ESM Call for Submissions:
Sex Differences in Response to Exercise

The American College of Sports Medicine’s (ACSM) premier open access journal, Exercise, Sport, and Movement (ESM), announces a call for article submissions on the topic of sex differences in response to exercise.

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Accepted article types include (please refer to the ESM Instructions for Authors for more information):

- Original investigations
- Clinical cases
- Systematic reviews and meta-analyses
- Brief reviews
- Graphical reviews
- Registered reports

All submissions to this call for papers are subject to ESM’s standard peer review process. Articles accepted for publication will be published online immediately following production and will be included in the “Sex Differences in Response to Exercise” topical collection on the ESM website.
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