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Requirements for the design of manuscripts of scientific articles in journals of the Kharkiv National Medical University (in force from July 01, 2025)

Appendix to the editorial article on the procedure for working with manuscripts

1. The editorial board of scientific journals of KhNMU accepts manuscripts of original and review articles on theoretical and clinical medicine, clinical cases, methodological articles/lectures, reviews that have not been previously published or submitted for publication in other journals. All manuscripts submitted to the editorial office are checked for plagiarism, double-blinded peer review with the participation of at least two reviewers and editing.
2. If there are several authors, the manuscript is submitted on behalf of the responsible (corresponding) author, who communicates with the editorial board on all issues of improving the manuscript in accordance with the comments of reviewers and editors, obtaining authors' consents and concluding agreements between the authors and the editorial board, corresponds with readers regarding the published article. The editorial board reserves the right to contact all other authors of articles on any questions regarding publication.

3. Submission of the manuscript to the editorial board means that all co-authors are familiar with and agree with its content, agree with the requirements of the editorial board, ethical rules and possible penalties, processing of their personal data in accordance with the legislation of Ukraine. All changes made to the manuscript during the preparation of the article for publication as a result of peer review and editing must also be agreed by all authors.

4. The manuscript to the journals ECM and MTT is submitted in Ukrainian or English (at the choice of the authors). The manuscript to the IC journal is submitted in English. The title of the article, the list of authors, the abstract of the article and keywords should be submitted in Ukrainian and English. If the author(s) do not speak Ukrainian, the editors provide assistance in translating this part of the manuscript.

5. The volume of the manuscript should not exceed 40 pages of A4 text.

6. Manuscripts are submitted to the editorial office in several ways:

1) through the websites of journals, through the form "Submit new material" on the pages "Submission" (the author must be authorized to submit):

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3) on Viber or Telegram of the coordinator of the editorial office Shevchenko Alexander +38 063 069 9000.

7. The information of the manuscript should not violate the Order of the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine "On approval of the list of official information that is the property of the state":

<https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/rada/show/v0319729-15>

8. The article should be formatted in the format of the MS Word editor (*.docx), have a title with the last name of the first author (for example, Petrenko.docx). All the material of the article should be contained in one file. Materials that should not be published, but will help to get a positive decision on publication and remove reviewers' questions, can be added to the article as separate files. For example, the databases that were processed.

9. The text of the manuscript should be printed in black font Times New Roman, font size 14, line spacing – one and a half, paragraph indentation – 1.0 cm; margins on all sides - 2.5 cm. The orientation of the pages is vertical. Text, tables, and figures should not go outside the text box.

10. Paragraph indentation must be done using the following tools:

1) "Ruler", "First Line Indent";

2) Home >>> Paragraph group dialog box launcher >>> Indents and Spacing tab >>> Indentation section >>> Special dropdown >>> select First line >>> By: 1 cm.

Wrong ways:

1) several spaces in a row;

2) tabulation.

11. The style of presentation of the material (the text part of the manuscript) should be narrative – not synopsis, scientific – not colloquial. The units of measurement must comply with the SI system:

[https://uk.wikipedia.org/wiki/ International System of Units \(SI\)](https://uk.wikipedia.org/wiki/International_System_of_Units_(SI))

After each numerical value in the text of the article, the abstract should contain units of measurement:

1) correct: "the concentration increased from 10.25 mmol/l to 14.32 mmol/l";

2) incorrect: "the concentration increased from 10.25 to 14.32 mmol/l".

12. Numerical intervals with units of measurement should be written with dashes (not hyphens), numbers should be taken in square brackets:

1) correct: "[2–6] mg", "pH [7.35–7.45]";

2) incorrect: "2-6 mg", "pH 7.35-7.45".

