

SPMI Case Reports Statistics and Reviewers Acknowledgment

Estatísticas da SPMI Case Reports e Agradecimento aos Revisores

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As we step into a new year, it is with great pleasure that we reflect on the progress and achievements of SPMI Case Reports.

Over the past year, our journal has continued its commitment to publishing high-quality research while maintaining rigorous peer-review standards.

Below, we present key statistics related to submissions, acceptance rates, and publication timelines:

Total submissions: 120 manuscripts were submitted for consideration.

Acceptance rate: 22.5% of submitted manuscripts were accepted for publication.

Rejection rate: 52.5% of submissions were declined after editorial and peer review.

Currently, 30 manuscripts remain under editorial deliberation.

Average time to first decision: Authors received an initial editorial decision within an average of 8 weeks.

These achievements would not be possible without our reviewers' invaluable dedication and expertise.

So, in the first issue of the year, we would like to thank the reviewers for their invaluable time, experience and dedication in maintaining the quality of the articles we have published over

the past year. Your expertise and contributions have been fundamental for our authors to improve their work and important for maintaining the trust of our readers. We recognize the effort required to thoroughly evaluate submissions and are deeply grateful for your contribution.

Our gratitude to the 111 reviewers who in the past year collaborated with our journal.

In addition, we would like to express our appreciation to the authors for their submissions and to our readers for their continued involvement and support.

At last, we would also like to thank Maria João Lobão for her exemplary work as Editor of the SPMI Case Reports, as she will be leaving the Editorial Board to take on new responsibilities.

Looking ahead, we encourage continued collaboration from our authors, reviewers, and readers in making SPMI Case Reports a reference for clinical case discussions.

Thank you all for your support. We wish you a productive year filled with discoveries and meaningful contributions to the field of Internal Medicine. ■

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