

The New Beginning ...



Dear Reader,

As an editor, I am proud to present you with the very first issue of the Journal of Nepalese Society of Periodontology and Oral Implantology (JNSPOI). It also provides me with an opportunity to publicly thank our society, the NSPOI for believing in me and giving me the responsibility to bring out this issue.

In this journal, we have mainly focused on the original research, review articles and case reports. We also have a section for interdisciplinary dental sciences. JNSPOI encourages post graduates for the publications since they are going to be the future researchers. Soon we are going to start free online access.

The publication would not have been possible without its contributors - the authors, reviewers, editors and editorial staff personnel who are associated with JNSPOI since its inception. I thank the authors who have chosen JNSPOI to disseminate their research. All the reviewers are the key to the peer review process. They are responsible for the technical evaluation of the submitted papers and for maintaining high standards in the quality of accepted version.

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Last, but not least, I would like to express my heartfelt gratitude to Dr. Priti Shrestha, Associate Editor, for always being there with valuable suggestions, her constant support and up to par editorial skills.

We welcome your comments and suggestions on the JNSPOI which will be added from next issue as "letter to editor" and as its Editor, I am fully committed to bringing about a JNSPOI that reflects the quality and character of professional excellence of Periodontology in Nepal and the world today since this is just a beginning. We need continuous support from NSPOI members and all the researchers and authors for the continuation of JNSPOI.

Best regards,
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