

JOURNAL SELECTION

**PREVALENCE OF THYROID DISORDERS AT A TERTIARY
CARE HOSPITAL IN NORTHERN INDIA**

Journal Submission Report

Job code	xxxxxxx
Manuscript title	Prevalence of Thyroid Disorders at a Tertiary Care Hospital in Northern India
Date	xxxxx
Author preferences	Keywords: Thyroid disorders, Hypothyroidism, Hyperthyroidism, Thyroid nodules, Goiter, Hashimoto's thyroiditis, Graves' disease, Thyroid dysfunction, Prevalence, Cross-sectional study, Tertiary care hospital, Northern India
Comments on Adherence to Author Preferences	All recommended journals have regularly published articles on topics related to the authors' Area of Research / Idea

Journal Recommendations

Journal name	Comments
Frontiers in Endocrinology <i>Publisher: Frontiers Media</i>	The Reason for the recommendation: - Frontiers in Endocrinology is a journal that advances our understanding of the endocrine system and publishes research in novel therapies for prevalent health issues such as obesity, diabetes, disorders affecting the reproductive system, and the endocrinology of aging. - The journal published several articles on topics like authors' Area of Research / Idea, e.g., - Hong, C., Qi, H., & Gao, X. (2025). The relationship between serum 25-hydroxyvitamin D levels and dyslipidemia risk: insights from a study of elderly Chinese diabetic foot ulcer patients. <i>Frontiers in Endocrinology</i>, 16(1699243). https://doi.org/10.3389/fendo.2025.1699243 - Liang, L., Zhou, H., Zhang, X., Su, Y., Zhao, Y., & Nian, X. (2025). The intestinal microbiota of patients with type 2 diabetes is associated with the C-512T polymorphism of the FOXC2 gene. <i>Frontiers in Endocrinology</i>, 16(1674135). https://doi.org/10.3389/fendo.2025.1674135
Thyroid Research <i>Publisher: Springer nature</i>	The Reason for the recommendation: Presenting cutting-edge research in all aspects of thyroid hormones and thyroid diseases, <i>Thyroid Research</i> is an open access journal for researchers, clinicians, patients and healthcare providers with global reach. Highly recommended by 99% of surveyed authors, <i>Thyroid Research</i> offers a time to first decision of 35 days and welcomes submissions on all thyroid ology topics, as well as topics relating to the interaction with cardiovascular, pulmonary, gastroenterological, metabolic and nervous systems.

	2. The journal published several articles on topics like authors' Area of Research / Idea, e.g., • Martínez-Martin, M.S., Galán-García, M.E., Araujo-Ruano, E.J. <i>et al.</i> Papillary thyroid carcinoma: morphological features and association with normalized BRAFV600E allelic frequency; clonality and morphology investigating mutations through microscopy. <i>Thyroid Res</i> 18, 57 (2025). https://doi.org/10.1186/s13044-025-00275-2 • Ma, J., Guo, M. Psychological analysis of depression, anxiety, and quality of life in postoperative thyroid cancer patients: a narrative review. <i>Thyroid Res</i> 18, 53 (2025). https://doi.org/10.1186/s13044-025-00272-5
Annals d'Endocrinology <i>Publisher: Elsevier BV</i>	The Reason for the recommendation: 1. The <i>Annales d'Endocrinology</i>, mouthpiece of the French Society of Endocrinology (SFE), publishes reviews, articles and case reports (Letter to the Editor) coming from clinical, therapeutic and fundamental research with an immediate relevant impact on clinical outcomes in endocrinology. 2. The journal published several articles on topics like authors' Area of Research / Idea, e.g., • Bourguet, W. (2025). Perturbation endocrinienne vue par la biologie structurale. <i>Annales d'endocrinologie</i>, 86(6), 101814. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ando.2025.101814 • Bentouhami, H., De Ponthaud, C., Menegaux, F., Oré, M.-V., Saheb, S., Ghander, C., & Buffet, C. (2025). Chirurgie thyroïdienne en état d'hyperthyroïdie versus euthyroïdie : étude des complications péri- et postopératoires dans un centre à haut volume. <i>Annales d'endocrinologie</i>, 86(6), 101822. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ando.2025.101822

Journal Comparator

Key Parameters		Frontiers in Endocrinology	Thyroid Research	Annals d'Endocrinology
Publisher		Frontiers Media	<i>Springer nature</i>	<i>Elsevier BV</i>
Similar research published		Yes	Yes	Yes
Indexing database		PubMed / MEDLINE, PubMed Central (PMC), Scopus, Web of Science	PubMed / MEDLINE, DOAJ, CAS,	Life Sciences, Medline, EMBASE.
Impact factor		4.6	1.8	2.9
Review duration		77 Days.	35 Days	51Days
Publication type		Peer-reviewed, open-access medical journal	Open-access journal	Reviews, articles and case reports (Letter to the Editor)
Rejection rate		33%	NA	NA
Acceptance rate		18.0%	NA	18%
Article processing charges		CHF 3,150	£2090.00 GBP / \$2790.00 USD / €2390.00 EUR.	USD 3,480 (excluding taxes)
Limit	Word count	12,000 words Article	Abstract of no more than 350 words	Abstract 1500 words counts
	Figure/Tables	Maximum of five 8 tables and figures.	Maximum of five 5 tables and figures.	Maximum of five 1 tables and figures.
	References	No Limit	No Limit	10 References

Supporting Information - Rationale for Inclusion and Scope

Frontiers in Endocrinology	
Rationale for inclusion	Indexed in PubMed/MEDLINE, Scopus, Web of Science (SCIE); fully open access; broad coverage from molecular to clinical endocrinology; flexible article types; high visibility and global reach.
Scope	Covers all areas of endocrinology including thyroid, adrenal, pituitary, reproduction, diabetes, obesity, bone, cardiovascular, neuroendocrine, cellular, molecular, experimental, translational, and clinical studies.

Thyroid Research	
Rationale for inclusion	Open-access; indexed in PubMed/PMC, Scopus, DOAJ, ESCI, CAS; recognized impact metrics; rapid peer-review and wide visibility.
Scope	Covers all thyroid-related research: hormone physiology, thyroid diseases, autoimmune genetic aspects, diagnostics, treatments, epidemiology, and systemic effects.

Annals d'Endocrinology	
Rationale for inclusion	Peer-reviewed, indexed in PubMed/MEDLINE, SCOPUS, Web of Science; publishes clinically relevant and fundamental endocrinology research.
Scope	Covers all areas of endocrinology and metabolic diseases, clinical, therapeutic, and basic research; accepts original articles, reviews, case reports, and expert opinions.

Appendix: Frequently Asked Questions

Q: What article types can I submit?

A: Frontiers in Endocrinology accepts many article types: Original Research, Review, Systematic Review Meta-analysis, Methods, Clinical Trial, Brief Research Report, Case Report, Mini-Review, Opinion, Hypothesis & Theory, Perspective, Technology & Code, Commentaries, Study Protocols, and more.

Q: Does the journal charge fees for publication?

A: as an open-access journal, accepted articles require payment of article processing charges (APCs)

Q: Do I need ethical approval for retrospective hospital-based studies?

A: Even retrospective data, anonymized data, or patient medical records require Institutional Ethics Committee approval and an ethics statement in the manuscript.

Q: Are all the recommended journals indexed in major citation databases?

A: all three journals are indexed in recognized scientific databases such as PubMed/MEDLINE and Scopus, ensuring high visibility of published work.