Editorial

There are certain ideas which have universal message for the welfare of mankind. These ideas must be dedicated to a noble cause, entirely selfless, free from all narrowness and fearless. Bangladesh Bioethics Society is trying to work some such pertinent ethical issue gradually. But it is impossible to deal with existing socio-ethical problem individually. We should proceed in a concreted manner. An article of this issue made an attempt to understand the lesson of ethics in the existing primary education. Because moral education in early life will build up their future character. There is a discussion on the problem of moral deviation in young people of Bangladesh, gravity of the situation and its possible solution. An important article deals with organ transplantation and donation under ethical compulsion. It elaborately analyzes a case of live donor (un-married girl), where orally consent to donate kidney to the brother who is bread earner of their joint family. By consenting to donate kidney, the girls jeopardizes her matrimonial purpose as her finance is uncertain about her post-donation health status. Intellectual property right is a very important issue in developing countries. IPRS is considered from economic and legal aspect as the ownership rights for the excessive use of innovation and creative work. The paper has presented an elaborate discussion on the IPRS. The present issue analyzes the sector where ethical improvement is immediately needed. Morality should be started and practiced from the family. An other paper assesses the stem cell treatment as well as it impact in human life. A discussion explains the ethical issue of stem cell research and therapy which focuses how recent biotechnology and biological understandings of development narrow the debate. Public health is the societal approach to protecting and promoting health. A framework of ethics analysis geared specifically for public health is needed to provide practical guidance for public professionals and researches in Bangladesh. Technical and ethical perspectives of Egyptian health websites are discussed elaborately, based on a pilot study.

In short, appeal of bioethics is to the noble-instinct of the people. We should realize once duties and responsibilities outside the sphere of once own lives based on bioethical perspective.

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