



Point-of-Care Testing for Infectious Disease

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Infectious diseases, including COVID-19, are still the leading cause of death globally. One of the most efficient strategies to prevent the spread of diseases and guide proper treatment is providing a quick, on-site diagnostic test, such as the point-of-care (POC) test. Various diagnostic methods and/or devices have been advanced in terms of their speed, portability, and readout during the SARS-CoV-2 pandemic. There is still an urgent need effective treatments for the vast majority of other infectious diseases caused by bacteria (*Mycobacterium tuberculosis* (Mtb), *Staphylococcus aureus*), viruses (Human papillomavirus, Hepatitis C, Norovirus, influenza), fungi (*Coccidioidomycosis*), and parasites (Malaria). Thus, innovative POC methods and devices that can be used to identify those infectious diseases is the aim of this Special Issue of Diagnostics. This Special Issue of Diagnostics focuses on “Point-of-Care Testing for Infectious Disease” and invites submissions on future possibilities, recent advances, emerging approaches, and the best up-to-date standard operation manufacture for POC devices.





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