

Special Issue

Pediatric Pain Management

Message from the Guest Editors

Pediatric pain management has made strides over the past years. Considering the negative effects of acute and chronic pain on youth and the associated challenges, we must strive to improve pain management approaches for the vulnerable populations. The effects of acute pain experiences can last a lifetime and negatively affect subsequent pain experiences and wellbeing. Chronic pain is related to extended periods of pain and suffering and has wide effects on functioning across physical, social, emotional, and cognitive domains. The Special Issue is to highlight the scientific understanding of factors that influence pain management, and advances in treatment approaches for acute or chronic pain across a variety of settings. We invite papers focused on neonates through emerging adults, and both healthy and clinical samples. We welcome reviews and original research focused on novel interventions, and those that identify gaps in knowledge. Submissions that focus on key outcomes related to pain management, such as sleep, fatigue, and cognitions are also welcome, as are process evaluations that describe the development of methods that will advance the treatment of acute or chronic pain.

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