

Up Front: Looking Forward to 2021

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Towards the end of the year, we reflect on the previous year to see where we can improve, and look forward to the new year to set goals and plan. When looking back on 2020, it's clear that this year has been anything but normal.

We all found ourselves needing to make significant changes in our practices in response to COVID-19. *The Journal* was no different, and it has been online-only since the March/April 2020 issue. Some of the changes practice sites have implemented have been beneficial. In the case of *JPSW*, we reformatted how articles are posted, which has allowed better analytics—we can better understand how readers are accessing articles.

Looking forward, 2021 will also bring updated reference formatting in *JPSW*. We use the American Medical Association (AMA) style, which was updated to Edition 11 in February 2020. In general, the updates streamline the citation format and make source materials easier to locate online. *JPSW* will be implementing AMA Ed. 11 starting with the January/February 2021 issue. A review of the updated citation format is available in Box 1 and is online at jpswi.org/author-guidelines.

When reflecting on 2020, I am appreciative of our members'

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Box 1. JPSW Adopts AMA 11th Edition Reference Format

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In February of 2020, the American Medical Association (AMA) updated their citation manual to create the 11th edition. This edition of AMA standardized referencing formats and improves searching for the source material. To stay current with referencing guidelines of national pharmacy organizations and Wisconsin schools of pharmacy, JPSW will now require publications reference formatting to be in concordance with the AMA 11 standards. Authors can find the reference formatting criteria and current examples on the JPSW website under “For Authors and Reviewers” followed by “Author Guidelines”.

Reference Formatting Review

Number references in consecutive numerical order (not alphabetically) as they are first mentioned in the text, tables, and legends with Arabic numerals that are superscripted in the text. If a reference is used more than once, all subsequent citations should use the original reference number. Cite all references in the text or tables. The references should be consistent with the AMA style.

References to Journal Articles:

- Author(s) (list all authors and/or editors up to six; if more than six, list “et al” after third name)
- Article title (and subtitle if present)
- Journal name as abbreviated in Index Medicus (italics)
- Year published (or online publication date if online only as month day, year)
- Volume number
- Issue number
- Part/supplement number if applicable
- Inclusive page numbers or e-locator
- DOI—in that order

Example: Wright D, Lee X, Sullivan GD, et al. Effectiveness and safety of apixaban as treatment of venous thromboembolism. *Thromb Haemost.* 2019;109(7):191-196. doi:10.1066/s-0038-1673689

Example ahead of print: Miller L, Smith K, Grant MF, et al. Pharmacist medication reviews to improve safety monitoring in primary care patients. Published online March 21, 2020. *Nat Med.* doi:10.1038.nm1024

participation in *The Journal*. Without the author contributors, peer reviewers, and JPSW’s Editorial Advisory Board, there wouldn’t be a journal to share with our readers. I am grateful that we have been able to maintain thoughtful peer review this year, when it is especially difficult for our reviewers to fit those tasks into their schedules. But thanks to them, authors were able to continue to receive high-quality feedback. The full list of 2020 peer reviewers can be found in Box 2.

There is also a team of volunteers who make *The Journal* run. This includes our series coordinators, peer review coordinators, and open access coordinator. Lynne Fehrenbacher coordinates the ID Corner series, and Melissa Theesfeld coordinates the Precepting series. Both are high-quality, well-received series that add value to *The Journal*. Patti Thornewell serves as the CE Coordinator and manages the peer review for CE articles, as well as the ACPE requirements for each issue of *The Journal*. Michael Nagy, Khyati Patel, and Sarah Peppard all serve as writing club mentors at their respective schools of pharmacy and assist in managing the peer reviews for *the journal*. This group helps with soliciting articles, creating opportunities for student writing and mentoring, and ensuring submitted manuscripts are of high quality prior to publication. Brianna Groen serves as the open access coordinator and, along with Michael Nagy, implemented the redesign of how our articles are posted for open access.

Lastly, there are two outstanding individuals who make up the editorial team of JPSW. Megan Grant is the Managing Editor & Creative Content Director for JPSW. She completes all of the formatting and layout, which make *The Journal* stand out. Jennifer Pitterle started this fall as the Copy Editor for JPSW. The addition of Jennifer to the JPSW team will bring an increased excellence in writing! I am excited to have both Megan and Jennifer to help manage journal content.

I hope everyone can find a few moments to reflect on those silver linings from 2020 as we look forward to starting 2021. Have a safe and happy holiday season.

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Pharmacist Editor

Box 1. JPSW Adopts AMA 11th Edition Reference Format Cont.

References to Books:

- Chapter Author(s) (list all authors up to six; if more than six, list “et al” after the third name)
- Chapter title (if any)
- Book authors/editors/translator (list all up to six; if more than six, list “et al” after the third name)
- Title of book and subtitle (italics)
- Volume number and title if more than one
- Edition number if not the first
- Name of publisher
- Copyright year
- Page numbers

Example chapter reference: Livingston BR. Teaching from home as a parent. In: Garner T, Norwali P, Edison MN. *Living in the era of COVID-19*. Academics United Publishing; 2020:62-84.

Example whole book reference: Guy MJ, Miller SN. Obesity and Nutritional Health. 2nd ed. Wisconsin Press; 2017.

References to Websites:

- Author(s) (list all authors up to six; if more than six, list “et al” after the third name) or group name
- Title of specific item cited (if none use the organization’s name)
- Name of website
- [Publish date]
- Updated [date]
- Accessed [date]
- URL

Example: Recommended vaccines for healthcare workers. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. April 15, 2014. Updated May 2, 2016. Accessed October 31, 2016. <https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/adults/rec-vac/hcw.html>

Box 2. 2020 Peer Reviewers



Kayci Arnhoelter	Nate Menninga
Nitish Bangalore	Sam Miller
Kelsie Basso	Eileen Murphy
Megan Bauer	Michael Nagy
Maya Beganovic	Tuyet Nguyen
Oxcencis C	Zach Pape
Danielle Candelario	Mary Frances Picone
Stephaney Cheng	Kelsey Powell
Marie Cichon	Mary Abigail Presto
Katie Connor	Marcus Pribyl
Margaret Cook	Sarah Ray
Kenton Cooksey	Sara Reeb
Anne Daniels	David Reeb
Xuan Ngoc (Mimi) Dao	Alicia Ritscher
Thomas Dilworth	Erin Robinson
Nicole Donovan	Julia Schiefelbein-Egan
David Dulak	Natalie Schmitz
Katie Fermanich	Rebecca Schoen
Sommer Leigh Gay	Trisha Seys Ranola
Allison Gibble	Mollie Shoyer
Christopher Giuliano	Melissa Smith
Mickey Hart	Ashley Storvick
Melissa Heim	Isabelle Sviatoslavsky
Jennifer Hetzel	Christopher Thai
Katherine Higgins	Kari Trapskin
Karlee Kamps	Briah Trinh
Kelsey Kapinus	Fitim Useini
Adrijana Kekic	Josh Vanderloo
Sarah Klemm	Jenny Van Order
Jillian Kolasinski	Brooke Ward
Audrey Kostrzewa	Natalie Weber
Emily Leary	Madison Wiarek
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Kajua Lor	Loren-Ashley Williams
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Arthur Margolis	