

Editorial Preface

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I always believe in what my grandma used to say, “It is never late for anything. It is better to be late than never.”

Those who are following *International Journal of User-Driven Healthcare* must have been wondering about the fact that we are getting delayed with the issues. Unfortunately, a sudden change in the board has led us this situation; however, let me assure you that things are under control now. We are back in full force, and hopefully, will be scheduled before 2018. Therefore, you are yet to receive 7.1 and 7.2 issues before the end of 2017. Herewith I present you the issue 6.2 with another twist in our uniqueness, i.e. articles with revised book chapters, for the first time.

Genova et al. have wonderfully written the first article based on web-resources. Nowadays, it is not uncommon that as soon as we are diagnosed with any symptom, we start surfing the internet to get more information about the same. Prostate cancer is a critical disorder, usually, occurs in older adults. Younger generation at home including the patient may get interested to know more about the disease while our authors have decided to check if that information is at all reliable in all aspects. Moreover, even the healthcare professionals are keen to use several internet tools as a made-easy helping device. It is an honest attempt for the public awareness, and that is why it has been selected for this unique journal.

In his article, Manzoor, our second author has given an overview on maximising healthcare delivery and management of the same through technology integration. Besides providing a systematic review of the current situation, the author has discussed elaborately on RFID technology based healthcare delivery. Moreover, he has added a future prospect of the same into his article, which is commendable. I am sure, readers who are interested medico-technology and use of technologies in medical science in future; they will get highly benefitted from this article.

Noblin’s article is placed in this issue right after Manzoor’s because it speaks about the insights of cases on healthcare managements with information technology. The article becomes more interesting because it is based on practical examples right across from Florida, the USA. It is not only a contribution towards to healthcare but the IT sectors equally.

And to add to our thread of elderly care, which we are going to have in a couple of our ongoing issues, Biswas et al. described the situations of Specialty Care in older people living in the village with a policy document written for the particular Ministry. A model of a state in India has been taken for this purpose, and a plan has been given in authentic and evident way.

This issue could never be published without devotion from our board members. To name a few, Stelios Zimeras (Greece), Sirshendu Ghosh, (the UK), Swagatika Bhattacharya (the USA), were remarkable in their responsibilities.

Have fun while reading!

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