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Dear Colleagues,

We are pleased to announce the “*Healthcare* 2023 Best Paper Award” for original research and review articles published in *Healthcare* between 1 January 2021 and 31 December 2021. Two original research articles and two review articles will receive an award each. The papers will be selected after thorough evaluation by the journal Award Committee led by the EiC, Dr. Rahman Shiri, and the winners will be announced on 30 June 2023.

Eligibility for the Award:

- Papers published in *Healthcare* between 1 January 2021 and 31 December 2021;
- Open to all career levels;
- Both regular and Special Issue submissions will be considered.

Selection Criteria:

Original research:

- Importance of research findings to patient care or public health;
- Design of the study;
- Novelty;
- Reliability and validity of measurements;
- Reporting quality;
- Number of citations in 2022;

Review papers:

- Relevance of review to patient care or public health;
- Novelty;
- Presence vs. absence of meta-analysis;
- Using individual participant data vs. aggregated data meta-analysis;
- Reporting quality;
- Number of citations in 2022.

Prizes:

Each winner will receive the followings:

- CHF 500;
- A chance to publish a paper free of charge in *Healthcare* before the end of June 2024;
- A certificate.

The winners will be announced on the journal website at the end of June 2023.

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