Preface

The current issue of CPR addresses many topics of great interest in pediatrics. It includes both review and research articles. In a review article, K.L. Hon et al. take a systematic approach to atopic dermatitis by evaluating both conventional and integrative medicine aspects. L. Tarani et al. clearly and comprehensively review an approach to the child with syndromic psychomotor retardation.

Moreover, three interesting reviews have covered the topics related to the COVID-19 pandemic that still plagues the world. M. Zafari et al. report on particular aspects related to the management of COVID-19 in pregnancy. N. Kumar and V. Bhatia focus on vertical transmission of mother-to-fetus SARS-CoV-2 infection and the impact of the disease on the future outcome of the newborn.


Three original research articles present new visions and findings in perinatology and pediatrics.

L. Zeynali et al. examine the effects of vaginal delivery on the lactose content of human milk. K. Khamenehpour et al. report the experience, clinical aspects, and laboratory pictures observed in five years of viral influenza studies among children admitted to Qazvin Children's Hospital in Iran.

M. Colella et al. describe the use of a new biomarker represented by the assay of Adenosine blood levels for the assessment of cerebral white matter damage in very low birth weight infants.

In conclusion, this issue presents interesting articles of cultural and scientific updates.

The editor's choice goes to the interesting and innovative work of M Colella et al. for evaluating the promising effects of this new biomarker concerning brain damage in preterm infants with very low birth weight.

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