Editorial

An Acknowledgement to the HCA Healthcare Journal of Medicine’s Reviewers and Editors for the First Half of 2023

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Abstract

Description
The HCA Healthcare Journal of Medicine would like to thank those behind the scenes who make this publication possible. Our journal would not be possible without the assistance of our peer reviewers, authors, and board members. We also announce our inclusion in PubMed Central.

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