

EDITORIAL

The Dentistry is a dynamic profession, covering various techniques and fields of knowledge. Even with the advancement of the dental materials and techniques, several problems can decrease the longevity of clinical procedures. Researches have been developed in order to prevent or at least minimize some shortcomings found in daily dental practice.

Recently, the Brazilian researches have gained notoriety in the worldwide scientific literature. Laboratorial and clinical studies are conducted to change and/or to improve clinical procedures. Dental practice should be evidence-based obtained from the results of scientific studies with critical sense, associated to clinical experience of the professional, and patient's decision, to provide the best treatment option available.

The implementation of the results of a scientific research involves knowledge production, dissemination, and its application during clinical procedures. A specialized journal is considered the memory of science and its papers are a major source of research results dissemination. In this sense, the Journal of Research in Dentistry (JRD) has played its role as a provider of knowledge. The participation of editorial board, the contribution of authors, and the interest of readers by the journal collaborate for JRD successful.

Best regards.

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