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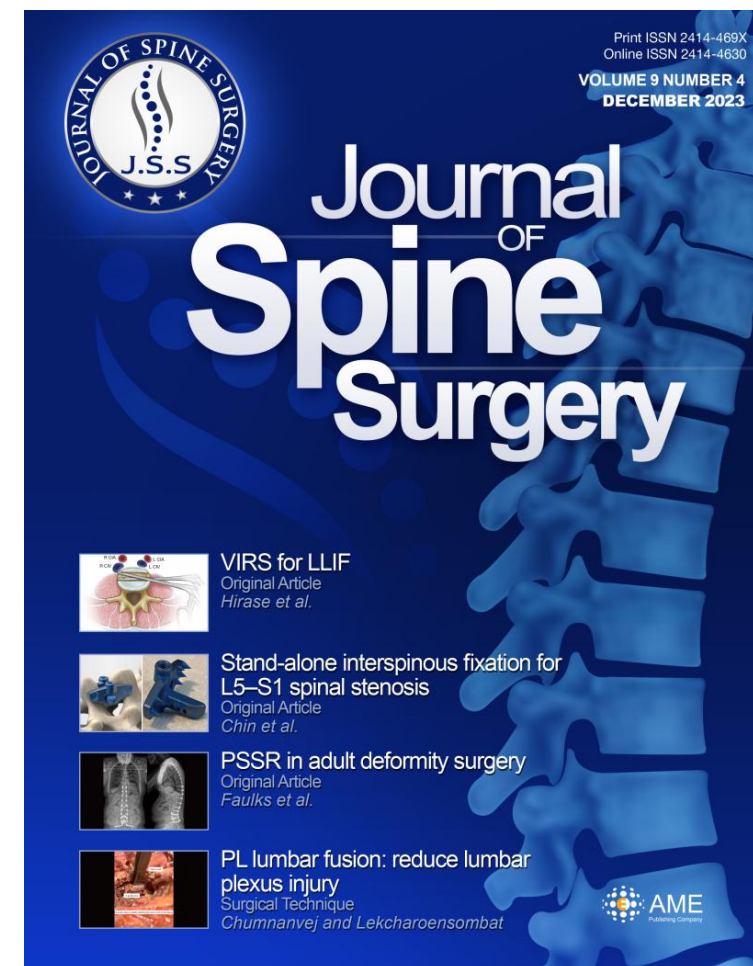
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1. Basic Information

- Launched in December 2015
- Indexed and covered by **PubMed/PMC** in August 2016 and **Scopus** in March 2020
- **2022 CiteScore = 4.9**

The *Journal of Spine Surgery* is an open access, peer-reviewed journal that is published quarterly, dedicated to the field of spine surgery, science and clinical outcomes.



