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About

This chart is a companion to the Association of American Medical Colleges (AAMC) *Annotated bibliography of journals for educational scholarship* (Berry, 2019). The chart gives a quick reference to help guide selection of a journal in which to publish healthcare education research. Brief notes are given in this section regarding tools to validate current information and links are given in the References (some may only be available through your institution). Journal indexing and publisher policies change regularly, so authors should always verify copyright, archiving, indexing and journal rankings with the publisher. Contact your librarian for assistance with any of the tools listed.

Does the Journal Enhance Discoverability of Your Work By Being Indexed In PubMed?

Is the journal indexed in the National Library of Medicine's MEDLINE database, accessed via PubMed? **Indexed** indicates that it is and **PMC** indicates that articles from the journal are deposited in the public access PubMed Central. To validate: NLM catalog: Journals referenced in the NCBI databases.

How is the Journal Ranked: Quartile Ranking in 2018 (most recent year available)?

In what quartile does the journal rank in two key research citation reference tools, Journal Citation Reports and Scopus, with Q1 being the highest rank and Q4 the lowest?

Journal Citation Reports

The quartile ranking indicates an *average* Journal Impact Factor quartile across all categories of journals in Journal Citation Reports as of 2018. A journal may be classified into multiple categories. To validate: InCites journal citation reports.

Scopus

The quartile ranking for individual journal categories is indicated based on ranking from SCImago as of 2018. Categories are indicated by a letter, such as **E** for Education, **M** for Medicine (miscellaneous) or **S** for Specialty, such as Surgery, Anesthesia, etc. To validate: SCImago.

Does the Journal Enhance Access to Your Work Through Open Access: Author Archive?

What are the publisher's policies regarding copyright, open access publication and author archiving of articles, pre-prints or post-prints? **Green shading** indicate some form of self-archiving is permitted – pre-prints, post-prints, publisher versions or some combination of these. **Gold shading** indicates an open access journal listed in the Directory of Open Access Journals that may or may not permit self-archiving. Note that most fully Open Access journals will be eligible for underwriting of publication charges at many institutions, such as [Texas A&M University's OAK Fund](#). Blank cells indicate that archiving is not permitted or the policy is unclear. To validate: SHERPA/RoMEO, Directory of Open Access Journals (DOAJ), the journal's publisher.

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Medical Education				
Academic Emergency Medicine	Indexed	Q1	Q1(M,S)	
Academic Emergency Medicine Education & Training	PMC			
Academic Medicine	Indexed	Q1	Q1(E,M)	
Academic Pathology	PMC		Q4(S)	OA
Academic Pediatrics	Indexed	Q1	Q1(S)	
Academic Psychiatry	Indexed	Q2	Q2(E,M,S)	
Academic Radiology	Indexed	Q2	Q1(S)	
Advances in Health Sciences Education	Indexed	Q1	Q1(E,M)	
Advances in Physiology Education	Indexed	Q2	Q3(M), Q4(S)	
AERA OPEN				OA
American Journal of Medicine	Indexed	Q1	Q1(M)	
American Journal of Obstetrics and Gynecology	Indexed	Q1	Q1(S)	
American Journal of Preventive Medicine	Indexed	Q1	Q1(S)	
American Journal of Surgery	Indexed	Q2	Q1(M,S)	
Annals of Family Medicine	Indexed	Q1	Q1(S)	
Anatomical Sciences Education	Indexed	Q1	Q1(M,S)	
Best Evidence Medical Education (BEME)	Indexed			
BioMed Central (BMC) Medical Education	Indexed	Q2	Q1(E),Q2(M)	OA Gold
British Medical Journal (BMJ)	Indexed	Q1	Q1(M)	
Canadian Medical Education Journal	PMC			OA
Education for Health	Indexed		Q3(E,M)	
Evaluation & the Health Professions	Indexed	Q3	Q2(S)	
Family Medicine (Society of Teachers of Family Medicine)	Indexed	Q3	Q2(S)	

