

Table 3 The 25 most prolific institutions in the EMR in terms of PubMed-indexed biomedical and health research articles published from 2004 to 2013

	Country	Institution	Published Articles	%
1.	I.R. Iran	Tehran University of Medical Sciences	8457	6.0
2.	I.R. Iran	Shahid Beheshti University of Medical Sciences	4470	3.2
3.	Saudi Arabia	King Saud University	4444	3.2
4.	Tunisia	Tunis El Manar University	3579	2.5
5.	Egypt	Cairo University	3331	2.4
6.	I.R. Iran	Shiraz University of Medical Sciences	2986	2.1
7.	I.R. Iran	Isfahan University of Medical Sciences	2940	2.1
8.	I.R. Iran	Islamic Azad University	2291	1.6
9.	Egypt	Mansoura University	2256	1.6
10.	Lebanon	American University of Beirut	2254	1.6
11.	Pakistan	Aga Khan University	2214	1.6
12.	I.R. Iran	Tabriz University of Medical Sciences	2095	1.5
13.	Tunisia	Sfax University	2033	1.4
14.	I.R. Iran	Mashhad University of Medical Sciences	1971	1.4
15.	Egypt	Ain Shams University	1806	1.3
16.	I.R. Iran	Tehran University	1763	1.2
17.	Kuwait	Kuwait University	1744	1.2
18.	I.R. Iran	Tarbiat Modares University	1689	1.2
19.	Egypt	Alexandria University	1543	1.1
20.	Saudi Arabia	King Faisal Specialist Hospital and Research Center	1533	1.1
21.	Tunisia	Monastir University	1340	1.0
22.	Jordan	Jordan University of Science and Technology	1314	0.9
23.	Egypt	National Research Center	1306	0.9
24.	UAE	United Arab Emirates University	1254	0.9
25.	Oman	Sultan Qaboos University	1118	0.8
Total			61 701	43.8

University data include data for affiliated teaching hospitals or research centres.