
From The Desk of Principal

It gives me immense pleasure to announce that the “Annals of Punjab Medical College” has been recognized by the Pakistan Medical & Dental Council. It takes me few years back when the first issue of the APMC was published. I have the honour to be the first Editor of the APMC. By next issue it was taken up by Prof. Zahid Iqbal who did this job efficiently. Recently he has been elevated as Chairman Editorial Board and the responsibility of editing has been entrusted to Dr. Safdar, a young researcher and scholar.

Research is the best learning tool and it is futile until and unless it is published. In that analogy, Medical Journal goes a long way in the publication and recognition of research activities. Most established academic fields have their own journals and other outlets for publication, though many academic journals are somewhat interdisciplinary and publish work from several distinct fields or subfields. APMC would cater as an interdisciplinary monograph which is peer-reviewed before publication.

Punjab Medical College is amongst the few Medical Colleges of Pakistan which own a medical journal recognized by the PMDC & which is published regularly. It would provide an opportunity of learning not only to the faculty and students of Pakistan Medical College but also to the researchers and scholars of other Medical Colleges as well as the Medical community at large. I would request my faculty members and students to take maximum benefit.

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