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Focus on Health Professional Education				
International Journal of Medical Education	Indexed			
Journal of the American Medical Association (JAMA)	Indexed	Q1	Q1(M)	
Journal of Cancer Education	Indexed	Q3	Q2/Q3(S)	Green
Journal of Clinical Anesthesia	Indexed	Q1	Q2(S)	Green
Journal of Continuing Education in the Health Professions	Indexed	Q4	Q2(E,M)	Green
Journal of Dental Education	Indexed	Q3	Q2(E,S),Q3(M)	Green
Journal of Education and Teaching in Emergency Medicine (added 2019)				Green
Journal of General Internal Medicine (JGIM)	Indexed	Q1	Q1(S)	Green
Journal of Graduate Medical Education	Indexed		Q2(M)	
Journal of Hospital Medicine	Indexed	Q2	Q1(M,S)	Green
Journal of Interprofessional Care	Indexed	Q3	Q2(M)	Green
Journal of Medical Education and Curricular Development	PMC			OA
Journal of Medical Education and Training	PMC			
Journal of Nursing Education	Indexed	Q3	Q1(S),Q2(E)	Green
Journal of Surgical Education	Indexed	Q2	Q1(E,S)	Green
Journal of the National Medical Association	Indexed	Q4	Q3(M)	Green
Journal of Veterinary Medical Education	Indexed	Q4	Q2(S),Q3(E,M)	Green
MedEdPORTAL (added 2019)	Indexed			
Medical Education	Indexed	Q1	Q1(E,M)	Green
Medical Education Online: an Electronic Journal	Indexed	Q2	Q2(E,M)	OA
Medical Science Educator				Green
Medical Teacher	Indexed	Q2	Q1(E,M)	Green
New England Journal of Medicine	Indexed	Q1	Q1(M)	

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Nurse Education in Practice	Indexed	Q2	Q1(E,S),Q2(M)	Green
Nurse Education Today	Indexed	Q1	Q1(E,S)	Green
Obstetrics and Gynecology	Indexed	Q1	Q1(S)	Green
Open Review of Educational Research				OA
Perspectives on Medical Education	Indexed			Green
Teaching and Learning in Medicine	Indexed	Q2	Q1(E,M)	Green
The Clinical Teacher	Indexed		Q3(M),Q4(S)	Green
The Internet Journal of Allied Health Sciences and Practice				Green
Western Journal of Emergency Medicine (added 2019)	Indexed		Q1(S),Q2(M)	OA
Education Journals for the Basic Health Sciences				
Anatomical Sciences Education	Indexed	Q1	Q1(M,S)	Green
Advances in Physiology Education	Indexed	Q2	Q3(M),Q4(S)	Green
CBE: Life Sciences Education	Indexed		Q1(E,S)	Green
Biochemistry and Molecular Biology Education	Indexed	Q4	Q3/Q4(S)	Green
Pharmacy Education			Q3(S),Q4(E)	Green
American Journal of Pharmaceutical Education	Indexed	Q3	Q1(S),Q2(E,M)	Green
Journal of Microbiology and Biology Education	PMC			Green
Medical Quality Journals				
American Journal of Medical Quality (AJMQ)	Indexed	Q3	Q2(S)	Green
BMJ Quality and Safety	Indexed	Q1	Q1(M,S)	Green
Patient Education and Counseling	Indexed	Q1	Q1(M)	Green
General Research in Teaching & Learning				
American Educational Research Journal		Q1	Q1(E)	Green
Cognition and Instruction		Q1	Q1(E,S)	Green

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Educational Researcher		Q1	Q1(E)	
Journal of Educational and Behavioral Statistics		Q2	Q1(E,S)	
Journal of Educational Psychology		Q1	Q1(E,S)	
Journal of the Learning Sciences		Q1	Q1(E,S)	
Journal of Research in Science Teaching		Q1	Q1(E)	
Learning and Cognition and Motivation				
Mentoring and Tutoring: Partnership in Learning			Q2(E)	
Review of Educational Research		Q1	Q1(E)	
Studies in Continuing Education		Q3	Q2(E)	
General Higher Education Journals				
Active Learning in Higher Education		Q1	Q1(E)	
Change				
Educause Review				
Innovative Higher Education			Q2(E)	
International Journal of Lifelong Learning				
International Journal for the Scholarship of Teaching and Learning				OA
The Interdisciplinary Journal of Problem-based Learning			Q2(E)	OA
The Journal of Higher Education			Q1(E)	
Journal of College Science Teaching				
Journal of Research in Science Teaching		Q1	Q1(E)	
New Directions for Adult and Continuing Education				
New Directions in Teaching and Learning			Q4(E)	
Professional Development in Education			Q1(E)	

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Reflective Practice			Q1(S)	
Research in Educational Technology				
British Journal of Educational Technology		Q1	Q1(E)	
Computers & Education		Q1	Q1(E,S)	
International Journal of Educational Technology			Q2(E,S)	OA
International Journal of E-Learning and Distance Education				OA
Journal of Educational Computing Research		Q2	Q1(E),Q2(S)	
Journal of Educational Technology Systems				
Journal of Technology Education			Q1(S),Q2(E)	OA

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