



## The Effects of Air Pollutants on Ear, Nose, and Throat Diseases

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### Message from the Guest Editors

Dear Colleagues,

We cannot overemphasize the importance of the ears, nose, and throat in communicating with other people. Air pollution is a growing concern in public health and a recognized risk factor for various diseases. Ear, nose, and throat are the first regions to encounter air pollutants. Ear, nose, and throat diseases include sensory disorders, infections, allergies, and malignancies. Some studies have revealed associations between air pollution levels and ENT diseases such as allergic rhinitis, olfactory dysfunction, and otitis media. However, the effect of air pollution on ear, nose, and throat diseases has not been well defined and investigated. Papers addressing these topics are invited for this Special Issue, especially those addressing the risk and mechanism of air pollutants on the ear, nose, and throat and providing optimal solutions. Epidemiology studies, clinical studies, basic research papers, and review papers are welcome to this Issue.





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## Message from the Editor-in-Chief

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