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Economic Evaluation of Public Health

Message from the Guest Editor

Chronic diseases are defined by the World Health Organization as requiring “ongoing management over a period of years or decades” (WHO, 2002). The increasing burden of these conditions is one of the greatest challenges confronting health systems globally, representing a major cause of premature mortality and having a significant impact on life expectancy and healthy life expectancy. They have a deleterious effect on the quality of life and are leading drivers of healthcare costs, accounting for significant proportions of healthcare expenditure. In the US, 60% of adults have one chronic condition, with 40% having more than one (CDC, 2020). The prevention of chronic conditions, therefore, has major health and economic benefits but challenging logistical obstacles to overcome. Papers addressing evaluations of public health interventions are therefore invited for this Special Issue, especially those combining a high academic standard coupled with a focus on methodological and contextual challenges encountered.

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