

Special Issue

Assessing Value in Child Health

Message from the Guest Editor

Assessing value in child health is increasingly important as health care systems face difficult choices with regard to what services and programs to offer. Researchers, practitioners and decision makers appreciate that value extends beyond assessments of efficacy and safety. This special issue invites submissions that pertain to *assessing value in child health*. Manuscripts that address the following are welcome:

- Health technology assessment in child health
- Pediatric cost-effectiveness and willingness-to-pay
- Measuring preferences (utility) of patients, family members or the public for pediatric health states
- Health-related quality of life and cost spillover effects in caregivers
- Valuation of preferences for pediatric interventions and technologies by patients, family members, clinicians and members of the public using quantitative or qualitative methods
- Ethical analysis for valuation of complex emerging technologies in child health
- The development of tools, instruments, statistical approaches or models to measure elements of value in child health
- Value frameworks for funding and policy decision making for pediatric interventions and services

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