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Pediatric bipolar illness is one of the most significant categories of psychiatric ailments in children, even though it came into existence as a diagnosis only in the mid-1990s. Hundreds of thousands of U.S. children are estimated to have been diagnosed with it. Many are heavily medicated.