

Special Issue

Predictors and Outcomes of Parental Emotion Socialization

Message from the Guest Editors

Parental emotion socialization refers to the set of strategies parents employ when responding to their children's emotional reactions. Previous studies revealed significant associations between parents' emotional socialization strategies and youths' adjustment, emotional experience, and emotion regulation; however, there is a need for further studies exploring these strategies across different contexts and accounting for youths' and parents' individual differences. This Special Issue will investigate how the most important parental emotion socialization strategies affect adolescence (mal)adjustment (e.g., internalizing problems, externalizing problems, academic achievement, prosocial behavior, emotion regulation and dysregulation); moreover, we will focus on individual (e.g., personality) and contextual (e.g., socio-economic status, life events) determinants of parental emotions socialization strategies. Finally, we will concentrate on factors that moderate/mediate the effect of parental emotion socialization strategies on adolescence (mal)adjustment. All relevant submissions are welcome.

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