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ORIGINAL INVESTIGATION

1988 Personalized Hemodynamic Resuscitation Targeting Capillary Refill Time in Early Septic Shock: The ANDROMEDA-SHOCK-2 Randomized Clinical Trial

The ANDROMEDA-SHOCK-2 Investigators for the ANDROMEDA Research Network, Spanish Society of Anesthesiology, Resuscitation and Pain Therapy (SEDAR), and Latin American Intensive Care Network (LIVEN)

This randomized clinical trial examines whether a personalized hemodynamic resuscitation protocol targeting capillary refill time was more effective than usual care in patients with early septic shock.

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- Research Summary

2000 Sodium Bicarbonate for Severe Metabolic Acidemia and Acute Kidney Injury: The BICARICU-2 Randomized Clinical Trial

B Jung and Coauthors for the BICARICU-2 Study Group

This randomized clinical trial examines whether sodium bicarbonate infusion decreases day 90 all-cause mortality for patients with severe metabolic acidosis and moderate to severe acute kidney injury.

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- Visual Abstract

2011 Rituximab for Relapsing Nephrotic Syndrome in Adults: A Randomized Clinical Trial

Y Isaka and Coauthors

This randomized clinical trial assesses the effect of rituximab on disease relapse in adults with frequently relapsing nephrotic syndrome or steroid-dependent nephrotic syndrome.

- Visual Abstract

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RESEARCH LETTER

2033 Stillbirths in the United States

HK Sullivan and Coauthors

This study characterizes stillbirth rates in 2016-2022 across clinical risk factors and geographic-based measures of access, income, and race in a large US commercially insured population.

2035 Health Care Professionals Sponsored for H-1B Visas in the US

M Liu and Coauthors

This national study evaluates the percentage of US health care professionals sponsored for H-1B visas in fiscal year 2024 across occupation groups and county characteristics.

Viewpoint 1975

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VIEWPOINT

1973 The Need for Oversight Over Apps for Substance Use Reduction

AM Russell, JB Colditz, and J-P Allem

1975 H-1B Visa Program and Implications for Health Care

O Abughanimeh and M Abu Ghanimeh

Related Article 2035

1977 A Prescription for Debt—How Federal Loan Caps Burden Medical Students

K Farkouh, J Hogan, and M Barton

1979 Patient Participation in Kidney Transplant Candidacy—Opening the Door to the “God Committee”

AS Pawar, RS Stafford, and T Delbanco

A PIECE OF MY MIND

1981 Letter From a Hopeful Daughter

N Goloff

In this narrative medicine essay, a pediatric palliative care physician reflects on the end of her mother's life and offers clinicians advice on guiding patients and their families in the last months and days of a patient's life.

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2020 Superficial Vein Thrombosis: A Review

G Piazza and Coauthors

This review discusses superficial vein thrombosis, including pathophysiology, risk factors, epidemiology, and diagnostic testing.

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2031 Postpartum Hemorrhage

SA Harvey

This JAMA Insights discusses risk factors for, assessment, and management of postpartum hemorrhage.

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JAMA PATIENT PAGE

2048 Lower Urinary Tract Symptoms in Men

MI Angulo and M Vela

This JAMA Patient Page describes lower urinary tract symptoms in men and their associated diagnoses and treatments.

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MEDICAL NEWS

1966 Peanut Allergies Appear to Be on the Decline Following Early Introduction Guidelines

S Anderer

This Medical News article discusses changes in peanut allergy incidence after health organizations released guidance for early introduction in infancy.

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1968 MASLD—The Chronic Liver Disease That Affects Tens of Millions of US Adults but Flies Under the Radar

R Rubin

This Medical News article discusses the relatively unknown condition called metabolic dysfunction-associated steatotic liver disease, or MASLD, which is thought to affect approximately a third of adults worldwide.

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1971 FDA Approves GLP-1 Pill for Cardiovascular Risk in Type 2 Diabetes

1971 ACOG Issues Contraception Access Guidance

1971 New COVID-19 Vaccination Guidelines for Immunocompromised Individuals

1971 Alternative Obesity Definition Reveals Stratification of Mortality Risk

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