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EDITORIAL

We present you the last issue of 2017 with a total of 13 studies including 7 original research articles, 4 case reports, and 2 review.

Original research articles include a study on the examination of some biochemical profiles after clinical staging of the dogs that had leishmaniasis, a study revealing T. vaginalis genotypes, and a few studies investigating helminth infection in animals. Moreover, a fundamental research on the treatment of head lice, which is an area requiring new products, and articles examining cutaneous leishmaniasis in children are also included. In case reports, four different cases are presented in detail. I would like to draw your attention particularly to the case report on mange with video views taken via confocal microscope.

It has been noticed that while loading the articles on the system, some problems related to the forms that must be submitted with the article materials are encountered. All of these forms can be reached in the tab of "Instructions for Authors" on the website of our journal. I would like to emphasize on this point because complete submission of these forms while loading an article will shorten the process.

I would like to restate that making citations from the articles in our journal for the studies that will be published in the journals included in the SCI/SCI-Expanded is very important during the application process of our journal to this index. I hope that this issue of the "Turkish Parasitology Journal", which is one of the most important components of our scientific field and one of tools that strengthen us, will contribute to your scientific works and knowledge.

I present my endless thanks to our researchers, reviewers and AVES team for their contributions to the journal and I wish 2018 to bring healthy and fruitful days and our journal to take a great step in the process of "SCI-Expanded".

Prof. Dr. Yusuf Özbel Chief Editor