

<u>Article Classification</u>	<u>Definition</u>	<u>Represent research- or synthesis- based output (i.e., original research and review articles?)</u>
Abstract	Abstracts published as articles, either individually, under sections, or as an entire collection from a conference, and materials related to them, such as Introductions, Author Indices etc.	N
Announcement	Sharing factual information or acknowledgements from the journal or its owners that is not dissemination of knowledge, research, or opinion.	N
Career and Management	Article relating to career development or managing a practice or people or small business for practitioners.	N
Case Study	Detailed report or presentation of the symptoms, signs, diagnosis, treatment, and follow-up of an individual patient or selected disease indications. Usually describes an unusual or novel occurrence or has substantial learning value for readers.	Y
Classification	Classification articles include Rating Scales and other non-eligible article types which do not participate in Author Services.	N
Commentary	Expert opinion from one or more people (who may agree or disagree) on a published work, current understanding/status of an area, or how practice should be undertaken. Generally with references.	Y
Correction	To correct an error or omission in an article, where no ethical concerns have been detected or reported, and the conclusions of the study remain intact	N
Correspondence	A letter, or response to a letter, sent to the journal to raise a point of interest, discuss a difference of opinion or encourage participation	N
Data Article	Detailed description of a dataset and its creation, with the data included in machine-readable format, that enables others to make use of the data. No research done with the data is included.	Y
Editorial	To convey an opinion, or overview of an issue, by the Editor or someone invited by the editor	N
Education	Educational piece that explains a subject, method or current thinking to enable others to understand and/or use it. Does not present new research/findings. May also elicit reflection or test knowledge or thinking, and be linked to professional certification	Y
Events	A curated list of relevant upcoming events in the field of interest of the journal and its readers	N
Index	A list of the contents of an issue, volume, future issue plans	N
Introduction	A introduction to an issue, which may introduce the theme, or highlight selected articles, or preview the full contents of the issue	N
Lecture	Transcript or summary of a speech given at a conference, symposium, workshop or similar, usually an invited speech, given by a recognised expert, an award winner, or elected society officer.	Y
Media Review	Short review on the usefulness/quality of one or more books or other media, to aid readers in decision-making	N
Meeting Report	Summary of developments presented at a meeting, relying largely on the works presented at the meeting, rather than being fully referenced accounts of a field.	N
Method and Protocol	Procedural method in the design and implementation of an experiment or study	Y
News	External factual information to keep readers up to date with events	N
Obituary	Celebration of the life of a deceased researcher of significance, by giving an account of the work and influence of that individual.	N
Opinion	An opinionated, subjective piece by one or more experts, (who may agree or disagree) on a topic or publication.	N

Perspective	Personal opinion on a topic, often with a novel/imaginative approach to a provocative question, with an engaging though rigorous investigation that enhances the understanding of the subject, including new developments, and moderate referencing	Y
Practice and Policy	Public statement of what a representative group of experts agree to be evidence-based and state-of-the-art knowledge on an aspect of practice/policy.	Y
Profile	Life story of a person significant to the field.	N
Rapid Publication	Report of a key new research finding that needs/merits fast dissemination, and so is expedited.	Y
Research Article	Reports of original research, with methods, findings and conclusions.	Y
Retraction or Concern	Flags or warnings to readers in escalating levels, from Notifications (to acknowledge an issue but to indicate no further action), through Expressions of Concern (to indicate problems cannot be resolved and that caution may be needed), to Retractions and	N
Review Article	Overview of developments in fields or the current lines of thought. Synthesizes multiple sources of information and has long list of references. Emphasis is more factual and less on opinion.	Y
Short Communication	Brief observations and research reports in a concise format.	Y
Technical Note	Extensions or updates to previously published research, reporting additional controls; projects that did not yield publishable results but represent valuable information regarding protocol and data collection; additions to established tools, experimental or computational methods; description of a database; null results and orphan data; data management plans; description of a specific development, technique or procedure, or a modification of an existing technique, procedure or device; new algorithm or computational method, new experimental method, improved version of an experimental protocol or computational approach, new implementation of an existing algorithm...	Y