

**Committee - Report for Council/AGM****Committee on Publication**

17 May 2020, Raanan Shamir

**Committee Members and Mandates**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Date of entry</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Term</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Term</b>	<b>Positions held within Committee</b> (e.g. Secretary, AHP or Trainee representative etc.)	<b>Dates held of these positions</b>
Raanan Shamir	June 2019	2019-2022		Pub Comm Chair	2019-2022
Sanja Kolacek	June 2019	2019-2022		ESPGHAN President	2019-2022
Annamaria Staiano	May 2016	2016-2019	2019-2022	ESPGHAN Treasurer	2016-2022
Dominique Belli	June 2019	2019-2024		JPGN Editor	2019-2022

## Summary of Activities in 2019-20

### A. Committee meetings (date and any main points/activities)

<b>Meeting</b>	Joint Meeting of ESPGHAN and NASPGHAN Publication Committees with the Publisher Wolters Kluwer (costs for travel & stay covered by the publisher)
<b>Location</b>	NYC
<b>Date</b>	17-18 Nov 2019
<b>Main Points / Activities</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Review of publisher's report including financial status</li><li>• Strategy discussion on current situation and future development of JPGN</li><li>• Strategy discussion on future development of JPGN Reports</li><li>• Agreement/progress on new rules for consortium publications</li><li>• Proposed upcoming Joint Dinner Meeting at World/ESPGHAN Congress in Copenhagen</li><li>• Discussion about Joint Symposium in Copenhagen</li></ul>

<b>Meeting</b>	Joint Meeting of ESPGHAN and NASPGHAN Editorial Board via
<b>Location</b>	Internet
<b>Date</b>	4 June 2020
<b>Main Points / Activities</b>	In lieu of meeting in Copenhagen will be joint editorial board meeting

### B. Educational activities

NA

### C. Committee Publications / Guidelines / Position Papers

NA

### D. Special Interest Groups

NA

### E. Committee Working Groups

NA



## Outlook on Planned Activity for 2020-21

### A. Committee meetings (date and any main points/activities)

<b>Meeting</b>	Joint Meeting of ESPGHAN and NASPGHAN Editorial Board via
<b>Location</b>	Internet
<b>Date</b>	4 June 2020
<b>Main Points / Activities</b>	<p>In lieu of joint dinner meeting in Copenhagen there will be joint editorial board meeting w/publisher and editorial committee</p> <p><b><u>Proposed agenda</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Welcome to participants</li><li>• Publisher report</li><li>• Publication Committee report</li><li>• Editorial report</li><li>• IFA : number of authors</li><li>• JPGN Reports modus Operandi</li><li>• Publication of database in JPGN Reports</li><li>• General discussion</li></ul>

<b>Meeting</b>	Publication Committee Meeting
<b>Location</b>	London
<b>Date</b>	6-7 Dec 2020
<b>Main Points / Activities</b>	JPGN/JPGN Reports Strategy Day



## B. Any other issues that may be of interest for Council/AGM

### JPGN Reports

In 2020, ESPGHAN and NASPGHAN signed a contract with Wolters Kluwer for a new open access journal, *JPGN reports*.

*JPGN Reports*, is a joint publication by NASPGHAN and ESPGHAN, it is a peer-reviewed, open access journal that publishes novel case reports, images and videos, original articles, clinical trials protocols, review articles, short communications, letters to the editor, selected meeting proceedings, editorials and commentaries on all aspects of clinical and translational research, educational, and public health issues in the area of pediatric gastroenterology, hepatology, and nutrition. *JPGN Reports* also welcomes novel exploratory hypothesis-generating research, qualitative and quantitative epidemiologic research, studies of novel mechanisms and methodologies including public health interventions, hypothesis-generating small studies, methods papers, and translational research applicable for pediatric pathogenesis and physiology in health and disease.

*JPGN reports* has a new domain: [jpgnreports.org](http://jpgnreports.org), an Editorial board has been selected for the new journal (See report by *JPGN* Editor's report). Wolter Kluwer is building the new website and should be live by the end of May 2020.



### C. JPGN Journal Impact Factor and Ranking

	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
<b>Impact Factor</b>	2.298	2.196	2.873	2.625	2.400	2.799	2.752	3.015

<b>Rankings</b>	<b>2014</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018</b>
Gastroenterology & Hepatology	37/76	45/78	39/79	51/80	44/84
Nutrition & Dietetics	33/77	39/78	33/81	39/81	41/86
Pediatrics	23/119	27/120	18/121	23/124	16/124

### E. Personal Note

This written report was made for the first ever virtual AGM meeting caused by COVID-19. During these challenging times when this pandemic affects all aspects of life of humans worldwide, we strive to continue our mission to improve the health of children in Europe and worldwide. During the pandemic JPGN continued to operate in full capacity and strive to fulfil its mission. With the new open access journal, we hope that the 2 journals of the society will be able to better serve and cover the needs of our audience while striving to improve our impact and influence. We will stay alert facing the new challenges that the SARS-2 virus brought to our models of practicing medicine, to our reading habits, research, and education, including conferences attendance and meetings in person. We also, will stay alert to the changes in the business model and publication modes (open access vs. hybrid journals) of scientific journals. With the leadership of our society and with the help our editors and editorial teams I am confident that we will succeed.

