

International Journal of Technology Assessment in Health Care

Instructions for Contributors

The editors welcome submissions of papers which deal with the wide range of topics related to technology assessment in health care—policy, practice, diffusion, economics, ethics, law, and social and cultural perspectives. Authors should send *three* copies of their manuscript and reserve one copy for their use in checking proofs. Articles must be in English. Spelling, capitalization, and punctuation must be consistent within each article and conform with the latest edition of *A Manual of Style* (University of Chicago Press). Articles and correspondence should be sent to:

Stanley J. Reiser, M.D., Ph.D.
Health Science Center at Houston
P.O. Box 20708
6431 Fannin, Suite 1.500
Houston, Texas 77225

or

Egon Jonsson, Ph.D.
The Karolinska Institute and Spri
Department of Medicine
Huddinge University Hospital
Huddinge, Sweden

Preparation of manuscript. A separate title page should be prepared carrying the article title, auxiliary short title (not over 50 characters), the author's full name (in the form preferred for publication), and author's affiliation (including mailing address and phone number).

Figures should be ready for photographic reproduction; they cannot be redrawn by the printer. Charts, graphs, or other artwork should be drawn in black ink on white paper to occupy a standard area of 8½ by 11 or 8½ by 5 inches before reduction. All labels and details on figures should be clearly printed (or done in transfer type of a sans-serif face such as Helvetica) and should be large enough to remain legible after a reduction to half size.

References and notes. Bibliographic citations in the text are indicated by in-line numbers in parentheses; the numbers in the text correspond to numbers that directly precede each reference.

EXAMPLE

Text

"...Jones and Smith (1) maintained that..."

Reference (Book)

1. Jones, A. B., & Smith, J. K. *Computer diagnosis and results*. New York: Penta Publishers, 1978

Reference (Journal)

1. Jones, A. B., & Smith, J. K. The relationship between health needs, the hospital and the patient. *Journal of Chronic Diseases*, 1985, 32, 310-12.

Reference (Article in edited work)

1. Jones, A. B., & Smith, J. K. The diagnostic process. In R. Brown & T. Wilson (eds.), *New technology and its medical consequences*, vol. 1. New York: Apple Publishers, 1972, 101-34.

If more than one reference is cited at a specific place in the text, commas should separate each reference number, unless page numbers are included in which case semi-colons should separate each set of reference number and page numbers.

Multiple reference without page numbers

...this system has been dealt with at length in the literature (1, 3, 12, 14).

Multiple citation with page numbers

...This system has been dealt with at length (1, 1-10; 3, 5-15; 12, 25-57; 14, 102-146).

The reference list must be in alphabetical order. Titles of journals should not be abbreviated.

When more than simple source citation is called for, footnotes may be used. These should be numbered consecutively throughout the text and typed together on a separate page following references. Source citations within footnotes follow the same parameters of style as citations in text.

Copyediting and proofreading. The publishers reserve the right to copyedit and proofread all articles accepted for publication, but authors will be asked to review their copyedited manuscripts if changes have been substantial. Page proofs of articles will be sent to authors for correction of typographical errors only.

General. Authors receive 25 offprints of their article free of charge; additional numbers may be purchased if ordered at proof stage. Submission of an article implies that it has not been published elsewhere. Authors are responsible for obtaining written permission to publish material for which they do not own the copyright. Contributors will be asked to assign their copyrights, on certain conditions, to Cambridge University Press.

INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL OF TECHNOLOGY ASSESSMENT IN HEALTH CARE

Forthcoming Issues and Guest Editors

The Use and Abuse of Routine, Low Cost Technology

John Ball, American College of Physicians, U.S.A.
Johannes Vang, World Health Organization, Denmark

Artificial Organs and Transplantation

John Bunker, Stanford University, U.S.A.
Bryan Jennett, University of Glasgow, Scotland

The Cultural Shaping of Biotechnology

Renée Fox, University of Pennsylvania, U.S.A.

Technology in the Doctor's Office and Ambulatory Setting

John Stoeckle, Massachusetts General Hospital, U.S.A.
Hannu Vuori, World Health Organization, Denmark
Donald Young, Prospective Payment Assessment Commission, U.S.A.

The Organization and Use of Technology in the Hospital

Jerome Grossman, New England Medical Center, U.S.A.
Bruno Horisberger, Interdisciplinary Research Center for
Public Health, Switzerland

Educating Practitioners in the Appropriate Use of Technology

Jeremiah Barondess, Cornell University Medical College, U.S.A.
John Lister, British Post-Graduate Medical Federation, England

The Evaluation of Drugs: An International Perspective

Louis Lasagna, Tufts Medical School, U.S.A.
Lars Werkö, AB Astra, Sweden

The Technology of Prevention

Jeffrey Koplan, Centers for Disease Control, U.S.A.
Pekka Puska, National Public Health Institute, Finland

Technology and Disability

Clyde Behney, Office of Technology Assessment, U.S.A.

The Person-Machine Relationship in Health Care

Alternative Means of Assessing Technology

Genetic Technology and Health Care

Frederick C. Robbins, Institute of Medicine, U.S.A.

Cambridge University Press
The Pitt Building, Trumpington Street, Cambridge CB2 1RP
32 East 57 Street, New York, N.Y. 10022
10 Stamford Road, Oakleigh, Melbourne 3166, Australia

Printed in the United States of America