

Special Issue

Multidisciplinary Approaches in Pediatric Orthodontics

Message from the Guest Editors

We are pleased to invite you to contribute to a Special Issue on pediatric orthodontics. Currently, over 45% of 12-year-olds need orthodontic treatment. Early orthodontic treatment shortens the time in braces and can reduce the need for extractions and prevent impacted teeth or more complex issues later. Severe malocclusions that are not treated in growing patients can require surgery in adulthood and may determine abnormal wear or bite problems if not corrected. A multidisciplinary approach of a complex orthodontic pediatric patient may involve the collaboration of oral surgeons, periodontists, pediatric dentists and other specialists, ensuring comprehensive care.

This Special Issue addresses the latest research and clinical strategies in pediatric orthodontic treatment, including space maintainers, thumb-sucking cessation strategies, interventions to promote proper jaw growth, interceptive orthodontic treatment using removable appliances, trainers, aligners, braces, palatal expanders, and retainers and surgical interceptive treatment.

We are looking forward to receiving all types of contributions.

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