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Colorectal Problems in Children: From Diagnosis to Treatment and Novelties

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Message from the Guest Editors

Dear Colleagues,

Managing colorectal disorders in children, from diagnosis to surgical treatment, requires highly specialized pediatricians and pediatric surgeons due to procedures that may be sometimes technically challenging. Thanks to discoveries made by basic sciences, we are understanding more and more about the pathogenesis of congenital malformations and acquired colorectal diseases. Moreover, nowadays, pediatric surgeons are equipped with highly performant and miniaturized instruments, allowing us to perform procedures that were previously unthinkable. Furthermore, we are now facing the needs of a population of adults treated during childhood for colorectal diseases; transitional care is a burning issue for pediatricians and pediatric surgeons all over the world.

The aim of this Special Issue is to collect experiences in the field of colorectal diseases in children: from diagnosis to treatment, novelties, transitional programs, and testimonies from developing countries.













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