



JOURNAL SUBMISSION

**GLOBAL AND REGIONAL TRENDS IN
DIABETES MELLITUS EPIDEMIOLOGY, RISK
FACTORS, AND THERAPEUTIC APPROACHES**

Journal Submission Report

Job code	xxxxxxx
Manuscript title	Global and Regional Trends in Diabetes Mellitus Epidemiology, Risk Factors, and Therapeutic Approaches
Date	xxxxx
Author preferences	Keywords: Diabetes mellitus, epidemiology, global trends, regional trends, risk factors, prevalence, incidence, diabetes complications, diabetes prevention, diabetes management, therapeutic approaches, diabetes treatment, public health, global health, metabolic disorders
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
<i>Diabetes Care</i> <i>Publisher: American Diabetes Association</i>	The Reason for the recommendation: - The simple word Care may suffice to express [the journal's] philosophical mission. The new journal is designed to promote better patient care by serving the expanded needs of all health professionals committed to the care of patients with diabetes. As such, the American Diabetes Association views <i>Diabetes Care</i> as a reaffirmation of Francis Weld Peabody's contention that "the secret of the care of the patient is in caring for the patient. - The journal published several articles on topics like authors' Area of Research / Idea, e.g., - Peter D. Reaven, Sharon A. Macwan, Kevin McConeghy, Gregory J. Norman, Paul R. Conlin, Donald R. Miller, Jin J. Zhou; Continuous Glucose Monitoring Initiation Is Associated With Reduced Mortality in Older-Onset Type 1 Diabetes Patients: A Target Trial Emulation Study Within the Veterans Health Administration. <i>Diabetes Care</i> 20 August 2026; 49 (9): 1589–1598. https://doi.org/10.2337/dc26-0425 - Lara I. Calligaro, Gerald Liew, Yoon Hi Cho, Digby W. Allen, Alison Pryke, Janine Cusumano, Albert Chan, Maria E. Craig, Kim C. Donaghue; 30-Year Trends in Microvascular Complications and Treatment in Adolescents With Type 1 Diabetes. <i>Diabetes Care</i> 20 August 2026; 49 (9): 1613–1620. https://doi.org/10.2337/dc26-0388

BMJ Open Diabetes Research & Care <i>Publisher: BMJ Publishing Group</i>	The Reason for the recommendation: 1. BMJ Open Diabetes Research & Care is an open access journal committed to publishing high-quality basic and clinical research articles regarding type 1 and type 2 diabetes and associated complications. Submissions are subject to rigorous external peer review to ensure the publication of high-quality information. The online-only format allows for continuous updates and serves as an invaluable resource to the multidisciplinary community of endocrinology, public health/prevention and internal medicine. 2. The journal published several articles on topics like authors' Area of Research / Idea, e.g., • He J, Wang Q, He J, Zhang C, Xue H, Wang J, et al. Prognostic significance of stress hyperglycemia ratio in patients undergoing percutaneous coronary intervention: a dose–response meta-analysis. <i>BMJ Open Diabetes Research & Care</i>. 2026;14:e005656. https://doi.org/10.1136/bmjdr-2025-005656 • Ruiz A, Mcdonough A, Snow K, Bode B, Mitri J. Clinical utility of the twiist Automated Insulin Delivery System: first study with twiist. <i>BMJ Open Diabetes Research & Care</i>. 2026;14:e006307. https://doi.org/10.1136/bmjdr-2026-006307
Frontiers in Endocrinology <i>Publisher: Frontiers Media SA</i>	The Reason for the recommendation: 1. 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. Led by Field Chief Editor Jeff M. P. Holly (University of Bristol, UK), Frontiers in Endocrinology is indexed in MEDLINE, PubMed Central (PMC), Scopus and Web of Science (SCIE), among others, and welcomes research contributions in the various domains of endocrinology, bridging the gap between basic molecular structure and cellular communication, to clinical care. 2. The journal published several articles on topics like authors 'Area of Research / Idea, e.g., • Zhang Q, Wang T, Wang H, Ji L, Zhao Y, Geng X, Wang Z, Tang Y and Fang M (2026) Nonlinear association between stress hyperglycemia ratio and mortality in AHRF: validation through consensus clustering and supervised machine learning models. <i>Front. Endocrinol.</i> 17:1810713. doi: 10.3389/fendo.2026.1810713 • Gonzalez-Rodriguez LA, Jimenez-Ortega KM, Vargas-

