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### Message from the Guest Editors

Interventions aimed at strengthening human health have been used in natural environments since ancient time. Nature-Based Therapies (NBT) contain many parts, such as choice of location, choice of team, choice of activities, etc. It is important for the continued development in the field that all these parts are carefully described. As interest increases, the demands for evidence-based development in the area increase.

In this special issue, we invite researchers in health promoting interventions (e.g., public health, psychology, sociology, psychiatry, occupational therapy and physiotherapy), as well as experts in “nature” (e.g., biology, agriculture, veterinary medicine, ethology, horticulture, forestry, and landscape architecture) to deepen the research topic of NBT.





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## Message from the Editor-in-Chief

Addressing the environmental and public health challenges requires engagement and collaboration among clinicians and public health researchers. Discovery and advances in this research field play a critical role in providing a scientific basis for decision-making toward control and prevention of human diseases, especially the illnesses that are induced from environmental exposure to health hazards. *IJERPH* provides a forum for discussion of discoveries and knowledge in these multidisciplinary fields. Please consider publishing your research in this high quality, peer-reviewed, open access journal.

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