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I am pleased to say that the Arab Journal of Psychiatry is in its thirtieth year of publication. There is now a call for papers to be included in a special issue of the AJP set for publication in November 2019. We thank so many of our regular contributors and welcome new contributors to this much read and well-regarded scientific publication.

The current issue contains a rich variety of papers on issues ranging from smartphone use in university students in Jordan to attitudes toward mental illness among nursing staff in Egypt. As always, your feedback is helpful for making improvements and informing thematic development of the AJP ahead of each new edition.

Remember that research is the energy that raises society to a higher standard of living and with such effort our own countries - represented by the AJP's contributors and readers - can aspire and achieve to the standard of the most advanced nations.

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