

Editorial Note for Gerontology & Geriatric Research Journal

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Editorial Note

Without continual growth and progress, such words as improvement, achievement, and success have no meaning. [Journal of Gerontology & Geriatric Research](#) (ISSN: 2167-7182) is growing continuously. It is our pleasure to announce that during year 2019, all issues of volume 08 were published online on time and the print issues were also brought out and dispatched within 30 days of publishing the issue online.

Gerontology & Geriatric Research during this year also brought out [9th International Conference on Geriatrics, Gerontology & Elderly Care](#), which consisted of ~ 20 abstracts.

All published articles of this journal are included in the indexing and abstracting coverage of Index Copernicus, Google Scholar, EBSCO A-Z, Publons, Genamics journalSeek, Geneva Foundation for Medical Education and Research, RefSeek, OCLC-WorldCat, Hamdard University, Open J Gate, SafetyLit, and Sherpa Romeo Studies receiving funding from a funding organization that is included on the list of PMC and Research Funder Policies or authors having NIH grant were submitted to PubMed.

During the calendar year 2019, JGGR received a total of 25 papers, out of which 13 articles (52%) were rejected in the preliminary screening due to plagiarism or being out of the format and peer review process. During 2019 around 12 articles were subjected for publication after they are accepted in the peer review process. A total of 12 articles were published (at an average of 2 articles per issue) of which, articles were published from authors all around the world. A total of 110 research scientists from all over the world reviewed the 36 articles published in volume 18. Average publication lag time of an article was further reduced to 2-3 weeks.

Gerontology & Geriatric Research also announces its new association with LongDom group for Archiving, Journal maintenance, financial purpose and support. However the journal

will be running its original website <https://www.longdom.org/gerontology-geriatric-research.html> parallel for Editorial and review work process so as to maintain its highest standard of scientific work.

Association with LongDom group has increased Readership Metrics (By Google Analytics) of Gerontology & Geriatric Research which can be accessed at [Google Analytics Metrics for the Gerontology & Geriatric Research](#)

In order to create awareness regarding the current research in the field of gerontology and geriatrics research I have posted all the 2019 articles on the social media such as twitter which ultimately helps to gain more citation and page views and publicity of our journal.

In order to publish up-to-date, high-quality and original research, JGGR aspires to coin a special issue-2020 on Coronavirus disease pandemic. Therefore, Editorial Board members of JGGR are decided special issue title as **“Severity of covid infection and elder care”**.

Authors are cordially invited to submit their current research activities and outcomes in the form of any article type of science communication such as original research, review, expert opinion, commentary, short note communication to our Journal.

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