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## EDITORIAL

We present you the second issue of 2016 with a total of 13 articles including 8 original research articles, 3 case reports different from each other, and 2 reviews.

The articles include two studies on the treatment of cyst hydatid, a study evaluating 157 cyst hydatid cases, a study emphasizing parasitic factors that we encounter in diarrhea cases accompanying immune deficiency, a study on canine leishmaniasis in the province of Edirne, and a study on the diagnosis of entamoeba. Moreover, there is an exclusive review examining the relationship between toxoplasmosis and epilepsy. Other review is about microbiota, which has recently become very important and on which more studies have been conducted, and it presents highly beneficial information.

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 draw attention to this point because complete submission of these forms while loading an article will shorten the process.

I would like to re-emphasize 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 present you my respect hoping 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 work and knowledge.

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