13. Time intervals should also contain a dash rather than a hyphen: "2020–2022".

14. In homogeneous arrays of numerical data in numbers, the number of decimal places (in English texts – after a period) should be the same, at least in one paragraph of the text, in one table, in one figure:
1) correct: "2.00 g and 6.35 g";
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15. There should be no automatic lists in the text and tables: numbering should be manual. The manuscript with autolists is returned to the authors for revision even before reviewing.
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1 author: Smith N.D. (2020) [1]
2 authors: Smith N.D. & Brown T.L. (2020) [1]
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19. Tables should contain text in Times New Roman font, font size 14, line spacing – one and a half, without paragraph protrusion. In the tables, the information is presented briefly. Repetition of words should be avoided. Repeated words must be placed in the name of the table, title line or notes. All abbreviations in tables and figures must be deciphered in the "Notes", after each table and figure separately (except for the case when all abbreviations are deciphered in the "Abbreviations" section).
20. Tables should have: vertical orientation and be created using the Table Wizard ("Table" option >>> "Insert Table" of the MS Word editor), a one-line header ("Table 1. Name..."), number (if there are at least two tables). Table names should not contain abbreviations without deciphering. All abbreviations and abbreviations of tables that are not deciphered in the name must be deciphered in the notes. If you need to put superscript marks *, ", or others next to the numbers or words of the table, they must be the same in all tables of the article.
21. All abbreviations must be deciphered at the first mention in the abstract, as well as again in the text of the article. With the exception of articles that have a section "Abbreviations". If the abbreviation occurs only once in the "Annotation" or in the text of the article, it is not needed. The aim of the study and conclusions, the names of tables and figures should not contain abbreviations. Abbreviations in tables should be deciphered in the notes to each table. Abbreviations in figures should be deciphered in the name of the figure, the legend of the figure, or in the notes to the figure.
21. Words before abbreviations in capital letters must also contain capital letters that formed abbreviations. A non-literal translation into Ukrainian is possible if there is another stable translation for the term. For example:
1) COVID-19 (COroNaVirus Disease 2019);
2) "the questionnaire SF-36 ("Short Form-36" – a questionnaire of quality of life for 36 questions).
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23. The resolution of figures must be at least 300 dpi (dots per inch), formats – *.jpg, *.png. Images should not be blurry. All elements of the images must be grouped, or the pictures must be single-layered.
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28. Formulas are created using the built-in MS Word editor. Formulas are written, deciphered and numbered according to the pattern:

$$E=m \times c^2 \quad (1),$$

where: E (Energy) – the total energy of the object;
m (mass) – mass of an object (at rest);
c (Latin – celeritas) is the speed of light in a vacuum (~299.792.458 m/s).

29. [Additional requirements](#) effective from 01.07.2025:

29.1. FAIR data (e.g. clinical, sociological or demographic datasets) may be added to the manuscript and will be published together with the article.

29.2. In literature reviews, it is necessary to adhere to the principles of PRISMA (Preferred Reporting Items for Systematic Reviews and Meta-Analyses).

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- original research;
- literature review;
- clinical case;
- lecture;
- review (per published article).

31.2. UDC (not required for the IC).

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31.4. Authors (surnames, initials) – in Ukrainian and English.

31.5. Affiliations of each author (university, institute, academy, hospital, city, country) – in Ukrainian and English. Must be written without abbreviations.

31.6. Abstract, with the display of all its sections:

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Relevance	Background	1–2 sentences repeating the "Introduction" of the article not verbatim.
Aim	Aim	It can be identical to the purpose of the article, it can contain tasks.
Materials and methods	Materials & Methods	May contain information about the total number of patients, laboratory animals, their division into groups, names of equipment (title, model, manufacturer, country of origin), scales, methods, classifications. If statistical data processing was carried out – methods and software (title, version, developer, country of origin).
Ethics	Ethics	International and national declarations, standards for patients and laboratory animals, informed consent, protocols of ethics commissions should be indicated. For literature

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		reviews, it should be noted that studies were selected whose authors adhered to ethical standards.
Results	Results	The most significant results should be indicated.
Conclusions	Conclusions	It must be indicated whether the research objective has been achieved.

