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Abstract Title: Editorial "coaching" in an emerging regional medical journal: An experience from the Arab Journal of Gastroenterology
Abstract: Publishing in an English language medical journal does not pose only language problems for non-English native speakers but also other editorial challenges in emerging countries which possess rich information and data as well as research results worth publishing. A regional journal should be able to accommodate such useful data and should function as an interface to convey such data to the medical and research community at large. Here we would like to present the experience of the Arab Journal of Gastroenterology in coaching our potential authors and peer reviewers and provide support to them during the process of submission, particularly at the phase of initiation of the journal. These services do not only include language editing, but also translation services, statistical and scientific advise, heavy copyediting and reference verification/validation. The progress in the
statistics of our authors, readers and citations are going to be reviewed.