# **Special Issue**

# **Pediatric Spine Health**

# Message from the Guest Editor

Heavy school backpacks, lack of physical activity, and poor posture are all things that can contribute to back pain; therefore, as children head back to school, it is good time to announce a new Special Issue of Healthcare titled Pediatric Spine Health. Spine deformations in childhood, poor habits, and the "smartphone era" can lead to severe spine problems in adulthood. This Special Issue aims to collect multidisciplinary submissions of original research articles that demonstrate basic and clinical research of pediatric spine health. Review articles that describe the current state of the art are also welcomed. Potential topics include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Deformations, i.e., scoliosis, kyphosis, posture;
- Habits;
- Therapeutic possibilities of pediatric spine problems;
- Surgery treatment;
- Long-term follow-up.

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