

Impact of home warfarin use on the treatment and outcomes of patients undergoing percutaneous coronary intervention A. Aggarwal, D. Dai, J. S. Rumsfeld, L. W. Klein and M. T. Roe *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 1413-7

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18471451

Thrombus aspiration during primary percutaneous coronary intervention J. L. Amato, Jr., F. E. Shamoon and J. I. Haft *N Engl J Med* (2008) 358; 2640; author reply 40-1

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18557172

Functional effects of high clopidogrel maintenance dosing in patients with inadequate platelet inhibition on standard dose treatment D. J. Angiolillo, M. A. Costa, S. B. Shoemaker, B. Desai, E. Bernardo, Y. Suzuki, R. K. Charlton, M. M. Zenni, L. A. Guzman and T. A. Bass *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 440-5

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18312754

Effect of intravenous FX06 as an adjunct to primary percutaneous coronary intervention for acute ST-segment elevation myocardial infarction results of the F.I.R.E. (Efficacy of FX06 in the Prevention of Myocardial Reperfusion Injury) trial D. Atar, P. Petzelbauer, J. Schwitter, K. Huber, B. Rensing, J. D. Kasprzak, C. Butter, L. Grip, P. R. Hansen, T. Suselbeck, P. M. Clemmensen, M. Marin-Galiano, B. Geudelin and P. T. Buser *J Am Coll Cardiol* (2009) 53; 720-9

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=19232907

Intracoronary KAI-9803 as an adjunct to primary percutaneous coronary intervention for acute ST-segment elevation myocardial infarction E. Bates, C. Bode, M. Costa, C. M. Gibson, C. Granger, C. Green, K. Grimes, R. Harrington, K. Huber, N. Kleiman, D. Mochly-Rosen, M. Roe, Z. Sadowski, S. Solomon and P. Widimsky *Circulation* (2008) 117; 886-96

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18250271

Primary PCI in ST-segment elevation myocardial infarction P. Bogaty and J. M. Brophy *N Engl J Med* (2008) 358; 1751; author reply 52-3

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18420510

Bivalirudin with provisional glycoprotein IIb/IIIa inhibitors in patients undergoing primary angioplasty in the setting of cardiogenic shock L. Bonello, A. De Labriolle, P. Roy, D. H. Steinberg, T. L. Pinto Slottow, Z. Xue, K. Smith, R. Torguson, W. O. Suddath, L. F. Satler, K. M. Kent, A. D. Pichard and R. Waksman *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 102; 287-91

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18638588

Comparison of percutaneous versus surgical revascularization of severe unprotected left main coronary stenosis in matched patients S. J. Brener, J. M. Galla, R. Bryant, 3rd, J. F. Sabik, 3rd and S. G. Ellis *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 169-72

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18178401

Reperfusion after primary angioplasty for ST-elevation myocardial infarction: predictors

of success and relationship to clinical outcomes in the APEX-AMI angiographic study S. J. Brener, D. J. Moliterno, P. E. Aylward, A. W. van't Hof, W. Ruzylo, W. W. O'Neill, C. W. Hamm, C. M. Westerhout, C. B. Granger and P. W. Armstrong *Eur Heart J* (2008) 29; 1127-35

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18375399

What anti-thrombotic therapy is best with primary PCI for acute ST elevation myocardial infarction: how should the HORIZONS trial change current practice? B. R. Brodie *Catheter Cardiovasc Interv* (2008) 71; 816-21

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18412079

ST-segment recovery and outcome after primary percutaneous coronary intervention for ST-elevation myocardial infarction: insights from the Assessment of Pexelizumab in Acute Myocardial Infarction (APEX-AMI) trial C. E. Buller, Y. Fu, K. W. Mahaffey, T. G. Todaro, P. Adams, C. M. Westerhout, H. D. White, A. W. van 't Hof, F. J. Van de Werf, G. S. Wagner, C. B. Granger and P. W. Armstrong *Circulation* (2008) 118; 1335-46

