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EDITORIAL

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We also take the fact that we have reached a high number of readers, both nationally and globally, as a mandate to continue working to improve the quality of our publication so that our journal would be able to attain satisfactory national accreditation for periodic scientific publication. This would only be achievable with the continued support and contribution from the entire academic and scientific communities that continuously strive to advance health and medical science in Indonesia and around the world

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