

Review of: "Psychiatric Diagnostic Classification System Based on New Forms of Parenting Practices: an Invite for a Rethink"

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This article is very interesting and certainly quite passionate. I would like to provide some comments to the author for consideration if he wishes to submit his study to a scientific journal.

- In its current state, it cannot be fully considered a review, but rather a commentary, opinion article, or editorial. However, I believe the author may intend to create a narrative review.
- In some instances, 'Some Key Questions' risks being too colloquial. These points could be revised as working hypotheses.
- In the abstract, the author mentions intriguing aspects, such as 'hyper-, hypo-, atypical, and indifferent parenting styles.' It would be interesting to develop these points further in the main text.
- In the abstract, the author also states that 'Newly introduced terms like co-parenting, attachment-parenting, positive-parenting, LGBTQ-parenting, and free-range parenting, greater involvement of fathers in parenting roles to promote gender equality, increased use of Assistive Reproductive Technologies, mums-net parenting, and intentional single mother families, donor-conception, surrogacy, and families with trans-parents ...' However, it remains unclear how these can be considered healthy or pathological forms of parenting.

I reiterate, the concept is truly interesting, but the body of the text primarily discusses the effects on children of unhealthy parenting styles (evidence in favor).

Therefore, I suggest either revising the abstract to align with the paper or amending the text to include dedicated paragraphs, addressing these overlooked points.

I hope this has been helpful.

Please keep us updated on the paper's progress.

Best of luck.

