Special Issue

Recent Advances in Psychopathology in Neurodevelopmental Disorders: From Bench to Bedside

Message from the Guest Editor

Psychopathology including functional psychiatric disorders such as schizophrenia, bipolar disorder, major depressive disorder and anxiety disorders, and also dementia and challenging behaviour is common in people with neurodevelopmental disorders (NDDs) such as intellectual and developmental disabilities (IDD), autism spectrum disorder (ASD) and attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) and is the cause for a major public health concern. Much research has been done in the last three decades to understand this issue and develop effective interventions, but a lot remains unknown for which good quality translational research is urgently needed. In the special issue we would like to draw together research in recent advances addressing these issues. We are inviting original articles, reviews, epidemiological studies, clinically important laboratorybased studies, pharmacological and psychosocial interventions, qualitative studies involving people with IDD and their caregivers, assessment including rating scales, training issues, and quality of life etc. in psychiatric disorders and challenging behaviours in children and adults with IDD, ASD, ADHD or any combination of these NDDs.

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