Editorial: Dear Readers of IAJAA

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WE are pleased to start publishing the first review and research papers in our first issue of IAJAA / November 2011. These papers were authored by Arab researchers who are well known in their academic profession and as researchers in the field of antimicrobial agents and infectious disease. We would encourage all our interested readers to write scientific comments as Letter to the Editor or Notes on any aspect related to these published papers or to antimicrobial agents.

This approach will support interaction and dialogue between our readers and authors and aims to initiate discussion and exchange of experience and knowledge among researchers for better control and proper use of antimicrobial agents in our region.

It is well agreed between all experts worldwide that widespread, and often misguided use of antibiotics in humans and animals is responsible for the increasing spread of antibiotic-resistant microorganisms which has become a serious global problem affects our general health.

Looking forward to receiving your support and encouragement to place IAJAA as a leading journal in its specialty.

Editor-in-Chief