

## Special Issue

# Pediatric Gastrointestinal Endoscopy and Surgery: Current Challenges and Future Directions

### Message from the Guest Editors

The field of pediatric gastrointestinal (GI) surgery and endoscopy has seen significant advancements in recent years, yet it continues to present unique challenges due to the anatomical, physiological, and developmental differences in children. This Special Issue aims to bring together the latest research and clinical advances in pediatric GI surgery and endoscopy, focusing on innovative techniques, minimally invasive procedures, and their role in improving patient outcomes. This Special Issue will highlight cutting-edge techniques such as endoscopic and laparoscopic/robotic procedures, enhanced imaging technologies, and the integration of artificial intelligence in diagnosis and treatment planning. By exploring both current hurdles and future directions, this collection of articles aims to foster a collaborative exchange of knowledge, offering a platform for experts to share their insights and research findings. We invite submissions that provide clinical studies, reviews, and innovative research that advance the understanding and treatment of pediatric GI disorders, with a focus on improving long-term outcomes and quality of care for pediatric patients.

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