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There has been a 4000% increase in female gender dysphoria referrals in the last decade, especially among pre-teens and teens.

Is there a *new fad* affecting pre-teens and teens – especially girls but also young boys?

Gender gap

Britain, referrals to the Gender Identity Development Service at Tavistock clinic
By natal sex* and age



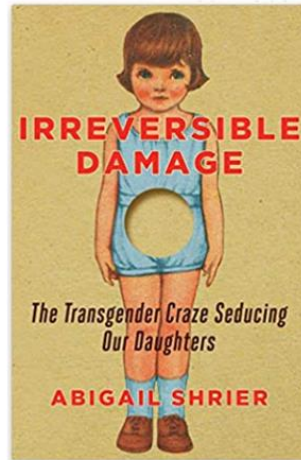
Source: GIDS *Excluding not known †12 and over ‡Under 12

The Economist

https://thepostmillennial.com/rob-hoogland-canada-prisoner-of-conscience/?inf_contact_key=c9dee83cebdb72389827357be0ff4f2842e902fbefb79ab9abae13bfc46658

Why this? Why now?

Social media or peer pressure? Internet influence?
Are some young kids embarrassed by or afraid of the body changes associated with puberty?

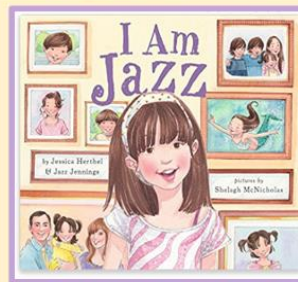


Shrier calls labeling female teens and pre-teens as gender dysphoric today's "diagnostic craze." She observes that the adolescent girl is "notorious for magnifying and spreading her own psychic pain."

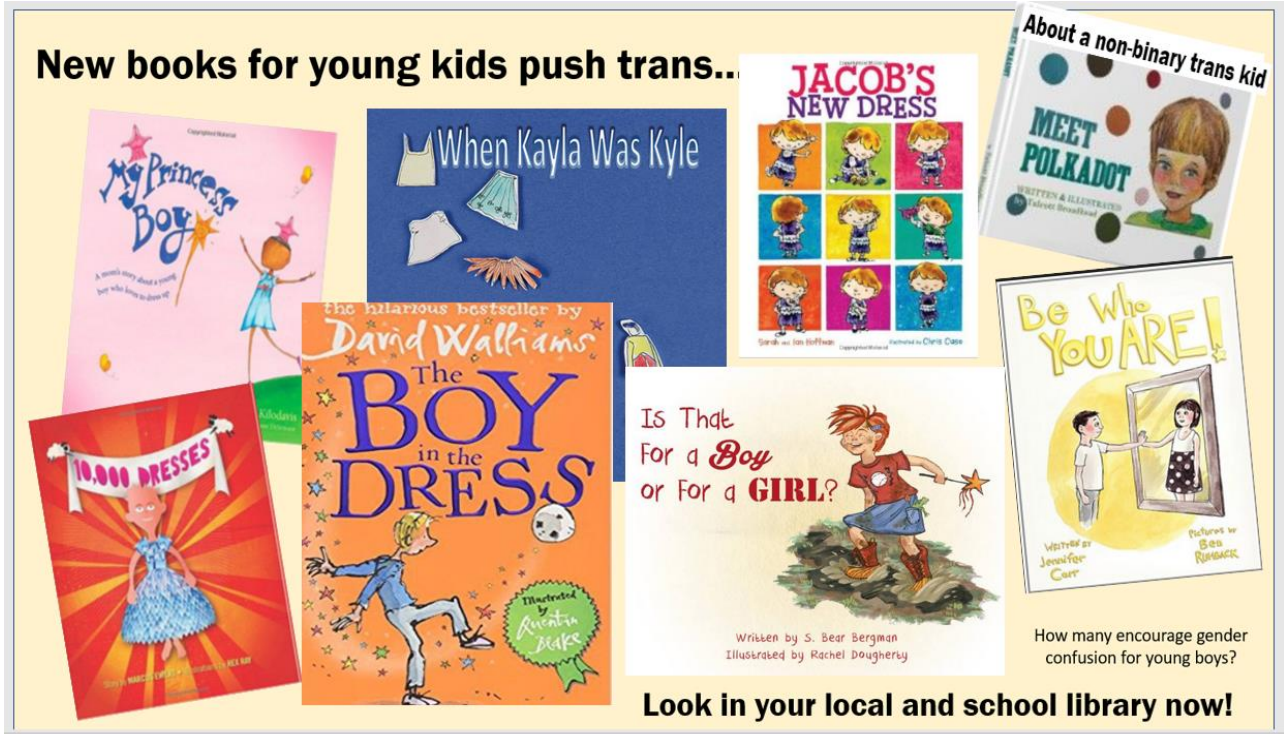
Shrier's work focuses on the "social contagion" of ROGD, or Rapid Onset Gender Dysphoria, in teen girls who manifested no such confusion as toddlers or younger girls.

But why are three-year-olds claiming they are the "wrong gender"?

