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Novelity in the new 2018

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The main novelity regarding the Vojnosanitetski Pregled (VSP) in the new 2018 is the change of its publisher. Instead of the Military Health Department of the Ministry of Defence of the Republic of Serbia which, since of the Journal founding in 1944 was its publisher, will be the University of Defence in future. Namely, on December 1, 2017, the Institute for Scientific Information of the Military Medical Academy in Belgrade, in which the Journal's Editorial Office was situated since 1961, became a member of the University of Defence, which took over all the duties related to the Journal. The University of Defence will continue to publish, along with the Vojnosanitetski Pregled, additional three scientific military journals, and thus encompass the role of high education and scientific institution. This change will not affect the editorial policy of the VSP. Moreover, we expect to help solve some technical and financial issues in publishing the Journal, which will further strengthen its position as the leading medical journal in Serbia with constant increase of impact factor over the last several years. That is why it is not surprising that for years the number of manuscripts, which almost each day reach the Journal's Editorial Office, is growing.

In the year 2017, to December 15 inclusive, a total of 343 manuscripts were received, similarly to the number of the previous years, which ranged from 300 to 400. Of this number, aproximately 30% of manuscripts has been rejected, while the remaining have received positive reviews or are still in the process of reviewing.

As in previous years, the largest number of manuscripts received belongs to the category of Original Article (67.64%) and Case Report (21.28%). Next are those from the categories General Review (4.96%) and Current Topic (2.04%), while other categories of manuscripts (Short Communication, Letter to the Editor, History of Medicine, Practical Advice for the Physicinas, etc.) are represented by less than 1%.

When analyzing the affiliation of the authors of the manuscripts received, it is evident that, as earlier, the largest number of them was sent by domestic authors from the socalled civil health and academic institutions (87.17%), about 7% of manuscripts were submitted by authors from abroad, while approximately 6% from authors from Serbian military institutions.

The analysis of the articles published in 2017 has showed that their structure is largely the same as in previous years. As to now, most articles published have been from the category Original Article, followed by Case Report, while a significantly smaller number of articles have been from other categories (Table 1). Again, most articles published were by domestic authors from civil institutions (99), followed by joint articles of authors from civil and military institutions (31). At the third place, there were articles by authors from military health institutions (24), while number of articles published by authors from abroad, alone or in combination with domestic authors, was 11 and 14, respectively.

Table 1 Categories and the number of articles published in the Vojnosanitetski Pregled in 2017

Category of articles	Articles	
Category of articles	n	%
Editorial	3	1.7
Original Article	91	50.9
General Review	8	4.5
Current Topic	4	2.2
Practical Advice for Physicians	2	1.1
Case Report	48	26.9
Short Communication	14	7.8
In Focus	1	0.5
History of Medicine	5	2.8
Letter to the Editor	2	1.1
Meeting Report	1	0.5
Total	179	100

Over the last year, efforts were made to select only those papers with the topics which follow world science trends. This will continue to be one of the priority tasks of the Publisher and the Editorial Board of the Journal in the future. Great help in this we expect from our reviewers to whom, on this occasion, I warmly thank on behalf the members of the Editoral Board and Editorial Office of the Journal. The names of those who helped us achieve our common goal in 2017 are listed in Table 2.

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Table 2

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