2. Editor-in-Chief



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Editor-in-Chief

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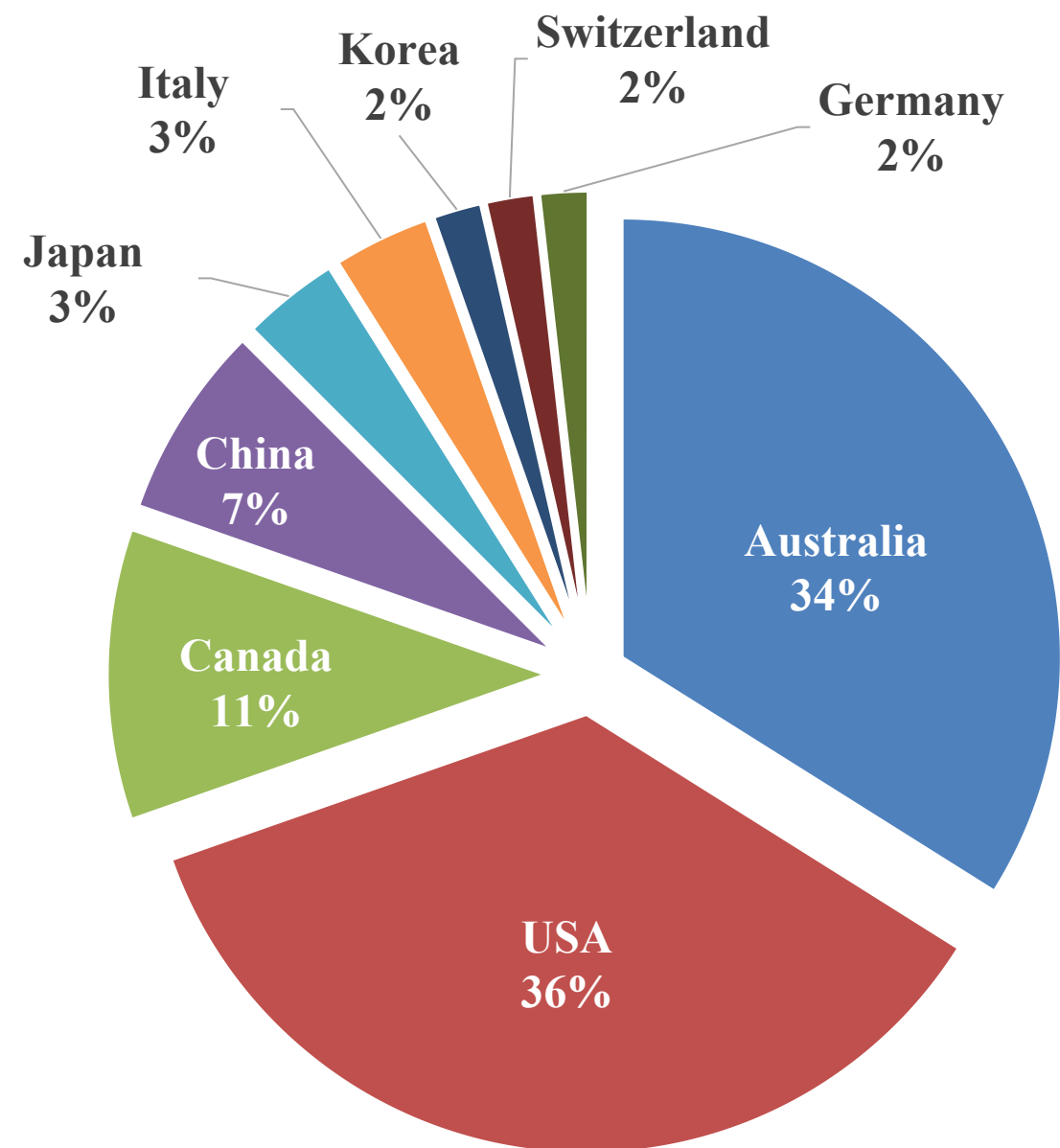
Hospital, Sydney, Australia

