

Pancreatobiliary Pathology Society (PBPS) Journal Watch Committee
Standard Operating Procedure (SOP)

Committee Members

- The Education Committee Chair and Executive Committee will be responsible for
 - Selecting the nine committee members for Journal Watch (JW)
 - Each committee member (reviewer) will have a 3 year term
 - Each committee member (reviewer) will review three journals
- Appointing one member as Journal Watch Chair/Editor

Committee Member Responsibilities

- JW Chair/Editor will be responsible for
 - Assigning journals to incoming committee members
 - Sending email reminders to reviewers 2 weeks prior (1st-5th of the month) to the summaries submission due date (15th of the month)
 - Only relevant, in print articles (published) from the prior 2 months will be included.
 - Leading the process and facilitating publication and communication
- Committee member (reviewer) will have a 3-year term and each reviewer will review three journals

Process

- Publication of JW will be bimonthly and posted on the PBPS website during the last week of February, April, June, August, October, and December
- List of journals to be reviewed include:
 1. AJSP
 2. Pancreatology
 3. Gastroenterology
 4. Hepatology
 5. Modern Path
 6. Histopathology
 7. Journal of Molecular Diagnostics
 8. Virchows Archives
 9. Human Pathology
 10. Am J Gastroenterol
 11. Pancreas
 12. Clin Gastroenterol and Hepatol
 13. Gut
 14. American J Clin Pathol
 15. Archives of Pathol and Lab Med
 16. Seminars in Diagnostic Pathology
 17. Cancer Cytopathology

18. Journal of American Society of Cytopathology
19. Diagnostic Cytopathology
20. Annals of Surgical Oncology
21. Annals of Surgery
22. Endocrine Pathology
23. Cancer
24. International Journal of Surgical Pathology

- Generic search in pubmed using designated search parameters (see below)
 - Only in print articles (published) articles from the prior two months will be included.
 - JW will NOT include:
 - Case reports (unless they are describing a new entity)
 - Clinical/epidemiological based papers
 - Basic science (any with animal models, organoids, etc)
 - Review articles for JW: at the discretionary of the JW Editor, a maximum of 3-5 review articles can be selected
 - Total articles for JW edition: will have a maximum of 35 articles (total) per edition.
 - Articles will be listed numerically instead of organized per journal or site (ampulla, gallbladder, etc.)
 - Email from JW Chair/Editor will designate which months will be reviewed and the deadline for submission will be clearly stated
 - JW Chair/Editor will collect all references/links from reviewers and compile them into a single document. The document will be sent via email to the Website Committee Chair and Webmaster for publication and social media distribution. Education Committee will be copied in the email for notification.
 - Website Committee Members can tag members of the Education Committee and JW Committee in social media to enhance visibility <https://twitter.com/pbpath>

- Formatting guidelines:
 - **Title of the study**, Reference, [Link to the article](#)
 - Example:

Dengue hepatitis with acute liver failure: Clinical, biochemical, histopathological characteristics and predictors of outcome. Devarbhavi H, Ganga D, Menon M, et al. J Gastroenterol Hepatol. 2020;35(7):1223-1228.
<https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/31749188>

- Generic pubmed search methodology using Mesh - advanced search of PubMed
 Combines organ site (pick 1 category from A) AND diagnosis (B), exclude journals we are reviewing (NOT include C)

A. Organ site
 Pancreas: "pancreas*" [All Fields] OR "pancreas" [MeSH Terms] OR "pancreas" [All Fields]
 Gallbladder: "gallbladder" [MeSH Terms] OR "gallbladder" [All Fields] OR "gallbladders" [All Fields] OR "gallbladder s" [All Fields]

Ampulla: "ampulla of vater"[MeSH Terms] OR ("ampulla"[All Fields] AND "vater"[All Fields]) OR "ampulla of vater"[All Fields] OR "ampulla"[All Fields] OR "ampullae"[All Fields] OR "ampullas"[All Fields]

Biliary tract: "biliary tract"[MeSH Terms] OR ("biliary"[All Fields] AND "tract"[All Fields]) OR "biliary tract"[All Fields]

Bile duct: "bile ducts"[MeSH Terms] OR ("bile"[All Fields] AND "ducts"[All Fields]) OR "bile ducts"[All Fields] OR ("bile"[All Fields] AND "duct"[All Fields]) OR "bile duct"[All Fields]

B. Diagnosis

"cysts"[MeSH Terms] OR "cysts"[All Fields] OR "cyst"[All Fields] OR "tumor s"[All Fields] OR "tumoral"[All Fields] OR "tumorous"[All Fields] OR "tumour"[All Fields] OR "neoplasms"[MeSH Terms] OR "neoplasms"[All Fields] OR "tumor"[All Fields] OR "tumour s"[All Fields] OR "tumoural"[All Fields] OR "tumourous"[All Fields] OR "tumours"[All Fields] OR "tumors"[All Fields] OR "cancer s"[All Fields] OR "cancerated"[All Fields] OR "canceration"[All Fields] OR "cancerization"[All Fields] OR "cancerized"[All Fields] OR "cancerous"[All Fields] OR "cancer"[All Fields] OR "cancers"[All Fields] OR "carcinoma"[MeSH Terms] OR "carcinoma"[All Fields] OR "carcinomas"[All Fields] OR "carcinoma s"[All Fields] OR "adenocarcinoma"[MeSH Terms] OR "adenocarcinoma"[All Fields] OR "adenocarcinomas"[All Fields] OR "adenocarcinoma s"[All Fields] OR "polyp s"[All Fields] OR "polypous"[All Fields] OR "polyps"[MeSH Terms] OR "polyps"[All Fields] OR "polyp"[All Fields] OR "inflammation"[MeSH Terms] OR "inflammation"[All Fields] OR "inflammations"[All Fields] OR "inflammation s"[All Fields]

