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I am happy to present the Volume 6, Issue 1 (January 2020) of the Manipal Journal of Nursing and Health Sciences (MJNHS). This year 2020 is designated as the year of the nurse and midwife by the World Health Organization (WHO). I hope the year 2020 will bring improvement in the working conditions of the nurses and midwives.

This issue has original research articles on various health-related topics, a review article, and a case report.

The advances in nursing knowledge and practice necessitate increased research using different types of research. There is a steady increase in the number of qualitative research carried out by nurses in India. The review article on insights on the development of qualitative research in nursing in India explains the authors' experience of conducting qualitative research. The original articles are in the areas of effect of GRASP on upper limb function among stroke patients, Knowledge regarding care of patients with endotracheal intubation, VAV-reducing minor invasive nursing procedural pain, Road safety regulations-knowledge and practice, Intervention for peripheral intravenous cannula induced phlebitis, Peer teaching on physical assessment, Quality of life of lung cancer patients and Factors influencing PCOS among women. The journal also includes a case study on Hailey-Hailey disease.

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