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18779444

Infarct size and myocardial salvage after primary angioplasty in patients presenting with symptoms for <12 h vs. 12-72 h M. Busk, A. Kalso, S. S. Nielsen, M. Bottcher, M. Rehling, L. Thuesen, H. E. Botker, J. F. Lassen, E. H. Christiansen, L. R. Krusell, H. R. Andersen, T. T. Nielsen and S. D. Kristensen *Eur Heart J* (2009)

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=19357105

The Danish multicentre randomized study of fibrinolytic therapy vs. primary angioplasty in acute myocardial infarction (the DANAMI-2 trial): outcome after 3 years follow-up M. Busk, M. Maeng, K. Rasmussen, H. Kelbaek, P. Thayssen, U. Abildgaard, E. Vigholt, L. S. Mortensen, L. Thuesen, S. D. Kristensen, T. T. Nielsen and H. R. Andersen *Eur Heart J* (2008) 29; 1259-66

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=17956874

Time-to-reperfusion in patients undergoing interhospital transfer for primary percutaneous coronary intervention in the U.S: an analysis of 2005 and 2006 data from the National Cardiovascular Data Registry A. Chakrabarti, H. M. Krumholz, Y. Wang, J. S. Rumsfeld and B. K. Nallamothu *J Am Coll Cardiol* (2008) 51; 2442-3

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18565404

Association of the arterial access site at angioplasty with transfusion and mortality: the M.O.R.T.A.L study (Mortality benefit Of Reduced Transfusion after percutaneous coronary intervention via the Arm or Leg) A. J. Chase, E. B. Fretz, W. P. Warburton, W. P. Klinke, R. G. Carere, D. Pi, B. Berry and J. D. Hilton *Heart* (2008) 94; 1019-25

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18332059

In vivo comparative study of linear versus geometrically correct three-dimensional reconstruction of coronary arteries Y. S. Chatzizisis, G. D. Giannoglou, G. Sianos, A. Ziakas, D. Tsikaderis, P. Dardas, A. Matakos, C. Basdekidou, G. Misirli, C. Zamboulis,

G. E. Louridas and G. E. Parcharidis *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 263-7

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18178419

Use of endothelial progenitor cell capture stent (Genous Bio-Engineered R Stent) during primary percutaneous coronary intervention in acute myocardial infarction: intermediate-to long-term clinical follow-up M. Co, E. Tay, C. H. Lee, K. K. Poh, A. Low, J. Lim, I. H. Lim, Y. T. Lim and H. C. Tan *Am Heart J* (2008) 155; 128-32

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18082503

Relation of low response to clopidogrel assessed with point-of-care assay to periprocedural myonecrosis in patients undergoing elective coronary stenting for stable angina pectoris T. Cuisset, M. Hamilos, J. Sarma, G. Sarno, E. Wyffels, M.

Vanderheyden, E. Barbato, J. Bartunek, B. De Bruyne and W. Wijns *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 1700-3

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18549843

Four-year clinical follow-up of the rapamycin-eluting stent evaluated at Rotterdam Cardiology Hospital registry J. Daemen, N. Kukreja, P. H. van Twisk, Y. Onuma, P. P. de Jaegere, R. van Domburg and P. W. Serruys *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 1105-11

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18394442

Comparison of thrombolysis followed by broad use of percutaneous coronary intervention with primary percutaneous coronary intervention for ST-segment-elevation acute myocardial infarction: data from the french registry on acute ST-elevation myocardial infarction (FAST-MI) N. Danchin, P. Coste, J. Ferrieres, P. G. Steg, Y. Cottin, D. Blanchard, L. Belle, B. Ritz, G. Kirkorian, M. Angioi, P. Sans, B. Charbonnier, H. Eltchaninoff, P. Gueret, K. Khalife, P. Asseman, J. Puel, P. Goldstein, J. P. Cambou and T. Simon *Circulation* (2008) 118; 268-76

