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Cochrane: New Reviews

Atherectomy for peripheral arterial disease
Blood pressure targets for the treatment of people with hypertension and cardiovascular disease
Carbohydrate supplementation of human milk to promote growth in preterm infants
Carotid endarterectomy for symptomatic carotid stenosis
Interventions for preventing mastitis after childbirth
Magnesium for skeletal muscle cramps
Phytomedicines (medicines derived from plants) for sickle cell disease
Pine bark (Pinus spp.) extract for treating chronic disorders
Preimplantation genetic testing for aneuploidies (abnormal number of chromosomes) in in vitro fertilisation
Procalcitonin, C-reactive protein, and erythrocyte sedimentation rate for the diagnosis of acute pyelonephritis in children
Prophylactic anti-staphylococcal antibiotics for cystic fibrosis
Protein supplementation of human milk for promoting growth in preterm infants
Psychological treatments for people with epilepsy
Sublingual immunotherapy for asthma
Treatments for breast engorgement during lactation

NICE

COVID-19 rapid guideline: critical care in adults (updated)
COVID-19 rapid guideline: dialysis service delivery (updated)
Insect bites and stings: antimicrobial prescribing
Low back pain and sciatica in over 16s: assessment and management
Neuropathic pain in adults: pharmacological management in non-specialist settings
Suspected cancer: recognition and referral

PubMed Open Access Guidelines

Chemoprophylaxis, diagnosis, treatments, and discharge management of COVID-19: An evidence-based clinical practice guideline (updated version)
COVID-19 guidance for triage of operations for thoracic malignancies: A consensus statement from Thoracic Surgery Outcomes Research Network
Resuming elective hip and knee arthroplasty after the first phase of the SARS-CoV-2 pandemic: the European Hip Society and European Knee Associates recommendations
Systemic treatment of advanced/metastatic renal cell carcinoma in the context of SARS-CoV-2 pandemic: recommendations from the interdisciplinary working group for renal tumors (IAG-N)

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