

Dear Colleagues,

Our journal has continued to contribute to the scientific advancement of psychiatric nursing, with its quality developing and reaching a more advanced level over the past 15 years. Today, especially in light of wars, pandemics, natural disasters, and the psychosocial problems caused by man-made disasters that affect people worldwide, the importance of community mental health services, particularly psychosocial care and the roles of psychiatric nurses, has become increasingly emphasized. To this end, our journal prioritizes research on the effectiveness of therapeutic intervention methods that contribute to the empowerment of psychiatric nurses, practical examples of psychiatric nursing models, nursing students' perception, knowledge, and skill levels in the field of mental health, the needs of caregivers, issues related to schizophrenia and similar chronic mental disorders, and many other mental health problems.

The ability of our journal to reach a higher level of quality each day is dependent on its continued publication and sustainability. However, unfortunately, this is becoming increasingly difficult to maintain due to the economic crisis we are currently facing. For these reasons, as of 07.08.2023, we have had to request a small contribution from authors to support the costs of the publication preparation processes managed by the publishing house for articles submitted to our journal. We hope that this fee, which we have kept as low as possible, will not diminish your motivation to submit articles to our journal.

We would like to extend our deepest gratitude to the entire editorial board for their contributions to the preparation of our 15<sup>th</sup> volume, 3<sup>rd</sup> issue, to our scientific advisory board members who worked with great dedication, and to our authors for their valuable articles, which contributed to the creation of this issue.

We hope that our new issue will be beneficial to our colleagues and all of our readers.

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