



IHRJ Completes One Year: Milestones Achieved and Many More To Go...

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It gives me immense happiness and pleasure to announce that the International Healthcare Research Journal has completed its first glorious year of success. It was on 25th March, 2017 that the current IHRJ team decided to start with a healthcare journal with the aim to add value to the existing knowledge in the field of Medical, Dental and related Sciences. In the last one year, IHRJ has published quality articles from India as well as other nations namely United States, Dubai, Saudi Arabia and Nepal. Moreover, it has been indexed in 33 databases and search platforms including the prestigious *Crossref*, *ROAD*, *Index Copernicus*, *World of Journals*, *Google scholar*, *J Gate*, *Cosmos impact factor*, *DRJI*, *International scientific indexing*, *Worldcat*, *ITRDA*, *Academic keys*, *Research Bible*, *Scientific indexing services*, *World catalogue of Scientific journals*, *Eurasian Scientific Journal* indexing and many more.

The biggest milestone achieved was being recognised as a part of *National Library of Medicine (NLM) catalog*, that too at Volume 1 issue 7. IHRJ has also signed metadata sharing agreement with *Airiti Library*, *Taiwan* and follows the guidelines laid down by *International Committee of Medical Journal Editors (ICMJE)*. IHRJ also supports the *Budapest Open Access Initiative*.

IHRJ boasts its association with international editors namely *Prof. Dr. Alireza Heidari (President of American International Standards Institute)*, *Dr. Richard Gray*, *Dr. Naimatullah Habibi*, *Dr. Gordana Filipović*, *Dr. Syed Ameer Haider Jafri*, *Sayed Haidar Abbas Raza*, *Dr. Mayank Gahlot* and more. The journal has received an aggregate number of more than 5000 views till date. The journal team is constantly working to get the journal indexed in many more prestigious indexes and databases. The journal also aims to widen its scope and solicit its association with named healthcare professionals across the globe. The journal team is

working round the clock to provide best of their services to our authors.

No single endeavour in the world is possible for a single individual without the direct or indirect co-operation of innumerable entities, and IHRJ is no exception. There are many names that I may not be able to mention here but I am thankful to everyone who is there behind the success of International Healthcare Research Journal.

It is with deep gratitude and humbleness that I wish to express my indebtedness to the co-editor and my reverted friend *Dr. Sahil Singh Thakar*, for his sagacious guidance and encouragement and also inculcating in me a quest for excellence and a high sense of professionalism and imbedding in me the importance of detail at work. His emphasis on punctuality, perseverance and being systematic has helped in the growth of the journal constantly. Above all his inspirational support has provided just the right impetus for carrying out all the journal related work.

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