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As can be seen in the current issue, the design of *International Journal of Clinical and Health Psychology* has been changed. This is due to the fact that, starting with this issue, the journal is going to be published by the prestigious international publishing company Elsevier. During its 12 years of existence, *International Journal of Clinical and Health Psychology* has been included in the head positions of the most important international rankings of scientific publications (the first quartile of the Journal Citation Reports-JCR and SCImago Journal Rank-SJR). Therefore, we consider that, it is a good moment for the journal to be produced, published, disseminated, promoted and commercialized by a prestigious publishing company Elsevier.

The fact that the journal is going to be published by Elsevier has many different advantages which will make possible increasing the quality, visibility and the impact factor of *International Journal of Clinical and Health Psychology*. First of all, editorial management will improve thanks to the inclusion of the journal in the system for article submission Elsevier Editorial System (EES) which will make the editorial process faster and more effective. Second, the articles will be more visible as the readers will be able to access the in-press articles in Science Direct, which will make their useful lives longer. Third, all the articles will be published in Science Direct and their content will be included in Scopus. Finally, in addition to its print version, there will be an on-line free access version on www.elsevier.es.

To sum up, we hope that this change will improve substantially the quality, prestige and the dissemination of *International Journal of Clinical and Health Psychology* at the international level.

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