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Welcome to the fifth official newsletter of the International Journal of Public Health (IJPH) and Public Health Reviews (PHR), featuring important news, Calls for Papers, Special Issues, and highly cited articles from the journals.

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What's New

New Impact Factors and CiteScores

We are delighted to share that both the Impact and CiteScore of IJPH and PHR have increased compared with last year.

These achievements reflect the dedication and collaboration of our entire community. We sincerely thank our authors, reviewers, editors, and readers for their invaluable contributions, which continue to uphold the journals' scientific excellence, integrity, and impact. Thank you for being part of our journey!

Welcome to the new IJPH co-Editor-in-Chief



Gabriel Gulis is an Associate Professor of Public Health at the University of Southern Denmark. He has over four decades of experience spanning nuclear chemistry, environmental health, and public health research. His work focuses on global health determinants and health impact assessment, with long-standing collaboration with the WHO European Region. He has authored 104 scientific papers and led major EU-funded projects in risk and health impact assessment.

A Huge Welcome to All New Associate Editors

We are thrilled to extend a huge welcome to the new Associate Editors who have joined our Editorial Board over the past few months. We sincerely thank each of them for contributing their expertise, experience, and commitment to scientific excellence. Their support is invaluable in maintaining the quality, integrity, and efficiency of our

peer-review process. We look forward to working together to further strengthen our journals and continue advancing high-quality public health research.

Here is the list of new Associate Editors!

José Chen-Xu, Gian Luca Di Tanna, Rok Hrzic, Nandi Joubert, Rufin Kouassi Assare, Sarah Maria Esther Jerjen, Clément Meier, Natalie Messerli, Ahmed Novo, Meryem Merve Oren Celik, Petra Zimmermann, Valentina Rotondi, Romana Ulbrichtova, Adriana Fernandes Veludo, Fernando Wehrmeister.

Calls for Papers



Public Health Education and Training for the 21st Century

Public health faces new challenges from climate crises, conflicts, and AI. This special issue highlights contemporary and innovative approaches to public health education and training.



The Future of Health Professions: Investigating Skills, Norms and Infrastructures

How health professions are adapting to meet current and future population health challenges, from education and workforce planning to digital innovation and equitable, integrated care.



Strengthening the Public Health Response to Cardiovascular Disease and Diabetes

Key challenges in cardiovascular disease and diabetes prevention and care, aligned with European and global initiatives for equitable health systems.



Metrics Of One Health

Methods and tools to measure One Health intervention impact, including indicators, data integration, equity, and sustainability across diverse settings.



Public Health Diplomacy in a Complex World

Interdisciplinary approaches to public health diplomacy, covering systems thinking, negotiation, and global collaboration to advance equity and strengthen health policy.



Armed Conflicts, Wars And Mental Health

Mental health impacts of conflict and recovery, focusing on community-based, culturally grounded interventions, intergenerational effects, and vulnerable populations.



Urban Health in Transition: Advancing Evidence and Policy for Healthier Cities

As urban populations grow, cities face complex and interconnected public health challenges, from inequality to climate change, that are reshaping urban health.



Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Public Health

AI applications in public health, covering disease prevention, surveillance, population health profiling, and innovative tools to address gaps beyond clinical care.



The Effects of Wine in Moderation in the Context of Mediterranean or other Healthy Diets

Wine consumption in the Mediterranean diet and its relation to health outcomes, including cardiovascular disease, cancer, interactions with other dietary factors.

Special Issues



Advances in Public Health Leadership

Strengthening public health leadership to address crises and long-term challenges, including frameworks, ethics, communication, training and health equity.



Evidence-Based Supported Employment and Education for Individuals with Psychiatric Disabilities

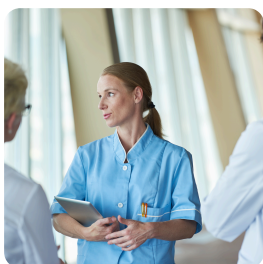
Employment and education in mental health for individuals with psychiatric disabilities, including factors affecting supported program implementation.



The Health of Displaced People: a Challenge for Epidemiology and Public Health

Over 110 million forcibly displaced people worldwide face unique health challenges and barriers to care that urgently demand research.

Highly Cited Publications



Nurse Staffing, Work Hours, Mandatory Overtime, and Turnover in Acute Care Hospitals Affect Nurse Job Satisfaction, Intent to Leave, and Burnout: A Cross-Sectional Study

Bae S. H., *IJPH*, April 2024



Long-Term Exposure to Nitrogen Dioxide and Ozone and Mortality: Update of the WHO Air Quality Guidelines Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis

Kasdagli M. I. et al. *IJPH*, October 2024



Depressive Symptoms Among Higher Education Students in Germany - A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis

Heumann E. et al., *PHR*, June 2024



Unmasking the Neglected Cholera Outbreaks in



What Lessons can Be Learned From the



Parenting in the Digital Age: A Scoping Review of

Sub-Saharan Africa

Siamalube B. et al., *IJPH*,
January 2025

Management of the COVID-19 Pandemic?

Quinn G. A. et al., *IJPH*,
May 2025

Digital Early Childhood Parenting Interventions in Low- and Middle-Income Countries (LMIC)

Jäggi L. et al., *PHR*,
January 2025

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