	Robles D, Martínez-Hernández CI, Meléndez-Vázquez NM, Romaguera J and Godoy-Vitorino F (2026) Gut microbiota variation in admixed Hispanic populations with polyendocrine metabolic ovarian syndrome. Front. Endocrinol. 17:1890094. doi: 10.3389/fendo.2026.1890094
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Journal Comparator

Key Parameters		<i>Diabetes Care</i>	<i>BMJ Open Diabetes Research & Care</i>	<i>Frontiers in Endocrinology</i>
Publisher		American Diabetes Association	BMJ Publishing Group	Frontiers Media SA
Similar research published		Yes	Yes	Yes
Indexing database		PubMed/MEDLINE, Scopus, Science Citation Index Expanded, and Current Contents.	PubMed Central (PMC), Science Citation Index Expanded (SCIE / Web of Science), and Scopus.	MEDLINE, PubMed Central (PMC), Scopus, Web of Science (Science Citation Index Expanded - SCIE), DOAJ, Embase, and Google Scholar.
Impact factor		22.6	4.4	5.7
Review duration		100 to 130 Days.	4 Days	72 to 77 Days.
Publication type		Hybrid open access	open access	Open Access (OA) digital journal
Rejection rate		30% to 40%.	92%	40% to 50%
Acceptance rate		12% to 15%	8%	50% to 60%
Article processing charges		\$3,400 USD	\$4,910 USD / £3,690 GBP / €4,410 EUR.	3,150 CHF
Limit	Word count	4,000 words	4,000 words	12,000 words
	Figure/Tables	4 figures and tables	5 figures and tables	5 to 6 Figures and tables
	References	40 References	No rigid maximum count	No strict Limit

Supporting Information - Rationale for Inclusion and Scope

<i>Diabetes Care</i>	
Rationale for inclusion	Included because it is a leading, high-impact journal that publishes clinically important and groundbreaking research in diabetes, including disease management, complications, prevention, and innovative therapeutic interventions.
Scope	Publishes clinical, translational, and population-based research in diabetes, including diabetes prevention and management, complications, epidemiology, pharmacological and non-pharmacological interventions, and healthcare outcomes.

<i>BMJ Open Diabetes Research & Care</i>	
Rationale for inclusion	Included because it is a dedicated, peer-reviewed journal that publishes high-quality research focused on improving the prevention, management, and clinical care of diabetes and its associated complications.
Scope	Publishes clinical, translational, and epidemiological research in diabetes, including prevention, diagnosis, treatment, complications, patient care, diabetes technology, and healthcare delivery.

<i>Frontiers in Endocrinology</i>	
Rationale for inclusion	Included because it is a multidisciplinary journal that publishes significant research in endocrinology and metabolism, including diabetes pathogenesis, metabolic disorders, and emerging therapeutic approaches.
Scope	Publishes basic, translational, and clinical research in endocrinology and metabolism, including diabetes, obesity, metabolic diseases, hormonal disorders, insulin resistance, and innovative diagnostic and therapeutic interventions.

Appendix: Frequently Asked Questions

Frequently Asked Questions

1. Which journals are recommended for diabetes epidemiology research?

Diabetes Care, BMJ Open Diabetes Research & Care, and Frontiers in Endocrinology are recommended journals for research covering diabetes epidemiology, risk factors, complications, and therapeutic approaches.

2. Is Diabetes Care suitable for global diabetes epidemiology research?

Diabetes Care publishes clinical, translational, and population-based research covering diabetes prevention, management, complications, epidemiology, and healthcare outcomes.

3. What type of research does BMJ Open Diabetes Research & Care publish?

It publishes clinical, translational, and epidemiological research covering diabetes prevention, diagnosis, treatment, complications, patient care, diabetes technology, and healthcare delivery.

4. Is Frontiers in Endocrinology suitable for diabetes and metabolic research?

Frontiers in Endocrinology covers diabetes, obesity, metabolic diseases, endocrinology, insulin resistance, hormonal disorders, and emerging diagnostic and therapeutic approaches.

5. Which journals cover diabetes risk factors and therapeutic approaches?

All three recommended journals cover relevant areas. Diabetes Care has a strong clinical focus, BMJ Open Diabetes Research & Care emphasizes diabetes research and patient care, while Frontiers in Endocrinology provides broader coverage of diabetes, metabolism, and endocrinology.