



Infectious Disease Epidemiology 2020: The Importance of (Re)Emerging Occupational Infectious Agents

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Message from the Guest Editors

During recent years, media coverage has raised public awareness of (re)emerging biological risks, the current pandemic caused by COVID-19 being a recent example. Most of the (re)emerging biological risks also cause new occupational health risks, and therefore occupational infections are not only associated with health workers, but appear as a new and increasing cause of occupational disease, while older risks like measles are re-emerging. The epidemiology of occupational infectious diseases has some special features: workers are both ‘at risk’ and ‘sources of risk’, workers may be immune, a case may be a source without being recognized as a case, there can be a need for urgency, and preventive measures (usually) have a good scientific basis.

In this Special Issue, we invite all interested researchers to contribute to our understanding of the epidemiology of occupational (re)emerging infections and preventive strategies.





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