

## Editorial

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The objective of the Journal of Basic and Applied Psychology Research is to generate a space for scientific dissemination, which allows those interested in the field of Psychology, whether they are students, professors, researchers, or related professionals, to know the research, theoretical reviews or analyzes that are carried out in our scientific discipline.

This number was made up of contributions from researchers from the Master's Degree in Health Psychology at the Autonomous University of the State of Hidalgo (UAEH), the Autonomous University of Zacatecas (UAZ), the University of Sonora (UNISON), and private professionals.

On this occasion, the reading leads us to reflect on the significant challenges that we still have as a society to attend to physical and mental health using efficiently the tools derived from scientific production. The first article studies the identification of depressive symptoms in a population with type II diabetes, using the R environment to carry out its analyzes and showing the importance of considering the comorbidity between physical illness and emotional alterations, which affect a significant number of patients, in Mexico and the world. The second article allows us to learn more about Bibliometrics as a strategy for researchers who want to better use the information available today, understanding that the proper use of scientific dissemination allows an adequate transfer of knowledge and therefore allows for better research questions and a greater understanding of the psychological phenomena we study. The third deals with the effect of a cognitive-behavioral intervention as a prevention tool in the face of the negative effects that can occur in children after experiencing the divorce process of their parents, which is useful considering the number of couples with children who opt for separation. Finally, the fourth article addresses the need for psychological support in the oncological population with breast cancer; however, unlike most publications on the subject, it focuses on describing studies that promote well-being, positive emotions, and resilience since it mentions the contributions of Positive Psychology in its combination with cognitive-behavioral techniques.

We hope that this issue of the journal contributes to the work and training of psychologists. We extend an invitation to participate in future publications to contribute to the scientific dissemination of our discipline with articles in the following issues of the Journal of Basic and Applied Psychology Research.

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