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EDITOR'S COLUMN



Dear Colleagues!

We are summing up the outgoing 2018 on the threshold of the upcoming 2019. For the Yakut Medical Journal, the year was prosperous and fruitful: we have celebrated the 15th anniversary of the journal; the journal is included in the international citation database Web of Science in test mode; the journal's demand for authors and readers from different regions of Russia, including Yakutia, has significantly increased.

We are representatives of the most humane profession - the profession of a doctor. And our activity is entirely focused on improving and preserving the health of people, increasing the lifespan and improving the quality of their life. Many scientific developments of the YSC CMP have global and practical significance. This is what stimulates us to work, to overcome, and sometimes to exploits that are not always noticeable to the others, but this does not diminish their significance.

A strong fundamental and applied combined science, with practical developments, new technologies, quick response to innovation is the visiting card of the YSC CMP. On the pages of our Journal you will find a confirmation of this statement.

Thanks to sustainable financing and professional work of the editorial board, the Yakut Medical Journal has successfully passed the stage of formation and has sufficient potential for further sustainable development. Work on improving the quality of published materials will continue, which implies an improvement in the pre-production work (collection, review of the material, work

with authors, etc.). The main headings of the journal will remain the same. At the same time, the priorities are "Original research", "Methods of diagnosis and treatment", "Arctic medicine", "Scientific reviews and lectures", "Hot topic", etc. Special attention will be paid to headings that publish practical medicine materials.

We will continue work on improving the site of our journal. The editorial board will contribute to a steady feedback from the users of the Yakut Medical Journal in order to improve the quality of the journal in every way, increase of its competitiveness, informativeness and accessibility. The editorial board works with authors with great inspiration and does everything so that readers can get acquainted with the interesting results of scientific research in the pages of our journal. We are ready to listen to your opinion about the magazine and take good suggestions for its improvement.

On the eve of the New Year, I wish our dear authors and readers good health and high spirit, new great ideas and achievements! May the New Year be successful and productive for all of us! Well-being and happiness!

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