The editors of Neurologia i Neurochirurgia Polska (the Polish Journal of Neurology and Neurosurgery) announce new editorial features

To Our Readership: Last year, we introduced Invited Editorials to our Journal. This has proved to be very successful, having been met with significant interest by readers and authors alike. These editorials allow us to select articles that we as editors think are important for our readership. We also introduced a new functionality to our electronic review form that allows reviewers to suggest an Invited Editorial. Having already used reviewer suggestions many times, we ask our reviewers to continue to submit them.

In the last three issues of 2019, we published four Invited Editorials. The first, published in Issue 4/2019, was written by Dr. Deutschländer [1] from the Mayo Clinic. The second, written by Dr. Tipton [2], also from the Mayo Clinic, appeared in Issue 5/2019. The last two (both in Issue 6/2019) were written by Dr. Ambrosius [3] from the Poznan University of Medical Sciences and by Dr. Domitrz [4] from the Medical University of Warsaw. These Invited Editorials highlighted four important papers on the treatment of postural deformities by istradefylline in patients with Parkinson’s Disease [5], on lifetime prevalence and clinical correlations of dystonic tics in a Polish cohort of patients with Gilles de la Tourette syndrome [6], on investigations of independent predictors of unfavorable outcomes in patients with aneurysmal subarachnoid haemorrhage [7], and on the assessment of the prevalence and clinical characteristics of angiography headache and its relationship with primary headaches [8]. These manuscripts were submitted by authors from Fukuoka in Japan, Warsaw in Poland, Belgrade in Serbia, and Adana in Turkey.

We plan to continue with these important features, and we hope that future Invited Editorials will be met with equal interest by You, our Readers.

Now, we would like to announce another new and exciting feature for our Journal in 2020: a Leading Topic for a Particular Issue. We will group articles dealing with similar topics (e.g. stroke, multiple sclerosis, epilepsy) at the beginning of an issue. We will invite an expert in the particular topic to provide an overview for these articles. While this feature may not be possible for each issue, we will try to implement it as frequently as possible, depending on the number of received papers related to a particular topic. We hope that this new feature will be similarly welcomed by our readers.

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