

FROM THE DESK OF THE EDITOR IN CHIEF

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In continuation of our effort to publish medical journal regularly I am pleased that the AKMMC journal volume 5 issue1 has been published in time. The readers will find this issue more interesting as there are 6 original articles,3 review articles,1 brief communication and an interesting case report in this issue. The editorial on Medical Education Unit (MEU)at AKMMC highlighted the MEU activities essential to upgrade quality teaching and faculty development programme. Two articles "Morphological Study on Age Related Changes in Cortical Thickness across the Central Sulcus" and "A Postmortem Histological Study on Percentage Volume of Parenchyma and Stroma of the Human Parathyroid Glands" are important in relation to Bangladeshi population.As Bangladesh is a densely populated country family planning practices are very important in relation to family planning,as such the article " Contraceptive Practice of Married Women: Experience from a Rural Community of Bangladesh" will throw some light in this aspect.Prostate cancer is the number one cancer in male throughout the world.PSA is an important tumor marker for diagnosis,prognosis of prostate cancer.The normal value in relation to Bangladeshi population is very important.The article on " Prostate Specific Antigen (PSA): Normal reference value in Bangladeshi male, a retrospective PSA analysis of 765 male" may be used as a baseline data for PSA value in Bangladeshi male. Diabetes,Obesity,dyslipidemia is a worldwide problem for the young. The article on "Lipid profile, glycaemic and anthropometric status of students of a private medical college in Dhaka city" will give a glimpse on these aspects.Lymphoma specially relapse of B cell lymphoma poses a threat for better management on part of the oncologists.The article on " A study on relapsed B-cell lymphoma in elderly patient of Bangladeshi population with Rituximab, Gemcitabin and Oxaliplatin: an effective salvage regimen" will throw some light on multidrug treatment in salvaging relapse B cell lymphoma. 3 review articles on three important topics "Avian Influenza & Human Health", "Enhanced External Counterpulsation: A New Option for the Cardiac Patients of Bangladesh", "Public Private Partnership (PPP) in health sector of Bangladesh"will be very informative and entertaining for scientific knowledge expansion.

Brief communication on "Bangladesh experiencing double burden with infectious diseases and non communicable diseases (NCD's): An issue of emerging epidemics"is a timely informative paper which must be read by all readers. Interesting case report on " Hereditary Anhidrotic Ectodermal Dysplasia - A case report"will be informative. Overall this issue will hopefully be well readable and enjoyable to all readers. Any constructive criticism and advice on improvement of our journal will be highly appreciated and well taken. Thanks. Allah Hafez.

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Errata/Corrigendum

In last issue of AKMMJ: 4;(2) July 2013 some printing mistake were made, these are corrected below

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