

Special Issue

Research on Child and Adolescent Psychology: Trauma, Violence, and Abuse

Message from the Guest Editor

Child abuse and neglect (CAN) is a universal health problem. CAN significantly contribute to long-term severe psycho-social health consequences such as depression, withdrawal, antisocial behavior, and delayed emotional, cognitive, and behavioral development. In addition, CAN is a cause and result of family poly-victimization and intergenerational transmission of violence. Developing and disseminating effective interventions and systems to prevent CAN and improve psycho-social health among children and adolescents exposed to CAN is urgently needed. It would protect children's lives and long-term health and avoid violent victimization among children in the next generation. This Special Issue invites papers that contribute to improving and developing effective interventions and systems for preventing CAN and improving psycho-social health among children exposed to CAN. It includes identifying the health and mechanisms among children and their families at a higher risk of CAN, developing new psycho-social interventions and policies, and scale development relating to this Special Issue.

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