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| - dentistry, | - narcology, | - ship medicine, |
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| - endocrinology, | - neurosurgery, | - surgery, |
| - epidemiology, | - nursing, | - teaching issues, |
| - experimental medicine, | - obstetrics, | - technologies of medical diagnosis and treatment, |
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| - gynecology, | - oncology, | - therapy, |
| - hematology, | - ophthalmology, | - urology |
| - history of medicine, | - organization of health care, | |
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| - infectious and parasitic diseases, | - otorhinolaryngology, | |

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A – concept;

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The contribution, marked as F, is mandatory for each author.

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31.24.2. academic title (for example, Associate Professor, Professor, Academician of the Academy of Sciences of Ukraine) and degrees (for example, Doctor of Philosophy, Candidate of Sciences, Doctor of Sciences);

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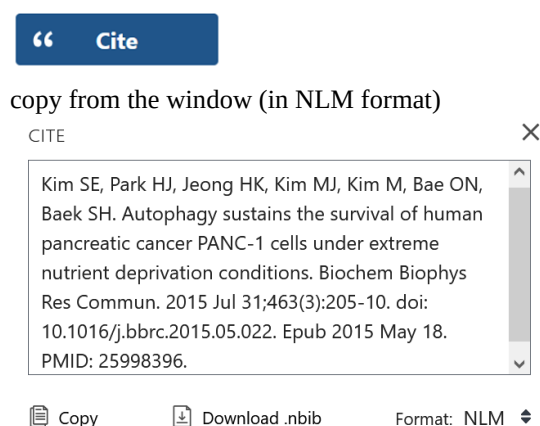
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32.1.1. Take the article on the <https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov> website by clicking the



There are 7 authors in it (we write all of them). Remove the month and day of publication, replace "doi: " with "DOI: ", remove Epub.

Kim SE, Park HJ, Jeong HK, Kim MJ, Kim M, Bae ON, Baek SH. Autophagy sustains the survival of human pancreatic cancer PANC-1 cells under extreme nutrient deprivation conditions. Biochem Biophys Res Commun. 2015 Jul 31; 463(3):205-10. doi: DOI: 10.1016/j.bbrc.2015.05.022. Epub 2015 May 18. PMID: 25998396.

Writing according to the requirements of the editors:

Kim SE, Park HJ, Jeong HK, Kim MJ, Kim M, Bae ON, Baek SH. Autophagy sustains the survival of human pancreatic cancer PANC-1 cells under extreme nutrient deprivation conditions. Biochem Biophys Res Commun. 2015; 463(3):205-10. DOI: 10.1016/j.bbrc.2015.05.022. PMID: 25998396.

32.1.2. the article has 8 authors or more (reduce their number to 6 and write "et al."), remove the month and date, replace "doi: " with "DOI: ", remove Epub and PMCID:

Sahasrabuddhe NA, Huang TC, Kumar P, Yang Y, Ghosh B, Leach SD, Chaerkady R, Pandey A, et al. Ablation of Dicer leads to widespread perturbation of signaling pathways. *Biochem Biophys Res Commun*. 2015 Jul 31; 463(3):389-94. doi: DOI: 10.1016/j.bbrc.2015.05.077. Epub 2015 May 30. PMID: 26032504; PMCID: PMC4696065.

Writing according to the requirements of the editors:

Sahasrabuddhe NA, Huang TC, Kumar P, Yang Y, Ghosh B, Leach SD, et al. Ablation of Dicer leads to widespread perturbation of signaling pathways. *Biochem Biophys Res Commun*. 2015; 463(3):389-94. DOI: 10.1016/j.bbrc.2015.05.077. PMID: 26032504.

32.1.3. *Article in a foreign language other than English*, described according to the requirements:

Bliddal H, Christensen RD. Osteoartrose og adipositas. Prognose og behandlingsmuligheder [Osteoarthritis and obesity. Prognosis and treatment possibilities]. *Ugeskr Laeger* [Weekly journal for doctors]. 2006;168(2):190-3. PMID: 16403349. [In Danish].

