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Dear Colleagues,

We are celebrating the 10th anniversary of *Children* with a Special Issue in the Section “Pediatric Surgery” in 2023.

Pediatric and fetal surgery are offered in many tertiary care centers around the world. Over the past 30 years, a growing spectrum of postnatal and prenatal minimally-invasive surgical approaches have helped to save the life or improve postnatal quality of life of thousands of patients. Spreading the word about the latest techniques and their outcomes will aid in saving numerous more.

We warmly invite original research, state-of-the-art reviews, perspectives, and seminal case reports covering all aspects of pediatric surgery and fetal surgery, among them ethics, pain management, perioperative management, surgical techniques, amniotic insufflation, benefits and risks, maternal and child outcome, as well as, experimental developments.



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