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In this Issue 16 we begin publishing "Brief reports" to quickly present research and clinical results to our readers. Our goal for rapid publishing will be to present papers within 4 months of their submission to the *Journal of Gambling Issues*.

All brief reports will be peer-reviewed. We have designed a new and faster process that requires reviewers to comment within 3 weeks and for authors to submit the next draft within 3 weeks of receiving comments from the reviewer. We invite researchers and clinicians to submit recent analyses for publication as brief reports.

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