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Her current research focuses on the identification of novel biomarkers of autoimmune neurological disorders in children, the identification of clinical and neuroimaging characteristics of autoimmune CNS disorders targeting AQP4 and MOG antibodies and optimizing the clinical management and treatment outcome of children with MS and NMOSD.

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