What is the news today?



What kinds of books are being offered to young children these days?



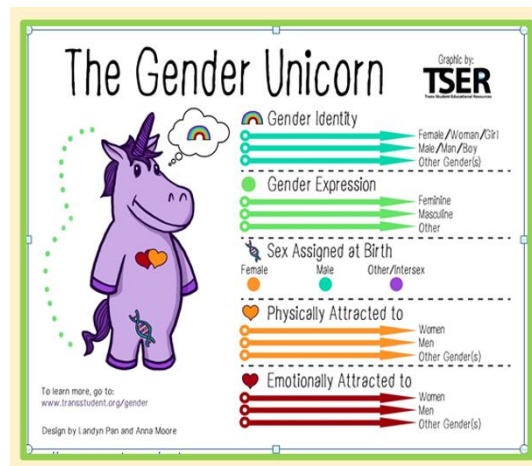
Notice how many of these books are about a boy who feels he is really a girl.

These are just a few of hundreds of books available to young children.



What are kids hearing?

This graphic negating biologic and binary sex classifications is used in many Texas schools.



EARLY CHILDHOOD EXPERIENCE

Most children between the ages of two and four years correctly identify their own biological sex.

Most children between the ages of four and five years begin to understand sex is stable - a boy grows into man and a girl to a woman.



Very young children believe what we tell them. They don't have the independent experience to evaluate our statements.

Dr. Michelle Cretella

Executive Director of American College of Pediatricians

WHY ARE THERE 3-5 YR OLD TRANS?



Dr. Susan Witt (Professor of Child Development at the University of Akron)

Attitudes and behaviors learned first in the home are reinforced by child's peers, school experience, and television viewing.

Miroslav Djordjevic (Pro-trans doctor)

The rise in very young children claiming to be in the wrong body may be *parents obliging* a child's wish to explore.

It's something like a fashion.

WHAT HAPPENS WHEN A CHILD CLAIMS TO BE TRANSGENDER?

- Social Affirmation – Praise – Hero Status and Acceptance
- Puberty blockers are often administered in Tanner Stage II

WHAT'S TANNER STAGE II? WHY THEN?

Before the first visible sign of sexual maturation.
For girls, puberty ranges from 8 to 13. For boys, from 9 to 14.



Neuropsychological Effects of Puberty Blockers

Emotional lability, mood changes, headaches, insomnia
Nervousness, anxiety, agitation, confusion, delusions, depression
“Monitor for development or worsening of psychiatric symptoms.”

Warning on
Lupron label

Results from study at Tavistock gender clinic (UK)

No statistically significant difference in psychosocial functioning
Children reported greater self harm.
Girls exhibited more behavioral and emotional problems, greater dissatisfaction with body

WHAT ARE THE PHYSICAL EFFECTS OF PUBERTY BLOCKERS

Arrest normal sexual maturation

- Bone length - bone density (height – early osteoporosis)
- Development of secondary sex characteristics (infertility)
- Sexual organization of the brain (cognition, memory, execution function)

Pre-dispose to disease states

- Cardiovascular (hypertension, stroke, blood clots, heart attack)
- Cancers (breast, ovarian, testicular and more)
- Diabetes and other hormonal imbalances; osteoporosis
- Premature menopause and andropause

WHAT HAPPENS NEXT?



Almost 100% of kids taking PBs
go on to use cross-sex hormones

A study has shown all but one child treated for gender dysphoria with puberty-blocking drugs at a leading NHS clinic - The Tavistock and Portman Trust - also received cross-sex hormones.



Tavistock puberty blocker study published after nine years

IN THE SHORT TERM, CROSS-SEX HORMONES GIVE KIDS WHAT THEY WANT—

**A girl looks (beard, body hair) and sounds (lower voice) more masculine.
A boy looks (no beard, smaller bones) and sounds (voice) more feminine.**



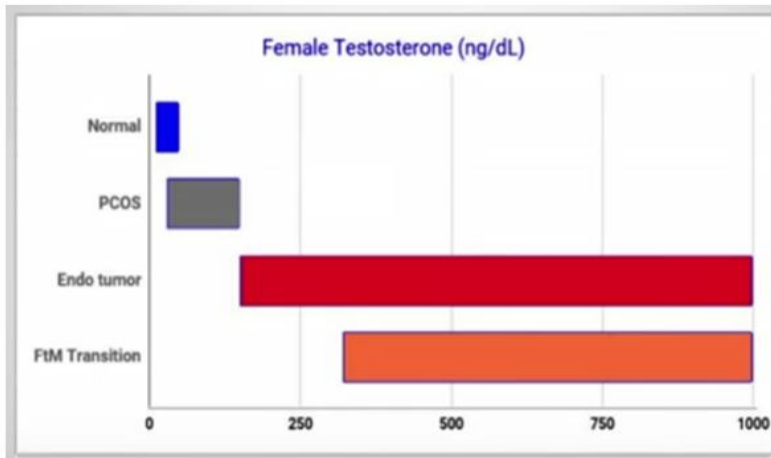
Boy or girl?