3. Distribution of Editorial Board Members

JSS has **56** Editorial Board Members

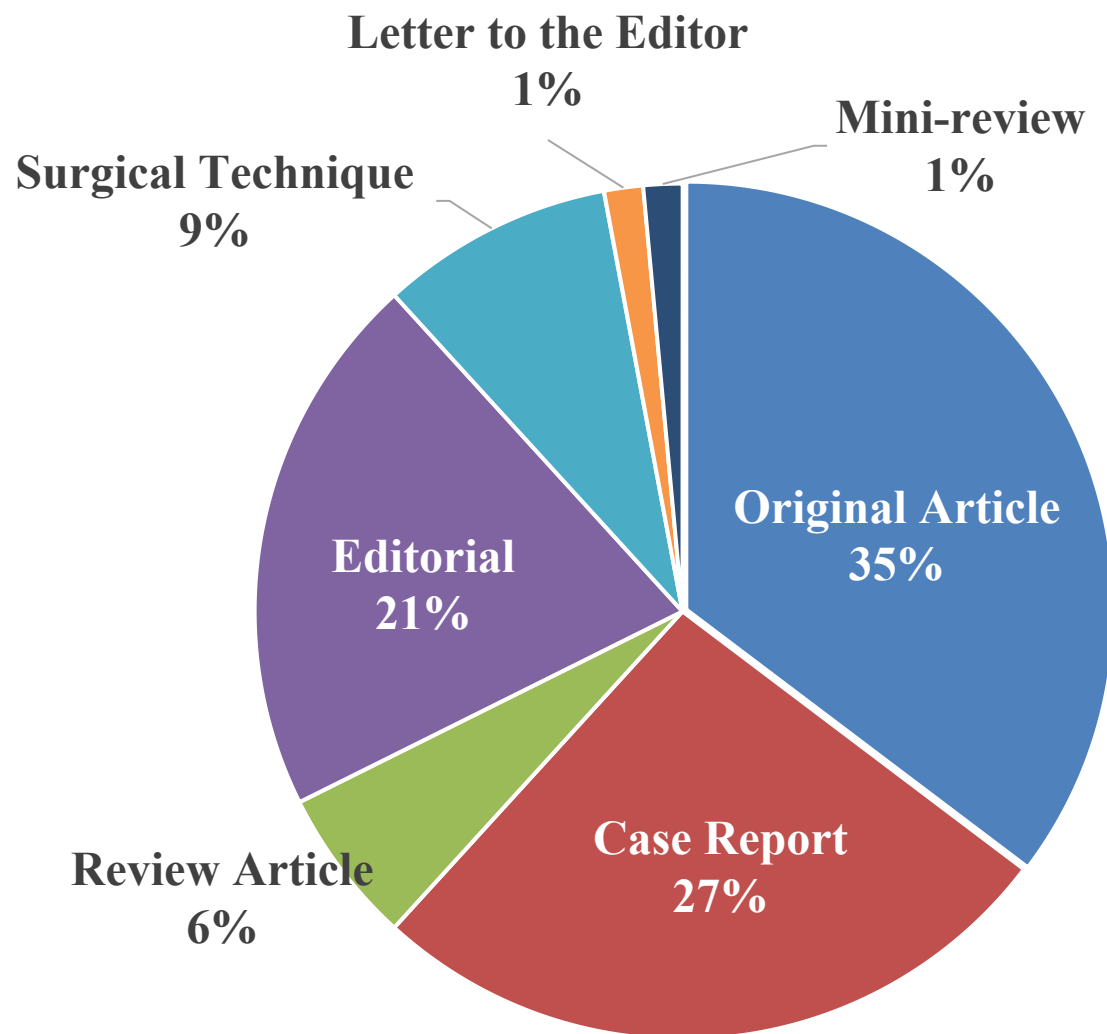
from 9 countries:

- 1 Editor-in-Chief
- 1 Co-Editor-in-Chief
- 3 Associate Editors
- 51 Editorial Board Members



