Special Issue

Interventions to Enhance Physical Activity and Nutrition in Children

Message from the Guest Editors

Regular physical activity and good nutrition are fundamental to children's health and wellbeing; however, the modern environments in which many of us live can make it difficult for children and their families to maintain healthy lifestyles. Designing and testing new ways to enhance physical activity and nutrition in children is therefore essential if we are to provide the next generation with the best possible start in life. This Special Issue seeks papers describing interventions and initiatives designed to encourage physical activity (including active play), reduce sedentary behavior, and/or promote healthy eating in children. Priority will be given to new and innovative approaches to engage children and their caregivers in home, community, and/or educational environments. We also welcome high-quality systematic reviews and meta-analyses. We hope that this Special Issue provides an important forum to share the best ideas and research practices related to physical activity and nutrition in children.

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