affect workers' health-related quality of life, especially when they are in rehabilitation status or the “return to work” stage. Workers may be on sick leave due to various health problems, illnesses, injuries, or difficulties at work.

This Special Issue seeks manuscripts related to occupational healthcare and workers' quality of life in general, but particularly those concerning workers in the “return to work” stage. Original articles and reviews will be considered.

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