

## *Editorial*

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The current issue of *Acta medica Lituanica* presents a variety of original articles and one review article concerning a challenging problem of recurrent tonsillitis in children. The first article concerning women physician-scientists is a marginal one between medicine and social sciences and therefore may appear refreshing for the readers because of the issue it deals with. Preliminary data about cetuximab treatment in advanced non-small cell lung cancer patients is of great interest as a multicentral randomised clinical trial report.

The *In memoriam* is dedicated to dr.habil. Juozas Kurtinaitis, our respectable colleague and a prominent researcher of our days.

On behalf of the editorial board of *Acta medica Lituanica* we would like to thank all the authors for choosing our journal as well as the reviewers for participating in the *Acta medica Lituanica* peer-review process during 2008. The quality of peer-review is extremely important to salvage the high standards of our journal.