

Editorial

Greetings from the Editorial Board of Chettinad Health city Medical Journal.

It gives us immense pleasure and satisfaction for all your continued support in both contributing articles and improving our citation. We look forward for a more progressive 7th year of this journal as we step into 2018. This issue has a judicious mix of articles spanning medicine, medical education and philosophy.

Even in this modern world with career oriented women, Motherhood is the most cherished feel. The first perspective article clearly outlines on the issues on planning to begin a family, reasons for postponing and issues related to older mothers-How old is too old.

The second perspective article of this issue beautifully brings out the interlink and intricacy of medical education and clinical practice through the lifetime expertise of the author both as a clinician, academician and an administrator. With interns focusing on postgraduate entrance examination, honing of clinical skills, interest and watchful eyes to observe the signs and symptoms and teachers approach are highlighted.

The first original article of this issue reports on inter-observer subjective variations of human sperm morphology. Concern and need for assessment measures have been discussed in this article. Childhood blindness is one of the priorities in vision 2020: the right to sight. The original article on the cross sectional study clearly brings out the need for school screening programs for early detection of amblyopia. A rare case of immunodeficiency during upper gastro intestinal endoscopy is reported in this issue. This report highlights the chances of misinterpretation and need for meticulous histopathological workup.

Do doctors have a peace of mind? This question runs in the mind of every doctor and the authors have brought out these issues through their random ramblings, a more philosophical stance.

The Neurologist Nobel Laureate, Egas Moniz, the man who introduced cerebral angiography and psychosurgery comes alive through the pages of history in this issue.

With diverse topics we hope this issue too meets the need of everyone working in the field of health sciences.

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