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Dear Readers,

We are very happy to offer this special English-language issue of the Ilam University of Medical Sciences Journal. This project is a smart way to get our publication more attention and reach more people in the global scientific community. We have always published in Persian, but we know that it's important to reach more people and share knowledge across borders.

Publishing an entire issue in English allows our research to reach a global audience, increases the chances of collaboration, and makes the findings we share more likely to have an impact. This is especially important for subjects that are very important to Iran and the rest of the Middle East, such as health systems research, public health, aging, and managing chronic diseases. By making our information available in English, we want to help the world talk about these important issues and show off Iranian research to a global audience.

This special issue proves that the journal is still committed to publishing high-quality, peer-reviewed research. We want writers from Iran and other countries to send us original papers, reviews, and analyses in English. We are interested in clinical and community health, health policy, medical education, and new issues in managing healthcare. We want to use this project to build better scientific networks, get people from different fields to work together, and support evidence-based practice on a global and local level.

Also, publishing in English helps us reach our long-term goal of getting more indexing and visibility in big international databases like Scopus and Web of Science. Not only does making the journal more international make it more important in the academic world, but it also gives readers and writers more ways to connect with research from Iran.

We are sure that this English-language issue will be helpful to readers all over the world while still upholding the Ilam University of Medical Sciences Journal's high standards of academic excellence. We also want to make it clear that the magazine will still accept contributions in Persian for future issues. This is important because it keeps our main goal of publishing research from both local and national sources at the center of what we do.

In the end, our project shows how dedicated we are to making Iranian research more visible, improving international scientific communication, and promoting high-quality research in medicine and public health. We want writers from all over the world to send us articles for our journal. This will help us spread information across borders.

Sincerely,

Arman Azadi, PhD

Editor-in-Chief

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