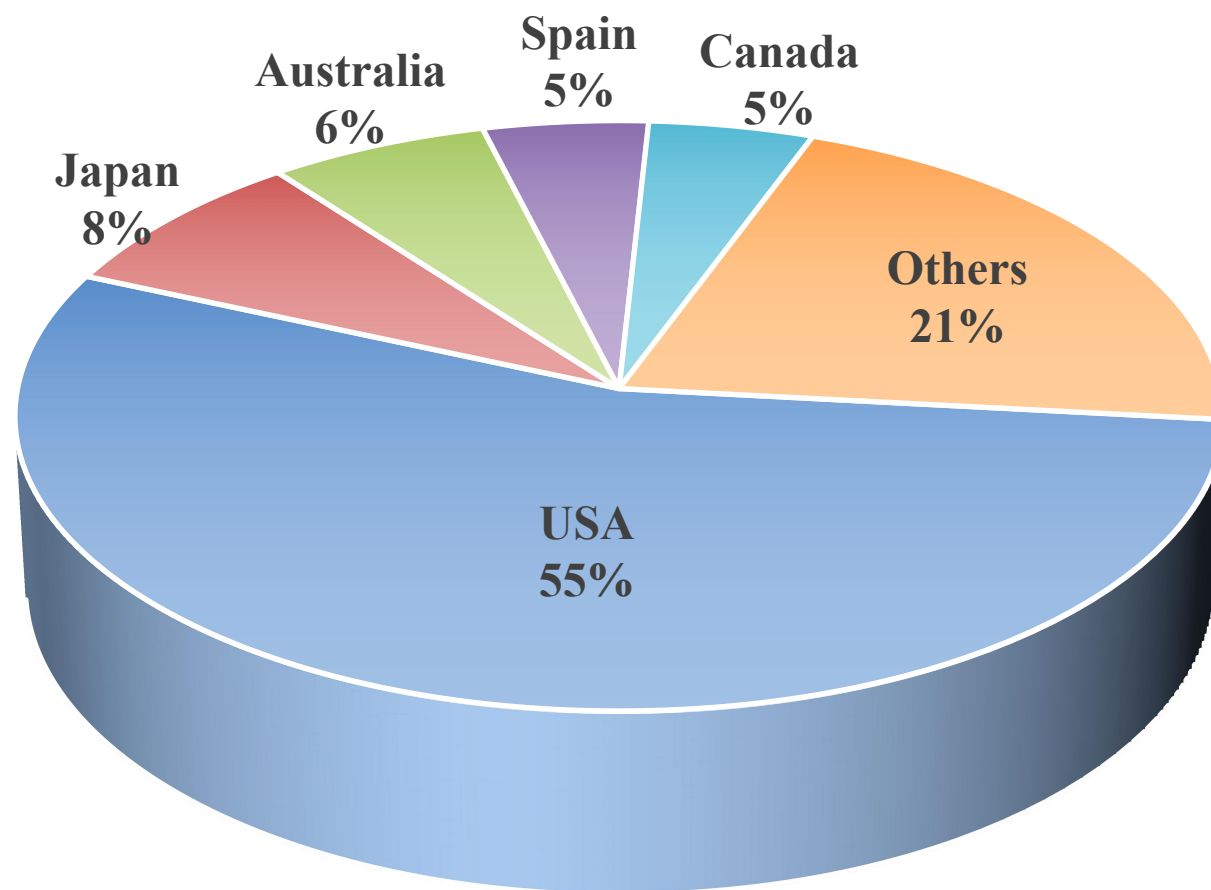
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4. Types of Articles Published in 2023



In 2023, JSS has published **68** manuscripts, among which there are **24** Original Articles, **4** Review Articles, **18** Case Reports, **6** Surgical Techniques, **14** Editorials, **1** Mini-review and **1** Letter to the Editor.

5. International Diversity of Corresponding Authors



The corresponding authors come from **16** countries. The majority of authors are from USA, followed by Japan, Australia, Spain and Canada; the others are from Switzerland, Saudi Arabia, UK, Sweden and China, etc.

6. Top Ten Most Read Articles in 2023

Title	Article Type	Corresponding Author	Country
Complications of anterior cervical spine surgery: a systematic review of the literature	Review Article	Paul Park	USA
Complications following posterior cervical decompression and fusion: a review of incidence, risk factors, and prevention strategies	Review Article	Lee A. Tan	USA
Lumbar interbody fusion: techniques, indications and comparison of interbody fusion options including PLIF, TLIF, MI-TLIF, OLIF/ATP, LLIF and ALIF	Review Article	Ralph J. Mobbs	Australia
Anterior cervical spine surgery-associated complications in a retrospective case-control study	Review Article	Anastasia Tasiou	Greece
Acute post-operative airway complications following anterior cervical spine surgery and the role for cricothyrotomy	Review Article	Monika P. Debkowska	USA

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Platelet-rich plasma injections: an emerging therapy for chronic discogenic low back pain	Review Article	James Yu	Australia
The incidence of new onset sacroiliac joint pain following lumbar fusion	Original Study	Yu Chao Lee	UK
Comparison of ALIF vs. XLIF for L4/5 interbody fusion: pros, cons, and literature review	Review Article	Mark J. Winder	Australia
Flexion-extension standing radiographs underestimate instability in patients with single-level lumbar spondylolisthesis: comparing flexion-supine imaging may be more appropriate	Original Article	Nathan J. Lee	USA
Cervical laminoplasty: indication, technique, complications	Review Article	John M. Rhee	USA

