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The Editorial Board of the Rwanda Medical Journal is pleased to inform all authors and readers that, following the initiative of the editorial board of the Journal held in February 2013, it has applied for being published online on Bioline international: [www.bioline.org.br/rw](http://www.bioline.org.br/rw)

As the Journal aims at reinforcing research and publications as well as postgraduate teaching in the field of health, it also seeks to increase visibility of its publications through a well known online forum of communication and link between researchers all over the world.

We thus wish to inform all authors that our next issues to come out from March 2013 will be both printed and published on an open access basis online on Bioline international. We will have also the opportunity to publish all RMJ previous issues from 2007.

This is to request for authorization from all authors who have published an article or case report in the Journal since 2007. We invite any of authors, who agree to publish online on an open access basis to inform us through simple email, and those who are not happy to have his/her article or case report published online to send a formal opposition letter to the Editorial Board of the Journal before the 1<sup>st</sup> of September 2013, and send it through e-mail.

We take again this opportunity to call all medical doctors, pharmacists, researchers, postgraduates and medical students, to support the Medical Journal by submitting articles and by subscribing to the printed format of the Journal.

The submitted articles can be in form of original researches, reviews and state of the art articles on a particular medical topics, unusual case reports or best practice cases in one or another discipline. The submitted articles can be written in French or English, but the abstracts must be in both languages. You will find attached all the details in our “instructions to authors”.

The deadline for the submission of articles is scheduled every 3 months, later on the 15th of March, June, September and December. For more information or to submit an article, do not hesitate to write to the Editorial Board of the Journal at the following address:

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