

# **THE PATH OF THE FACULDADE DE MEDICINA DE OLINDA AS AN INTEGRATOR OF TEACHING, RESEARCH, AND EXTENSION**

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## **Letter to the editors of the Anais da Faculdade de Medicina de Olinda**

Dear Editors

**T**he management of the Faculdade de Medicina de Olinda (FMO) congratulates them for sharing the thought that imagination is more important than science, and the resilience of the visionary materializes into a product. This is the expression of an Institution that, although not formally a University, conducts activities as if it were. It is in this sense that the support of FMO management emphasizes the non-separability of teaching, research, and extension as a guiding principle for a strong and quality Academy.

The journal is intended as a repository of new knowledge to be continuously stimulated at the Institution. In this thought, seeds are being planted, and they will be watered to produce knowledge as an unquestionable asset. The Institution will ensure that the journal, now in its infancy, follows the path of evolution into a permanent vehicle for transmitting knowledge. It is the imagination that grows without diminishing science. It is resilience asserting itself when life requires a cherished dream to become a reality. The creation of the FMO marked the realization of the dream of a family with an academic tradition characterized by flashes of boldness and determination. There was no shortage of obstacles to overcome, but they were. The creation of the new journal evidences the determination of the management to create academic facts that will foster the best concept of accreditation with the Ministry of Education.

You can be sure that today's support will last forever. We are partners who will walk together along the same path in the search for the quality of meritocracy of the FMO family. We are fighting brothers, and we will fight the good fight.

Congratulations on the release of the first issue of the first volume. It is the baptism of this partnership that the management hopes will be permanent. It is a revealed truth that fulfills another dream cherished in the imagination of FMO managers. Let us welcome you to the heart of this repository, and may it represent looking to the future with determination and courage.

Congratulations to you and all the authors who contributed to this endeavor. Let us move towards the future.