The correctness of abbreviations of English-language journal names can be checked in NLM Catalog:
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32.2. *Article from the Ukrainian scientific peer-reviewed journal* (translated bibliographic description):

Zaremba NI, Zimenkovsky AB. Attitude to the process of self-medication of applicants of higher medical education at pre- and postgraduate stage (according to results of the sociological survey). *Pharmaceutical Review*. 2018;(3):94-9. DOI: 10.11603/2312-0967.2018.3.9323. [In Ukrainian].

32.3. References to any literary russian and belarusian sources are prohibited. Writing the titles of these countries in articles in Ukrainian and English is lowercase. The titles of literary sources in russian during the Soviet times (1917–1990) should be translated into Ukrainian or English. The names of cities of the former USSR before the names of publishing houses should be replaced with "USSR". Disagreement with these rules leads to the rejection of the article.

32.4. All parts of the bibliographic description of the source must be in one language: either all in Ukrainian or all in English. Transliteration is prohibited.

32.5. Doubled pages in the page interval are shortened. For example, instead of "964-967" they write "964-7". If there are up to 7 authors, all of them must be indicated. If there are 8 or more authors, indicate the first 6, then write "etc."

32.6. *Authored book*:

Lisovy VM, Olkhovska LP, Kapustnyk VA. *Fundamentals of Nursing: Textbook*. 3rd edition, revised and supplemented. Kyiv: VSV "Medicine"; 2018. 912 p. Available on: <https://is.gd/ssaAtO>

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The words "textbook", "3rd edition, revised and supplemented" are written in full, without abbreviations.

When referring to a book in the text of the article, if the source has more than 20 pages, the pages where the cited text is located should be indicated: "text [4, p. 127] text".

32.7. *Edited book*:

O'Campo P, Dunn JR, eds. *Rethinking social epidemiology: towards a science of change*. Dordrecht: Springer; 2012. 348 p. Available at: <https://link.springer.com/book/10.1007/978-94-007-2138-8>

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32.8. *Book by authorship and edit:*

32.8.1. in two volumes (volumes without pages)

Fauci AS, Kasper DL, Hauser SL, Longo DL, Jameson JL, Loscalzo J. Harrison's Principles of Internal Medicine. 20th ed. Vols. 1, 2. Jameson JL, Longo DL, Fauci AS, eds. New York: McGraw-Hill Education; 2018.

32.8.2. The first of two volumes:

Fauci AS, Kasper DL, Hauser SL, Longo DL, Jameson JL, Loscalzo J. Harrison's Principles of Internal Medicine. 20th ed. Vol. 1 of 2. Jameson JL, Longo DL, Fauci AS, eds. New York: McGraw-Hill Education; 2018. 1,472 p.

32.9. *Part of the book:*

Speroff L, Fritz MA. Clinical gynecologic endocrinology and infertility. 7th ed. Philadelphia: Lippincott Williams & Wilkins; 2005. Chapter 29. Endometriosis. P. 1103-33.

32.10. *Foreign dissertation:*

O'Brien KA. The philosophical and empirical intersections of Chinese medicine and western medicine [dissertation]. Melbourne, AU; Monash University; 2006. 439 p.

32.11. *Ukrainian Dissertation:*

32.11.1. in Ukrainian for the section "Literature"

Lobas MV. Medical and social justification of the optimized functional-organizational model of medical care for the rural population of Ukraine. [Diss Cand Med Sc, spec. 14.02.03 – Social Medicine]. Kyiv: Ukrainian Institute for Strategic Studies of the Ministry of Health of Ukraine; 2018. Kharkiv: Kharkiv National Medical University; 2019. 278 p. [In Ukrainian].

Please note: the place of execution of the dissertation and the place of its defense may be indicated.

32.12. *Abstract of the Ukrainian dissertation:*

Godovanets OI. Optimization of the principles of diagnosis, treatment and prevention of dental diseases in children with concomitant thyroid pathology. [Abst Diss Doc Med Sc, spec. 14.01.22 – Dentistry]. Ivano-Frankivsk: Ivano-Frankivsk National Medical University; 2016. 30 p. [In Ukrainian].

32.13. *Conference abstracts:*

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