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EDITORIAL

In the first issue of this year, we welcome you with 17 articles including 10 original articles, 1 review, and 6 case reports.

In this issue, we included articles that draw attention to the increase in and importance of imported malaria cases in the medical parasitology field and to cutaneous leishmaniasis cases among the Syrian guests in the Southeastern Anatolia Region, as well as articles on cystic echinococcosis, one of the most important diseases caused by helminth in our country, and an article on the species of Simuliidae that is problematic especially in the Central Anatolia.

Our new co-editors in the field of Medical and Veterinary Parasitology have started to work actively in order to be able to review the articles more thoroughly in our journal. I thank them once again for their valuable scientific contributions.

The technical issues especially faced with our journal's web pages for the reviewers are resolved with the contributions of our publisher and software company. I would like to be informed about the problems, if any, you face with the online process as an author, referee or editor.

I express my gratitude, hoping that this issue of "the Turkish Journal of Parasitology", one of the most important components and one of the tools that strengthen us in our medical field, will also be beneficial to your scientific studies and accumulation of knowledge.

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