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1	Testing the psychometric quality of screening tools for the well-being of children and caregivers in alternative care-settings: a multi-informant study with families in Tanzania. <i>Vulnerable Children and Youth Studies</i> , 2023, 18, 672-685.	0.5	1
2	A Systematic Review of the Prevalence and Correlates of Emotional Violence by Teachers. <i>Trauma, Violence, and Abuse</i> , 2023, 24, 2581-2597.	3.9	4
3	Mental health problems moderate the association between teacher violence and children's social status in East Africa: A multi-informant study combining self- and peer-reports. <i>Development and Psychopathology</i> , 2022, 34, 1329-1338.	1.4	6
4	Factors Contributing to Violence Against Children: Insights From a Multi-informant Study Among Family-Triads From Three East-African Refugee Camps. <i>Journal of Interpersonal Violence</i> , 2022, 37, NP14507-NP14537.	1.3	3
5	Factors Contributing to Violent Discipline in the Classroom: Findings From a Representative Sample of Primary School Teachers in Tanzania. <i>Journal of Interpersonal Violence</i> , 2022, 37, NP15455-NP15478.	1.3	6
6	The executive functioning of Burundian refugee youth: Associations with individual, family and community factors. <i>Journal of Applied Developmental Psychology</i> , 2022, 80, 101399.	0.8	4
7	Reducing teachers' use of violence toward students: A cluster-randomized controlled trial in secondary schools in Southwestern Uganda. <i>Children and Youth Services Review</i> , 2022, 138, 106521.	1.0	11
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12	A socio-ecological analysis of risk, protective and promotive factors for the mental health of Burundian refugee children living in refugee camps. <i>European Child and Adolescent Psychiatry</i> , 2021, 30, 1651-1662.	2.8	5
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15	The social legacies of conflict: The mediating role of mental health with regard to the association between war exposure and social capital of Burundian refugees. <i>Psychology of Violence</i> , 2021, 11, 40-49.	1.0	4
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19	Patterns of conflict-related trauma exposure and their relation to psychopathology: A person-centered analysis in a population-based sample from eastern DRC. <i>SSM Mental Health</i> , 2021, 1, 100005.	0.9	4
20	Reducing physical and emotional violence by teachers using the intervention Interaction Competencies with Children“ for Teachers (ICC-T): study protocol of a multi-country cluster randomized controlled trial in Ghana, Tanzania, and Uganda. <i>BMC Public Health</i> , 2021, 21, 1930.	1.2	4
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32	Does Prenatal Stress Shape Postnatal Resilience? “ An Epigenome-Wide Study on Violence and Mental Health in Humans. <i>Frontiers in Genetics</i> , 2019, 10, 269.	1.1	58
33	The association of maltreatment and socially deviant behavior“â€“Findings from a national study with adolescent students and their parents. <i>Mental Health and Prevention</i> , 2019, 13, 159-168.	0.7	13
34	Child neglect and its relation to emotional and behavioral problems: A cross-sectional study of primary school-aged children in Tanzania. <i>Development and Psychopathology</i> , 2019, 31, 325-339.	1.4	30
35	Recruiting Refugees for Militarization: The Determinants of Mobilization Attempts. <i>Journal of Refugee Studies</i> , 2019, 32, 1-22.	1.0	13
36	Mental Health Enables Integration: Re-thinking Treatment Approaches for Refugees. <i>Migration, Minorities and Modernity</i> , 2019, , 63-72.	0.0	1

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39	Violence and maltreatment in Tanzanian families—Findings from a nationally representative sample of secondary school students and their parents. <i>Child Abuse and Neglect</i> , 2018, 77, 110-120.	1.3	29
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41	Improving Interaction Competencies With Children—A Pilot Feasibility Study to Reduce School Corporal Punishment. <i>Journal of Aggression, Maltreatment and Trauma</i> , 2018, 27, 35-53.	0.9	28
42	Differential Associations Among PTSD and Complex PTSD Symptoms and Traumatic Experiences and Postmigration Difficulties in a Culturally Diverse Refugee Sample. <i>Journal of Traumatic Stress</i> , 2018, 31, 795-804.	1.0	44
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44	Reducing violence against children by implementing the preventative intervention Interaction Competencies with Children for Teachers (ICC-T): study protocol for a cluster randomized controlled trial in Southwestern Uganda. <i>Trials</i> , 2018, 19, 435.	0.7	12
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53	The Posttraumatic Cognitions Inventory (PTCI)—Development and Validation of a Shortened Military Version Based on a Sample of German Soldiers with Deployment-Related Trauma. <i>Journal of Traumatic Stress Disorders & Treatment</i> , 2017, 06, .	0.3	2
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58	Harsh discipline relates to internalizing problems and cognitive functioning: findings from a cross-sectional study with school children in Tanzania. BMC Psychiatry, 2016, 16, 118.	1.1	63
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63	Improving care quality and preventing maltreatment in institutional care – a feasibility study with caregivers. Frontiers in Psychology, 2015, 6, 937.	1.1	33
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65	Drugs Boosting Conflict? A Micro-Level Test of the Linkage Between Substance Use and Violence. Terrorism and Political Violence, 2015, 27, 205-224.	1.3	10
66	MALTREATMENT AND MENTAL HEALTH IN INSTITUTIONAL CARE–COMPARING EARLY AND LATE INSTITUTIONALIZED CHILDREN IN TANZANIA. Infant Mental Health Journal, 2014, 35, 102-110.	0.7	44
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