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18591434

Contemporary outcomes of rescue percutaneous coronary intervention for acute myocardial infarction: comparison with primary angioplasty and the role of distal protection devices (EMERALD trial) G. Dangas, G. W. Stone, M. D. Weinberg, J. Webb, D. A. Cox, B. R. Brodie, M. W. Krucoff, R. J. Gibbons, A. J. Lansky and R. Mehran *Am Heart J* (2008) 155; 1090-6

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18513524

Adjunctive manual thrombectomy improves myocardial perfusion and mortality in patients undergoing primary percutaneous coronary intervention for ST-elevation myocardial infarction: a meta-analysis of randomized trials G. De Luca, D. Dudek, G. Sardella, P. Marino, B. Chevalier and F. Zijlstra *Eur Heart J* (2008) 29; 3002-10

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18775918

Relations of matrix remodeling biomarkers to blood pressure progression and incidence of hypertension in the community R. Dhingra, M. J. Pencina, P. Schrader, T. J. Wang, D. Levy, K. Pencina, D. A. Siwik, W. S. Colucci, E. J. Benjamin and R. S. Vasan

Circulation (2009) 119; 1101-7

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=19221217

Prognostic value of admission myeloperoxidase levels in patients with ST-segment elevation myocardial infarction and cardiogenic shock A. Dominguez-Rodriguez, S. Samimi-Fard, P. Abreu-Gonzalez, M. J. Garcia-Gonzalez and J. C. Kaski Am J Cardiol (2008) 101; 1537-40

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18489929

Results of percutaneous coronary intervention of the unprotected left main coronary artery in 143 patients and comparison of 30-day mortality to results of coronary artery bypass grafting C. Dubois, J. Dens, P. Sinnaeve, A. Belmans, J. Van Cleemput, M. Mendez, J. Piessens and W. Desmet Am J Cardiol (2008) 101; 75-81

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18157969

Potential impact of noncontrast computed tomography as gatekeeper for myocardial perfusion positron emission tomography in patients admitted to the chest pain unit F. P. Esteves, R. Sanyal, C. A. Santana, L. Shaw and P. Raggi Am J Cardiol (2008) 101; 149-52

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18178397

Patterns of use and effectiveness of early invasive strategy in non-ST-segment elevation acute coronary syndromes: an assessment by propensity score I.

Ferreira-Gonzalez, G. Permanyer-Miralda, M. Heras, J. Cuna, E. Civeira, F. Aros, J. J. Rodriguez, P. L. Sanchez, J. R. Marsal, A. Ribera, J. Marrugat and H. Bueno Am Heart J (2008) 156; 946-53, 53 e2

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=19061711

Incidence, predictors, and outcome of reinfarction and stent thrombosis within one year after primary percutaneous coronary intervention for ST-elevation myocardial infarction M. L. Fokkema, P. A. van der Vleuten, P. J. Vlaar, T. Svilaas and F. Zijlstra Catheter Cardiovasc Interv (2009) 73; 627-34

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=19309712

Long-term outcome of primary angioplasty compared with fibrinolysis across age groups: a Danish Multicenter Randomized Study on Fibrinolytic Therapy Versus Acute Coronary Angioplasty in Acute Myocardial Infarction (DANAMI-2) substudy E. L. Fosbol, J. J. Thune, H. Kelbaek, H. R. Andersen, K. Saunamaki, T. T. Nielsen, L. S. Mortensen and L. Kober Am Heart J (2008) 156; 391-6

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18657676

Angina pectoris and atherosclerotic risk factors in the multisite cardiac lifestyle intervention program J. Frattaroli, G. Weidner, T. A. Merritt-Worden, S. Frenda and D. Ornish Am J Cardiol (2008) 101; 911-8

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18359307

Incidence, determinants, and prognostic value of reverse left ventricular remodelling after primary percutaneous coronary intervention: results of the Acute Myocardial Infarction Contrast Imaging (AMICI) multicenter study S. Funaro, G. La Torre, M. Madonna, L. Galiuto, A. Scara, A. Labbadia, E. Canali, A. Mattatelli, F. Fedele, F. Alessandrini, F. Crea and L. Agati *Eur Heart J* (2009) 30; 566-75
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=19098019

