

Editorial

The dawn of the year 2012 has delivered a new editorial board to build on the hard work done by the members of the previous board.

We publish the 3rd volume of the journal this year with the aim of imparting knowledge and information in otolaryngology, head and neck surgery. We have no doubt that this would be useful for otolaryngologists, medical specialists and other relevant professionals to improve patient care and public health. In-fact publication of journals pertaining to specialised areas of medical science is one of the main vehicles through which latest research findings and practical knowledge is made available to the professionals in their respective fields.

In most countries Otolaryngology as a speciality is well known, accepted, recognised and respected by the public for the knowledge, task and activities performed by this sector. However this is not yet fully known by the majority of the Sri Lankan public. It is the duty of all of us to endeavour to get the message across to the general public of the knowhow and the contribution of this speciality to our health sector. In this respect the editorial board has the confidence in the present president and her team that they would certainly bring Otolaryngology, head & neck surgery to the upmost recognition it deserves.

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