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Oral Health of Children with Autism Spectrum Disorder

Message from the Guest Editors

In recent decades, progress in pediatric dentistry, particularly in the context of Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD), has reshaped clinical practice. The dynamic relationship between dentists, patients, and caregivers has evolved, leading to tailored materials, therapeutic techniques, and approaches. The integration of preventive strategies, including proper nutrition, consistent oral hygiene, and regular dental visits, is a significant contributor to the oral health preservation of children with ASD. These transformations have inspired "new approaches to old problems". Furthermore, the integration of modern technologies in dental care plays a crucial role in enhancing treatment for children with ASD. Innovations such as virtual reality distraction techniques, digital diagnostic tools, and specially designed dental software have significantly improved the overall treatment experience, ensuring the efficiency of dental procedures, and promoting the comfort and cooperation of young patients with ASD.

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