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Active and Healthy Confinement Lifestyle (AHCL): Cross-Disciplinary Approach to Be Better Prepared for Future Pandemics

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Message from the Guest Editors

In order to be well prepared for possible re-closing measures as well as for future pandemics, we invite researchers in public health, epidemiology, physical activity domain, psychology, biostatistics, sociology and computer science to submit high-quality empirical papers, systematic reviews or meta-analyses in the following areas:

- Investigating changes in lifestyle behaviors (e.g., physical activity, diet, sleep, social participation, etc.) during COVID-19:
- Aiming to provide scientific data to help identify risk factors for psychosocial strain during the COVID-19 outbreak;
- Investigating the effect of different restriction levels on lifestyle behaviors and mental wellbeing;
- Investigating the effect of exercising and/or maintaining other confinement-healthy behaviors on physical and mental health;
- Dealing with reopening and/or reclosing measures and their effect on physical and mental health:
- Focusing on the application of digital technology to promote Active and Healthy Confinement Lifestyle (AHCL);
- Dealing with the potential of big data in promoting physical and mental health during pandemics.



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