Anna Nery School Journal of Nursing’s New Editorial Policy

The online version of many journals have been contributing to increase the visibility of the publication duplicity, plagerism, self-plagerism, sliced publication or “salami”, for exemples. Consequently, there has been great concern with ethical integrity in the scientific communication; and the debate about ethic of publication is drawing the attention to the scientific community worldwide\(^1\)\(^-\)\(^3\). Scientific and professional entities have discussed this theme at national and international meetings’ agendas, such as *Seminário Nacional de Pesquisa em Enfermagem/SENPE* (18\(^{th}\) edition of the National Seminar of Research in Nursing, 2015), promoted by the *Associação Brasileira de Enfermagem* (Brazilian Nursing Association); and the World Congress on Integrity Research (4\(^{th}\), 2015), promoted by the Committee on Publication Ethics (COPE). Many publications regarding the theme have been gaining space in different scientific sources of information\(^1\)\(^-\)\(^3\) or in research grants’ Agencies’ statements, in Brazil, such as CNPq (CNPq’s Research Integrity Comission)\(^4\) and from the *Fundação de Amparo a Pesquisa do Estado de São Paulo/FAPESP* (São Paulo’s Research Fundation - Brazilian Meeting on Research Integrity, Science and Publication Ethics)\(^5\).

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