



Oral Microbiota and Oral Health

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Message from the Guest Editor

The oral microbiota is a key factor in oral health. It is well established that dysbiosis of the oral microbiota results in the apparition of oral diseases such as caries and periodontitis. One of the essential tasks in oral health is to maintain oral symbiosis in order to anticipate the global burden of diseases and the associated costs of caries and periodontal diseases. The maintenance of a symbiotic microbiota that passes through the control of dental plaque is a priority. Therefore, it is necessary to control dental plaque as a research priority. Thus, the beneficial effects of the microbiome, the importance of balance, the role of host factors in dysbiosis, and the development of preventive and therapeutic strategies to maintain the balance of the oral microbiota constitute the essential framework of this Special Issue.





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