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Background: Environmental toxicology and health

Designation: a healthy environment, policy supporting research

Competencies: exposure and effects of environmental chemicals, human biomonitoring, toxicity of environmental chemicals, environmental risk assessment,

Selected publications:

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