COVID-19 SPECIAL ISSUE EDITORIAL

Dear Colleagues,

COVID-19, which affects the whole world and causes serious losses in both economic and health fields, unfortunately continues to threaten the health of all humanity.

Veterinarians have also played a very important role in the war against epidemic diseases, that have caused the death of millions of people around the world. It is a fact that veterinarians, whose value is better understood in epidemics such as taun, pox, Spanish flu, SARS, MERS, swine flu, Crimean Congo Hemorrhagic Fever and EBOLA have carried out the isolation of COVID-19 invitro condition in our country. We are pleased that this issue is a special issue on COVID-19 published in the field of Veterinary Medicine in accordance with The National Association of State Public Health Veterinarians (NASPHV) standards in our country.

We would like to thank and respect to all our public officials, especially our health workers, who are at the forefront of the fight and who work with great devotion 24 hours a day for the welfare, safety and health of the society; veterinarians and scientists who contributed to the preparation of the COVID-19 special issue of Eurasian Journal of Veterinary Science.

We are mentioned about an epidemic in which there are no definitive estimate about when it will end. If we want to keep up with the times where the one health concept has been adopted, this concept should be evaluated and implemented more in our country. COVID-19 special issue of Eurasian Journal of Veterinary Science published with total 17 article presenting up-to-date data and information related on Coronavirus infections, diagnostic methods, transmission and replication strategies, immunopathology, economic aspects, global climate changes, relationship with food and environment, vaccine studies, antiviral studies, molecular and epidemiological studies. We dedicate the special issue of Eurasian Journal of Veterinary Science COVID-19 to health workers and Veterinarians, whom we lost due to COVID-19. We wish our country and humanity to overcome this epidemic as soon as possible, hope that the pandemic will end as quickly as possible, and hope that we can have healthy days again.

Best regards.

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