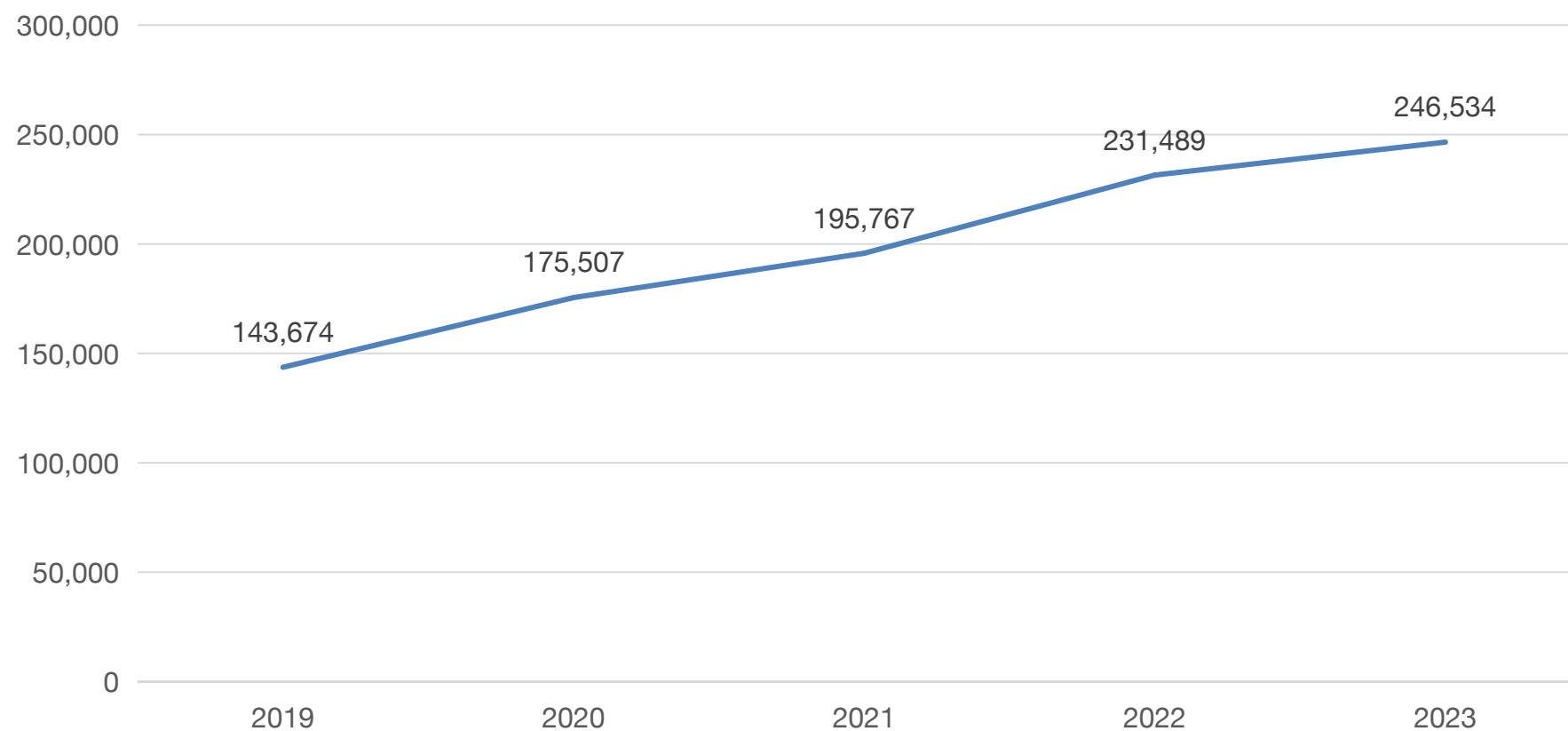
7. Distribution of Website Visits

According to the data collected from Google Analytics, there are altogether **117,304** users in 2023. Readers who visited JSS website are from diverse countries or districts, with the majority from USA, followed by India, Australia, UK and Canada, etc.

