



Oral Diseases and Public Health

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Message from the Guest Editor

Oral health is an important factor in the maintenance of general health, wellbeing, and of the overall quality of life. Oral diseases affect a vast set of different structures in the masticatory system, including teeth, periodontal ligament, bone, mucosa, muscles, and temporomandibular joint, and are caused by different pathogenic agents. However, most of the oral diseases have a multifactorial etiopathogenesis, and present risk factors related to the environment and to patient lifestyles.

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Message from the Editor-in-Chief

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