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Grief in the Wake of COVID-19 Pandemic: Exploring New Approaches from Diverse Perspectives

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As the COVID-19 pandemic continues to evolve across the world, and the confirmed death rates rise, a major gap exists in addressing bereavement support. This gap is compounded by the enforced physical and social distancing regulations preventing family members to pursue burial and communal mourning ceremonies. Although people grieve in different ways, bereavement support can enhance mental and spiritual health and wellbeing. In the wake of public health emergencies, this special issue will focus on exploring new approaches to grief and bereavement support from diverse perspectives.

We encourage manuscripts from grieving individuals, practitioners, organizations, academic, and legal and policy makers from across disciplines.

Manuscript types can include:

- Reports of empirical studies
- Reviews
- Reflection pieces
- Commentaries
- Letters

Manuscript submission: 30 July 2020 with possible extension

The submission of articles will first be previewed by the editorial team. Following a successful editorial preselection, the papers will be sent out for double-blind peer-review. The maximum length range is 25 pages (double spaced, APA format), including references and all other materials.

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