



## Delirium in ICU

Guest Editors:

**Dr. Pedro Póvoa**

**Prof. Dr. Jorge I. F. Salluh**

**Prof. Dr. Felipe Dal-Pizzol**

Deadline for manuscript  
submissions:  
**closed (20 March 2023)**

### Message from the Guest Editors

Delirium is recognised as the most frequent and severe form of acute brain dysfunction in critically ill patients with sepsis. Delirium presents a wide range of manifestations and is associated with early and long-term consequences, such as increase in the length of stay, costs, mortality and cognitive impairment, generating high stress for the patient and relatives. Current interventions for its prevention involve early recognition, identification of modifiable risk factors and treatment of underlying conditions that predispose patients to delirium. Several specific pharmacologic interventions have been tested so far, with inconsistent results. Furthermore, nonpharmacologic interventions seem to be effective as preventive strategies. Considering your experience and expertise in this area, we hope that you will offer a scientific contribution to be published in this Special Issue.





an Open Access Journal by MDPI

## Editors-in-Chief

**Prof. Dr. Emmanuel Andrès**

Internal Medicine Department,  
University Hospital Strasbourg,  
67000 Strasbourg, France

**Prof. Dr. Kent Doi**

Department of Emergency and  
Critical Care Medicine, University  
of Tokyo, Tokyo 113-8655, Japan

## Message from the Editorial Board

There has been an explosion of gene and target based research and therapeutics in the multitude of fields that compose clinical medicine. The *Journal of Clinical Medicine's (JCM)* staff and editorial board are dedicated to providing cutting edge, timely, and peer-reviewed articles covering the diverse subspecialties of clinical medicine. The journal publishes concise, innovative, and exciting research articles as well as clinically significant articles and reviews that are pertinent to the myriad of disciplines within medicine. The articles published are relevant to both primary care physicians and specialists. The journal's full-texts are archived in PubMed Central and indexed in PubMed. Please consider submitting your manuscripts for publication to our journal and check us out on-line!

## Author Benefits

**Open Access:** free for readers, with article processing charges (APC) paid by authors or their institutions.

**High Visibility:** indexed within Scopus, SCIE (Web of Science), PubMed, PMC, Embase, CAPlus / SciFinder, and other databases.

**Journal Rank:** JCR - Q1 (Medicine, General and Internal) / CiteScore - Q1 (General Medicine)

## Contact Us

---

*Journal of Clinical Medicine* Editorial  
Office  
MDPI, Grosspeteranlage 5  
4052 Basel, Switzerland

Tel: +41 61 683 77 34  
[www.mdpi.com](http://www.mdpi.com)

[mdpi.com/journal/jcm](http://mdpi.com/journal/jcm)  
[jcm@mdpi.com](mailto:jcm@mdpi.com)  
[X@JCM\\_MDPI](https://twitter.com/JCM_MDPI)