Instruction to Authors for submission to The Professional Medical Journal

Original Article

Article Title

ABSTRACT

(Maximum 200-250 words)

Original article required structured abstract with following headings.

Objective:

Study Design:

Settings:

Period:

Material & Methods:

Results: Conclusion:

Keywords: (At Least 3) Separate with [,] in alphabetical order.

INTRODUCTION

It should be in three paragraphs. First paragraphs provides a context or background for the study (that is the nature of the problem and its significance). Second paragraph should include current literature of article. Third paragraph describe the specific purpose or research objective of, or hypothesis tested by, the study or observation in form of statement It is preferable to cite 5-10 pertinent references.

Material & Methods

This should be written in descriptive form. Mentioning the following.

Study Design:

Settings:

Duration:

Sample Size:

Sampling Technique:

Inclusion Criteria:

Exclusion Criteria:

Data Collection Procedure:

Data / Statistical Analysis:

Ethical Approval

RESULTS

The results should be in logical sequence in the text, tables and figures. DO not repeat all the data in the tables or figures in the text.

"Elaborate the table in paragraph" ABC (Table 1)

Table 1: Title of table (n=?)

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Figure 1: Title of figure

Figure 2: Title of figure

DISCUSSION

In this section compare the results with other studies and emphasize the new and important aspects of the study. Explain each aspects of study in separate paragraph. The last paragraph on discussion should describe limitation of this study.

CONCLUSION

The conclusion should be 2-3 line statement highlighting the outcome of study in clear and precise words.

CONFLICT OF INTEREST / DISCLOSURE

The author should declare any conflict of interest if presents.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

This is optional.

REFERENCES (Vancouver Style)

All original articles must have 20-25 references not more than 5 year old, they should also include local / national references. All references must be cited as super script in the manuscript and in Vancouver style in the references list.

Instructions for Vancouver Style

Examples

- Ahmed M, Sahito B, Hamid R, Nida, Kumar M, Hussain G. Supracondylar fracture humerus (Gartland Type III) managed with closed reduction and percutaneous pinning (CRPP) in children. Professional Med J 2020; 27(6):1092-1096. DOI: 10.29309/TPMJ/2020.27.06.1837
- 2. Williams NS, Bulstrode CJ, O'connell PR. **Bailey & Love's short practice of surgery.** Crc Press; 2008.
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