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**Predictors of Prosocial Behavior in Youth:
Associations with Gratitude, Parental Socialization
Mechanisms, and Parent-child and Sibling
Relationship Quality**

The development of prosocial behavior in youth has been linked to children's and adolescents' well-being, self-esteem, interpersonal relationship quality, and happiness. Most researchers agree that age-specific cognitive, social, and emotional factors are related to prosocial behavior, and that caring relationships have a significant impact on children's overall well-being and socio-emotional development. However, underlying factors are not widely understood. This study examines the associations between aspects of the family context, children's and parents' levels of gratitude, and children's prosociality.

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