



Intimate Partner Violence: Predictor Factors and Consequences for the Victim and Their Children

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Message from the Guest Editors

Intimate Partner Violence (IPV) is one of the most common forms of violence against women and includes physical, sexual, and emotional abuse as well as controlling behavior by an intimate partner. Both, predictors or associated factors to IPV, as well as its consequences have been focus of research. On the one hand, from a preventive point of view, it is of interest to analyze the predictor factors of IPV, such as perpetrator's profile or victim's vulnerability variables. On the other hand, considering the consequences of IPV, there are several lines of research: a) Victim's consequences in several areas, such as mental health, sexual functioning, social life, well-being... b) Children's development. Children who are exposed to IPV against women experience several negative consequences.

Papers addressing these topics are invited for this Special Issue, especially those combining a high academic standard with a focus on providing a better understanding of IPV in order to specify some related challenges facing this field and suggest appropriate strategies to address them.





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