But can you change the DNA in *even one* of the 30 trillion cells of your body?

Dr. Michael Laidlaw, a pediatric endocrinologist, analyzes I AM JAZZ popular children's book about trans-toddler-to-teen-star Jazz
<https://www.lifesitenews.com/opinion/an-endocrinologist-studies-the-transgender-movements-most-popular-kids-book>



Female Testosterone Levels



Normal (blue) healthy female testosterone level - 15 to 70

Unhealthy levels of testosterone

Polycystic ovarian syndrome - PCOS disorder

Endocrine tumor – disease state

Female to male “transitioning” testosterone levels are 5 to 20 times higher than the female body is regulated for.

Normal female maybe 60
Male testosterone range 300-1200

Dr. Michael Laidlaw - "Medical Harms from the Treatment of Child and Adolescent Gender Dysphoria" <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2iJHf1BKPJY> Sept. 6, 2019

Results of taking Puberty Blockers and Cross-sex Hormones

Arrest normal sexual maturation—

Bones, sexual organs, secondary sex characteristics, sexual organization of the brain including memory, cognition, and executive function

Pre-dispose to disease states—

Cardiovascular effects (hypertension, stroke, blood clots, heart attack), cancers, diabetes, osteoporosis, premature menopause and andropause

Surgical mutilation—

Removal of healthy organs such as mastectomy, hysterectomy, oophorectomy, orchiectomy (castration), penectomy

Regret and detransitioning...

Keira Bell: The High Court hands down a historic judgment to protect vulnerable children

December 1, 2020



In a landmark judgment that will have repercussions around the world the High Court today ruled that puberty blockers and cross-sex hormones are experimental treatments which cannot be given to children in most cases without application to the court.

The judgment handed down today has established the salient facts about puberty blockers and cross-sex hormones:

- Puberty blockers are not 'fully reversible'.
- Puberty blockers do not 'buy time', they are the first stage of a medical pathway very few children come off.
- There is no evidence that puberty blockers alleviate distress.
- The pathway of blockers and cross-sex hormones has serious physical consequences, including the loss of fertility and full sexual function, with profound long-term risks and consequences.
- The treatment is experimental.

https://www.transgendertrend.com/keira-bell-high-court-historic-judgment-protect-vulnerable-children/?inf_contact_key=99c4b1c3e67cc7169c9f8e2436f71b8816358d5485884e2f31e6019a0d26c8b0



Parents protest gender-transitioning children outside Children's Hospital Los Angeles, 12-28-2020. Courtesy of Los Angeles parents

What do LA moms have to do with Keira Bell?

Is *Keira Bell v Tavistock* a bellwether?

Dr. David Bell was a consulting psychiatrist at Tavistock for 24 years. Bell recently said using an affirmation approach instead of neutrality had caused serious damage to gender confused children, who were inappropriately pushed through transition while their complex psychological problems were not investigated.

Bell added that puberty blockers have no evidence base for use.

<https://www.dailysignal.com/2021/02/09/transition-treatment-harms-kids-veteran-psychiatrist-at-uk-gender-identity-clinic-says/>

Swedish psychiatrist Christopher Gillberg testified that the use of puberty blockers is basically “a live experiment” on children. He wrote, “We have left established evidence-based clinical practice and are using powerful life-altering medication for a vulnerable group of adolescents and children based on a belief.”

https://www.bioedge.org/bioethics/london-newspaper-reveals-shocking-evidence-about-transgender-treatments/13664?inf_contact_key=9f35d93979e1dda202ff4eb291404b3416358d5485884e2f31e6019a0d26c8b0

**U.S. states
moving to
protect
vulnerable
minors →**

In a near-unanimous vote, the Alabama Senate passed a bill, called the “Vulnerable Child Compassion and Protection Act,” to ban the medicalized gender-transitioning of minors, outlawing the prescribing of puberty blockers, cross-sex hormones, and performing genital mutilation and double mastectomies on youth younger than 19.

The bill will soon head to the Alabama House, which has already passed a companion bill.

<https://www.christianpost.com/news/alabama-senate-passes-bill-to-ban-giving-puberty-blockers-to-kids.html>

A South Carolina bill has also been introduced called the Vulnerable Child Compassion and Protection Act, to prohibit medical experimentation on minors. It is written with clear definitions and restrictions.

<https://www.theblaze.com/news/democrat-introduces-bill-banning-transgender-procedures-on-minors>

**APRIL 6 – 1ST STATE TO PASS
NO MED TRANS FOR MINORS LAW**

The Arkansas legislature has sent a bill to the governor to pass the SAFE Act (Save Adolescents from Experimentation). The bill bans a physician or other healthcare professional from providing gender transition procedures to any individual under eighteen (18) years of age, from referring a minor under 18 for gender transition procedures, or for public funds being used for such purpose.

<https://www.dailywire.com/news/arkansas-passes-save-adolescents-from-experimentation-act-to-ban-trans-surgery-puberty-blockers-for-minors>



**Please protect
kids and teens
in Texas
from medical
transition!**

