
GREEN CRESCENT ANNUAL JOURNAL

Discussing Prevention Internationally

(Author Guidelines)

Green Crescent Annual Journal is an international magazine, read by thousands of professionals in public health, prevention and intervention programs, advocacy work all around the world. The Journal provides engaging, timely and opinion-rich content which has a clear focus and serves to instigate further thinking and debate on important and emerging topics in the field of international prevention against substance use and other risky behaviors. The journal is published annually. We welcome contributions from both international organizations in the field, country Green Crescents and other NGOs.

Each edition of Journal is centred on a theme, containing articles which explore the theme from a variety of viewpoints. The themes are chosen to reflect current topics of interest in the field.

Points to consider before submitting your article:

BE INTERNATIONAL

GC Journal is an international magazine, with a focus on international Prevention and Intervention Strategies and Programs. Articles can address local events or country-specific developments but should still have an international appeal.

BE OBJECTIVE

The GC is a non-profit organization and this is reflected in the content of our magazine. Commercial content, intended to highlight one company or institution over another, will not be published, unless it is specifically centred on a case study which provides valuable information to readers.

BE UP TO DATE

Our stories need to tell readers what's happening now and what's happening next rather than what happened in the past. Articles that are highly time-sensitive may be old news or no longer of interest by the time the Magazine reaches our members, so make sure your idea is forwardlooking.

KEEP IT JOURNALISTIC IN STYLE

GC journal is not intended as a scholarly journal, it is a journalistic magazine which focuses on lighter content appealing to a broad section of public health, advocacy professionals. The use of references in your article is acceptable; however we do ask you to keep the number of references to below eight to avoid publishing lengthy bibliographies.

CONSIDER YOUR AUDIENCE

Before writing your article, consider who exactly you are aiming your article at: Managers of international organizations? Professionals? counsellors? Ensure you keep them in mind as you compose your article.

Formalities:

- We recommend you read a few previous articles from the Magazine to get a better idea of style and content.
- Please submit your article in Microsoft Word format.
- Your article should be between 800 and 1200 words in length.
- You are welcome to submit any photos or images you feel would be appropriate to accompany the article. The best format to submit photos and images is JPG. Please don't simply insert into images into your Word document – we cannot use these.
- We feature authors on a Contributors page, so if accepted, we will send you a few questions to answer about yourself. Some of your answers will then be featured on the Contributors page.
- We only accept articles that have not been previously published elsewhere.
- By submitting an article for GC Magazine you agree to be bound by the terms of the Green Crescent Magazine Article Submission Agreement.
- Submissions are made on a voluntary basis. We do not pay authors for their articles.
- If accepted, your article will be copy edited by our editors to ensure it fits the house style. If more detailed changes are required, we will contact you and either request you make the changes yourself, or we will do so. Original titles or sub-headings are subject to change.

Please remember that all articles are sent to the Publications Committee for consideration; publication is not guaranteed.

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We look forward to receiving your articles!