Country	Users
United States	58,799
India	9,430
Australia	4,846
United Kingdom	4,475
Canada	3,077
China	2,961
South Korea	2,292
Japan	1,919
Germany	1,534
Indonesia	1,401

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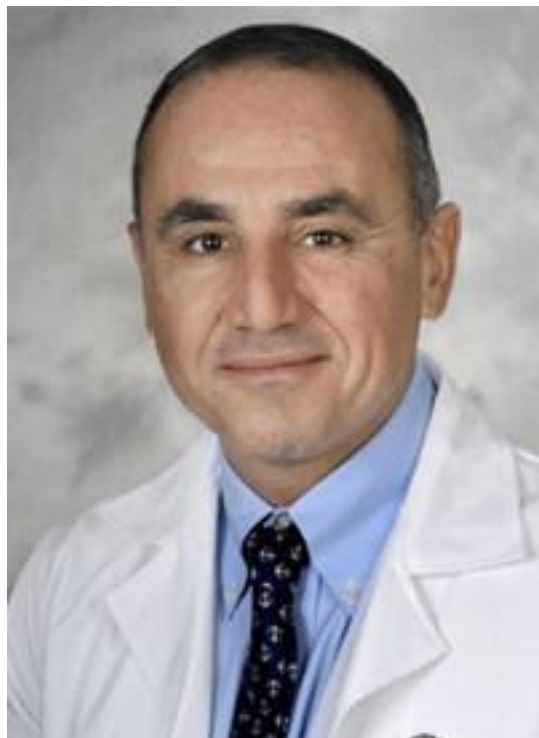
Pageviews of JSS Website (Compared by Year)



All together 246,534 pageviews in 2023. Pageviews of JSS website have increased steadily during the last five years.

8. Interviews with Outstanding Authors (2023)

In 2023, many authors made outstanding contributions to our journal. We had a brief interview with some of them to share their unique perspectives and insightful views as authors.



Albert E. Telfeian
Brown University, USA



Scott L. Zuckerman
Vanderbilt Sports Concussion
Center, USA



Michael Fiechter
Swiss Paraplegic Center,
Switzerland

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Troy Q. Tabarestani
Duke University, USA



Alison Rushton
Western University, Canada



Ilyas Aleem
University of Michigan, USA

9. Reviewer of the Month (2023)

In 2023, JSS reviewers continued to make outstanding contributions to the peer review process. They demonstrated professional effort and enthusiasm in their reviews and provided comments that genuinely help the authors to enhance their work. Following are some of our outstanding reviewers:

January 2023

Ian J Wellington, University of Connecticut, USA

February 2023

Taige Cao, Sengkang General Hospital, Singapore

March 2023

Lauren E Stone, University California San Diego, USA

April 2023

Anthony L Mikula, Mayo Clinic, USA

Netanja I Harlianto, Utrecht University, the Netherlands

May 2023

Ehsan Dowlati, University of Michigan, USA

June 2023

Bryan Zheng, Brown University, USA

Takeshi Hara, Juntendo University Hospital, Japan

July 2023

Siegmund Lang, University Hospital Regensburg, Germany

October 2023

Akira Itoi, Shizuoka Hospital, Japan

10. Introduction of the Publisher AME

Meet our Publisher:

[AME Publishing Company](#)

- Established in 2009
- Registered in Hong Kong
- 10 offices around the world

- 60+ peer-reviewed journals
 - **19 indexed in SCIE/ESCI**
 - **20 indexed in PubMed**

- 200+ Medical Books
 - 80+ Medical Books in English
 - 120+ Medical Books in Chinese

- 150+ Electronic Editions

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