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A hearty thank you for being part of the Veteran-centric Rehabilitation Research Community through your patronage to JRRD. JRRD is part of the Rehabilitation Research and Development Service within the Department of Veterans Affairs. Over the past 50 plus years the journal has evolved in step with the rehabilitation needs of Veterans, concomitant advances in the rehabilitation provided by the plethora of health care professional who serve Veterans, as well as advances in technology and material sciences. The journal, in all its permutations, has had the benefit of operating with a talented, highly skilled, and dedicated staff. People who have whole heartedly placed the Veteran at the center of all their actions.

Another evolution is underway with JRRD phasing out and the Veteran-centric rehabilitation scientific publication mission continuing under a new entity, PLOS ONE. Many major changes in life are bittersweet and this one is no different. We feel honored to have served Veterans through JRRD and are elated to know that the rehabilitation research community can convene under PLOS and the PLOS Channel dedicated to Veteran-centric rehabilitation research.

Many thanks to you the Authors, Readers, Editors, Associate Editors, and JRRD Publications Staff. We look forward to the future and continuing the mission in its new home.

Sincerely, the Leadership of RR&D