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## Frontiers in Developmental Behavioral Pediatrics in North America

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## Message from the Guest Editor

Dear Colleagues,

The field of Developmental Pediatrics emphasizes early identification, advocacy, and intervention to optimize the functional neurodevelopmental outcomes of children with a myriad of potential challenges. With advances in the biological underpinnings of neurodevelopmental disabilities, further subspecialization within the field has emerged. This new frontier explores genetic underpinnings, articulates developmental phenotypes with greater granularity, examines dual diagnoses, and evaluates intervention efficacy. It has also led to the greater examination of parental mental health.

This Special Issue aims to highlight new frontiers in Developmental Pediatrics, through encouraging the submission of papers articulating novel neurodevelopmental perspectives. It also seeks papers describing gold standard assessment and identification, particularly with dual diagnoses, interventions, and support for parental mental health.



