

Ethics of Scientific Research During the Pandemic Period

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Abstract

The pandemic process experienced today has led to a major change in known research methods, especially. On the other hand, the epidemic has caused a crisis environment in all areas, especially health research and research for the prevention, diagnosis and treatment of Covid-19. Lack of information about the factual aspect of the disease affects values and expectations associated with the disease. In this context, different values representing different views and expectations allow for the formation of an environment of confusion. Closing the scientific information gap on covid-19 and SARS-CoV-2, where there are many things that are not yet known, has been an urgent issue. In the process, publications related to covid-19 have increased logarithmically as scientific journals accelerate their editorial processes and researchers also try to publish them quickly. However, in order to understand the factual reality in the crisis environment caused by the outbreak, it seems that health professionals and professionals from other specialties are acting for very different reasons and contributing to a crisis related to the information production process. The information gap about COVID-19 created a speed expectation and necessity, but the reflection of this in the publication environment also led to publication Competition and pressure among researchers. In this case, especially in the field of scientific research, it is inevitable to intervene to reconsider our values and rules. This intervention should not prevent Science from being an activity produced for and with society

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