

## Special Issue

# Improving Quality of Care for Women and Newborns

### Message from the Guest Editors

The results of professional interventions must be evaluated globally, considering the improvement of patients' health, efficient use of available resources, and patients' satisfaction. It is well known that in situations where the needs and demands of the patients do not fit the biomedical model of disease, as frequently occurs in some obstetric and gynecological conditions, the relationship between healthcare providers and patients may become more difficult, and the quality-of-care parameters might be affected. In this regard, issues regarding obstetric care, perinatal mental health, and all the needs and demands of childbearing women, the clinical management of chronic pelvic floor pain, endometriosis, sexual disorders, or gynecological functional pathology frequently overcome the biomedical model, and a biopsychosocial approach has been claimed. This Special Issue welcomes new protocols, novel treatments, and all proposals aimed at improving the quality of women and newborns' care.

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