



The Management of Nutrition and Obesity

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Message from the Guest Editors

Dear Colleagues,

The development and progression of obesity is a multifaceted issue with varied etiology. As such, the management, mitigation, and prevention of obesity requires a comprehensive approach encompassing multiple sectors of society. This Special Issue will focus on the “Development and Management of Obesity: Social Systems,” as it pertains to the interplay of policies, systems, and environments that either mitigate or contribute to obesity. The focus of this Issue will highlight social and food justice, the built environment, and progressive policies and programs that emphasize community and/or public health, entitlement programs, and other social safety nets. Submissions can include any targeted demographic group across the lifespan.

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