("carcinoma, acinar cell"[MeSH Terms] OR ("carcinoma"[All Fields] AND "acinar"[All Fields] AND "cell"[All Fields]) OR "acinar cell carcinoma"[All Fields] OR ("acinar"[All Fields] AND "cell"[All Fields] AND "carcinoma"[All Fields])) AND "english"[Language]) OR (("pancreatoblastoma"[Supplementary Concept] OR "pancreatoblastoma"[All Fields] OR "pancreatoblastoma"[All Fields] OR "pancreatoblastomas"[All Fields]) AND "english"[Language]) OR (("cholangiocarcinoma"[MeSH Terms] OR "cholangiocarcinoma"[All Fields] OR "cholangiocarcinomas"[All Fields]) AND "english"[Language]) OR (("solid"[All Fields] OR "solid s"[All Fields] OR "solids"[All Fields]) AND "pseudopapillary"[All Fields] AND ("neoplasm s"[All Fields] OR "neoplasms"[MeSH Terms] OR "neoplasms"[All Fields] OR "neoplasm"[All Fields]) AND "english"[Language]) OR (("intraduct"[All Fields] OR "intraductal"[All Fields] OR "intraductally"[All Fields]) AND ("papillaries"[All Fields] OR "papillary"[All Fields]) AND ("mucine"[All Fields] OR "mucines"[All Fields] OR "mucinous"[All Fields] OR "mucins"[MeSH Terms] OR "mucins"[All Fields] OR "mucin"[All Fields]) AND ("neoplasm s"[All Fields] OR "neoplasms"[MeSH Terms] OR "neoplasms"[All Fields] OR "neoplasm"[All Fields]) AND "english"[Language]) OR ("mucine"[All Fields] OR "mucines"[All Fields] OR "mucinous"[All Fields] OR "mucins"[MeSH Terms] OR "mucins"[All Fields] OR "mucin"[All Fields]) AND ("cystic"[All Fields] OR "cystical"[All Fields] OR "cystically"[All Fields] OR "cystics"[All Fields]) AND ("neoplasm s"[All Fields] OR "neoplasms"[MeSH Terms] OR "neoplasms"[All Fields] OR "neoplasm"[All Fields]) AND "english"[Language]) OR ("intraduct"[All Fields] OR "intraductal"[All Fields] OR "intraductally"[All Fields]) AND ("papillaries"[All Fields] OR "papillary"[All Fields]) AND

("neoplasm s"[All Fields] OR "neoplasms"[MeSH Terms] OR "neoplasms"[All Fields] OR "neoplasm"[All Fields])

C. All of the journals to exclude (USE "NOT").

"The American journal of surgical pathology"[Journal] OR ("pancreatology"[Journal] OR "pancreatology"[All Fields]) AND ("official"[All Fields] OR "officially"[All Fields] OR "officials"[All Fields] OR "officiated"[All Fields] OR "officiating"[All Fields]) AND ("periodicals as topic"[MeSH Terms] OR ("periodicals"[All Fields] AND "topic"[All Fields]) OR "periodicals as topic"[All Fields] OR "journal"[All Fields]) AND ("internation"[All Fields] OR "international"[All Fields] OR "international s"[All Fields] OR "internationals"[All Fields]) AND ("associate"[All Fields] OR "associated"[All Fields] OR "associates"[All Fields] OR "associating"[All Fields] OR "association"[MeSH Terms] OR "association"[All Fields] OR "associations"[All Fields]) AND ("pancreatology"[Journal] OR "pancreatology"[All Fields]) AND "IAP"[All Fields] AND et al[Author]) OR "Gastroenterology"[Journal] OR "hepatology baltimore md"[Journal] OR "modern pathology an official journal of the united states and canadian academy of pathology inc"[Journal] OR "Histopathology"[Journal] OR "the journal of molecular diagnostics jmd"[Journal] OR "virchows archiv an international journal of pathology"[Journal] OR "virchows archiv a pathological anatomy and histopathology"[Journal] OR "virchows archiv b cell pathology including molecular pathology"[Journal] OR "Human pathology"[Journal] OR "The American journal of gastroenterology"[Journal] OR "Pancreas"[Journal] OR "clinical gastroenterology and hepatology the official clinical practice journal of the american gastroenterological association"[Journal] OR "Gut"[Journal] OR "American journal of clinical pathology"[Journal] OR "Archives of pathology laboratory medicine"[Journal] OR "Seminars in diagnostic pathology"[Journal] OR "Cancer cytopathology"[Journal] OR "Journal of the American Society of Cytopathology"[Journal] OR "Diagnostic cytopathology"[Journal] OR "Annals of surgical oncology"[Journal] OR "Annals of surgery"[Journal] OR "Endocrine pathology"[Journal] OR "Cancer"[Journal] OR "International journal of surgical pathology"[Journal]