

Special Issue

Paediatric Spinal Deformity

Message from the Guest Editor

Scoliosis is a spinal condition that usually affects fit and healthy teenage patients during a period of rapid skeletal development. Kyphosis and spondylolysis/spondylolisthesis can develop in children and adolescents, they can also have an impact on patients' level of activities and day-to-day life due to persistent pain or cosmetic effect. Spinal deformity treatment has advanced considerably in the past few decades and can achieve optimum curve correction and good clinical results.

The aim of this Special Issue is to collect articles from distinguished authors around the world who can present their experience in the aetiology, natural history, and management of young patients with severe spinal deformity. I hope that we can produce a spinal volume that will advance our knowledge in the care of children and adolescents with spinal deformities and that will be of value to colleagues who are faced with these clinical problems in their everyday medical practice.

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- kyphosis
- spondylolysis
- spondylolisthesis
- natural history
- prognosis
- treatment
- spinal fusion
- outcomes
- quality of life assessment questionnaires

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