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## PUBLICATIONS

### **A. Articles published in international peer-reviewed journals:**

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- D2.** Sözen M. A., "Obezite ve Obezitenin Genetiği", *Kocatepe Tıp Dergisi*, vol. 7, no. 3, pp. 1-11, 2006.