

## Journal of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry- Editorial note

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In the past years, apart from releasing regular issues at present, our main focus is to make scientific papers more accessible for aspiring researchers. With the support of Editorial board members, Executive editors and Guest Editors, we are planning to come up with interesting special issue topics to encourage the authors. Journal of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry comes under the top ten journals in this open access field. In 2020, we have already released two issue and now we are in the process of releasing another issue

With a great pleasure, I would like to express my happiness on the eve of entering into the 4<sup>th</sup> year of this Scientific Publishing Field. Initially we started this Journal of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry with the aim to disseminate advanced knowledge all over the globe. Thankfully, with the constant support of Eminent Editorial Board Members, Potential Reviewers and Active Authors we are able to run this journal so successfully till now and we hope it continues in near future also. Journal of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry provides the quarterly publication of articles. In the year of 2019, we have published a very good number of articles, which were recent discoveries.

The Journal of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, Pulsus publication, is multidisciplinary scholarly periodical that encourages research on the diagnosis, treatment, and prevention of mental disorders in children, adolescents, and their families. It mainly focuses on developmental disorders (Autism spectrum disorder), Disorders of Attention and Behaviour, Psychotic Disorders, Mood Disorders, Anxiety Disorders, Eating Disorders and Gender Identity Disorder. Its is an open access and peer reviewed journal by eminent Editorial Board and the manuscripts are peer-reviewed by potential reviewers according to their research interest.

For the last 3 years, published papers have been under the strong and able leadership of our Editor-in-Chief's Dr. Rajendra D. Badgaiyan. Especially, we are thankful to for his continuous support and dedication towards the journal will not lost. We the publication office of Pharmacoepidemiology and Drug Safety including me, we all are very honoured and grateful for his selfless devotion towards the journal.

The Journal of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry regularly publishes reports covering wide range of topics which include new challenges of Disorders of Attention and Behaviour, Psychotic Disorders, Mood Disorders, Anxiety Disorders, Eating Disorders and Gender Identity Disorders.

During the calendar year 2019, JCAP received a total of 25 papers, out of which 10 articles were rejected in the preliminary screening due to

plagiarism or being out of the format. During 2019 around 25 articles were subjected to the peer-review process and 15 of those were accepted. In the 3 issues of Volume 3 published during the year 2019, a total of 3 articles were published (at an average of 2 articles per issue) of which, 50 % articles were by foreign authors. A total of 60 research scientists from India and abroad reviewed the 4 articles published in volume 3. Average publication lag time of an article was further reduced to 6-8 months.

I wish to provide some perspective from the cycling research community of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry with regard to a recent Editorial note of our Journal.

I solely believe that the quality of the journal is based on the Eminence presence in the Editorial Board as well as Reviewer Board (potential reviewers) who strive to make the papers significantly productive and helpful for the scientific community.