

## Special Issue

# Advancing Quality of Life Research in Cancer Survivors: Methodologies, Instruments, and Practical Applications

### Message from the Guest Editor

Quality of Life (QoL) has become a prominent issue in fields such as clinical medicine, health services, social science, and outcomes research. In cancer care, QoL assessments go beyond survival rates and reflect the broader impacts of cancer on patients' physical, emotional, and social well-being. This Special Issue aims to reflect the latest advancements in this field, providing insights into how QoL metrics can enhance patient care and healthcare outcomes. We welcome high-quality research articles, theoretical discussions, and methodological reports related to Health-Related Quality of Life (HRQL) in cancer survivors. This Special Issue will address various aspects of the field, including the development and validation of new instruments in diverse populations, patient-oriented research, and site-specific cancer explorations. We particularly welcome the submission of papers that address the QoL aspects of treatment, care, and rehabilitation, reflecting the extensive application of HRQL assessments in healthcare.

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