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#### Research

#### **ORIGINAL INVESTIGATION**

1261 Coordinated Care to Optimize Cardiovascular Preventive Therapies in Type 2 Diabetes:

## A Randomized Clinical Trial

NJ Pagidipati and Coauthors

for the COORDINATE-Diabetes Site Investigators

This cluster randomized clinical trial assesses the effect of a coordinated, multifaceted intervention of assessment, education, and feedback vs usual care on the prescribing of all 3 groups of recommended therapies (high-intensity statins, angiotensin-converting enzyme inhibitors or angiotensin receptor blockers, and sodium-glucose cotransporter 2 inhibitors and/or glucagon-like peptide 1 receptor agonists) for adults with type 2 diabetes and atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease.

# Visual Abstract

1271 Panitumumab vs Bevacizumab
Added to Standard First-line Chemotherapy
and Overall Survival Among Patients
With RAS Wild-type, Left-Sided Metastatic
Colorectal Cancer: A Randomized Clinical Trial

J Watanabe and Coauthors

This randomized clinical trial assesses the effect of adding panitumumab vs bevacizumab to standard first-line chemotherapy on overall survival among patients with RAS wild-type, left-sided, metastatic colorectal cancer.

### ■ Visual Abstract

# 1283 Added Therapeutic Benefit of Top-Selling Brand-name Drugs in Medicare

AC Egilman, BN Rome, and AS Kesselheim

This cross-sectional study assesses Medicare spending on 50 top-selling drugs with limited added clinical benefits using ratings from health technology assessment organizations in Canada, France, and Germany.

#### **Opinion**

#### VIEWPOINT

1251 A National Hepatitis C Elimination Program in the United States: A Historic Opportunity

RL Fleurence and FS Collins

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JPA Ioannidis, AM Pezzullo, and S Boccia

### 1255 Diagnostic Stewardship to Prevent Diagnostic Error

DJ Morgan, PN Malani, and DJ Diekema

## A PIECE OF MY MIND

1257 Life Is Not Fair

JR Gilsdorf

A pediatrian's elegy to a dear friend recounts in this narrative medicine essay how the obstacles from cancer did not impede her from living fully, allowing the friends to share life's pleasures for many years.

#### **EDITORIAL**

1259 Skin Cancer Screening: The Importance of Identifying High-risk Subgroups and the Need for US-Based Population Research

MM Asgari and LA Crane

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#### **Clinical Review & Education**

#### US PREVENTIVE SERVICES TASK FORCE

1290 Screening for Skin Cancer: US Preventive Services Task Force Recommendation Statement

US Preventive Services Task Force

This 2023 Recommendation Statement from the US Preventive Services Task Force concludes that the current evidence is insufficient to assess the balance of benefits and harms of visual skin examination by a clinician to screen for skin cancer in adolescents and adults (I statement).

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#### **AUDIO**

Editor's Summary of This Issue

Eliminating Hepatitis C in the United States

March 2023 Medical News Summary

USPSTF Recommendation: Screening for Skin Cancer

#### **VIDEO**

Eliminating Hepatitis C in the United States

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1296 Skin Cancer Screening: Updated Evidence Report and Systematic

Updated Evidence Report and Systematic Review for the US Preventive Services Task Force

NB Henrikson and Coauthors

This systematic review to support the 2023 US Preventive Services Task Force Recommendation Statement on screening for skin cancer summarizes published evidence on the benefits and harms of screening for skin cancer in individuals 15 years or older.

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#### JAMA INSIGHTS

## 1308 Antiretroviral Treatment of HIV/AIDS During Pregnancy

AC Eke, S Lockman, and LM Mofenson

This Insights in the Women's Health series describes the availability, timing, and risks of antiretroviral therapy (ART) in pregnant individuals who have HIV infection.

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#### JAMA PATIENT PAGE

1324 Screening and Prevention of Skin Cancer
J Jin

This JAMA Patient Page describes the pros and cons of screening for skin cancer, as well as skin cancer risk-reduction practices.

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# **News & Analysis**

# **MEDICAL NEWS & PERSPECTIVES**

1243 Teen Girls Are Faring Worse Than Boys on Nearly All Mental Health Measures— Here's Why

A Słomski

This Medical News article discusses new CDC survey data on high school students and mental health.

1246 Former NIH Director Francis S. Collins on the New White House Plan to Eliminate Hepatitis C

J Abbasi

This Medical News article is an interview with Francis S. Collins, MD, PhD, former National Institutes of Health director, and *JAMA* Editor in Chief Kirsten Bibbins-Domingo, PhD, MD, MAS, about a historic Biden-Harris administration proposal to cure and prevent all hepatitis C infections in the US.

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1248 CDC: Candida auris Fungal Infections and Drug Resistance on the Rise

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1248 Maternal Opioid Treatment
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1249 Artificial Pancreas Improved Outcomes in Children With Type 1 Diabetes

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1249 Cold Virus Provided Cross-reactivity
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H Spungen and Coauthors

This study examines publication timelines, completeness, and spin in the abstracts of all randomized clinical trials related to COVID-19 posted to *medRxiv* during the first 2 years of the pandemic and compared the latter 2 with their published counterparts.

#### 1312 Cost-effectiveness Thresholds Used by Study Authors, 1990-2021

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