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Introduction to the *Journal of Indian Physician Associates*

It is with profound respect and appreciation that I have the honor to announce the launch of a new scholarly resource aimed at medical professionals: the *Journal of Indian Physician Associates (JIPA)*. The publication of this inaugural issue marks a significant milestone for the Indian Medical Community, representing an important venture with the potential to advance the Physician Associate (PA) profession both within India and on a global scale.

Having had the privilege to collaborate with the *JIPA* editorial team during the development of this publication, I commend their initiative in establishing a new scientific medical journal dedicated to the PA community, and helping PAs to provide authoritative, evidence-based healthcare. *JIPA*, published biannually, is committed to serving physician associates and public health professionals worldwide. The journal's mission is to provide an inclusive platform that fosters research and innovation and supports the global exchange of scholarly ideas. *JIPA*'s content will be hosted on Digital Commons by Elsevier, ensuring that its articles and research reach a broad, international audience of scholars and practitioners.

Congratulations are extended to Ashish Gaur, Editor-In-Chief of *JIPA*, and Dr. Tanmay Acharia, co-Editor-in-Chief, whose vision and perseverance have been instrumental in bringing this timely initiative to fruition.

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