Comparison of paclitaxel- and sirolimus-eluting stents in everyday clinical practice: the SORT OUT II randomized trial A. M. Galloe, L. Thuesen, H. Kelbaek, P. Thayssen, K. Rasmussen, P. R. Hansen, N. Bligaard, K. Saunamaki, A. Junker, J. Aaroe, U. Abildgaard, J. Ravkilde, T. Engstrom, J. S. Jensen, H. R. Andersen, H. E. Botker, S. Galatius, S. D. Kristensen, J. K. Madsen, L. R. Krusell, S. Z. Abildstrom, G. B. Stephansen and J. F. Lassen *JAMA* (2008) 299; 409-16
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18230778

Relation of hyperemic epicardial flow to outcomes among patients with ST-segment elevation myocardial infarction receiving fibrinolytic therapy C. M. Gibson, Y. B. Pride, J. L. Buros, V. Kunadian, M. C. Southard, C. J. Harrigan, L. N. Ciaglo, M. S. Sabatine, C. P. Cannon and E. Braunwald *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 1232-8
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18435949

Primary PCI in ST-segment elevation myocardial infarction S. W. Glickman, K. A. Schulman and C. B. Cairns *N Engl J Med* (2008) 358; 1751-2; author reply 52-3
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18426001

Primary percutaneous coronary intervention V. Gurewich *N Engl J Med* (2008) 358; 431-2; author reply 32-3
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18219753

The relative safety and efficacy of abciximab and eptifibatid in patients undergoing primary percutaneous coronary intervention: insights from a large regional registry of contemporary percutaneous coronary intervention H. S. Gurm, D. E. Smith, J. S. Collins, D. Share, A. Riba, A. J. Carter, T. LaLonde, E. Kline-Rogers, M. O'Donnell, H. Changezi, M. Zughuib, R. Safian and M. Moscucci *J Am Coll Cardiol* (2008) 51; 529-35
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18237680

Relation of left ventricular infarct transmural and infarct size after primary percutaneous coronary angioplasty to time from symptom onset to balloon inflation J. Y. Hahn, Y. B. Song, H. C. Gwon, Y. H. Choe, J. H. Kim, J. Sung, S. H. Choi, J. H. Choi, D. K. Kim, K. P. Hong, J. E. Park and S. H. Lee *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 102; 1163-9
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18940285

Usefulness of peak troponin-T to predict infarct size and long-term outcome in patients with first acute myocardial infarction after primary percutaneous coronary intervention A. K. Hassan, S. C. Bergheanu, H. Hasan-Ali, S. S. Liem, A. van der Laarse, R. Wolterbeek, D. E. Atsma, M. J. Schalij and J. W. Jukema *Am J Cardiol* (2009) 103;

779-84

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=19268731

Time to take myocardial reperfusion injury seriously D. J. Hausenloy and D. M. Yellon *N Engl J Med* (2008) 359; 518-20

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18669431

Usefulness of 64-detector computed tomographic angiography for diagnosing in-stent restenosis in native coronary arteries H. S. Hecht, M. Zaric, V. Jelnin, L. Lubarsky, M. Prakash and G. Roubin *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 820-4

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18328847

Comparison of multislice computed tomography to gated single-photon emission computed tomography for imaging of healed myocardial infarcts M. M. Henneman, J. D. Schuijff, P. Dibbets-Schneider, M. P. Stokkel, R. J. van der Geest, E. E. van der Wall and J. J. Bax *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 144-8

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18178396

Intracoronary infusion of autologous mononuclear bone marrow cells in patients with acute myocardial infarction treated with primary PCI: Pilot study of the multicenter HEBE trial A. Hirsch, R. Nijveldt, P. A. van der Vleuten, R. A. Tio, W. J. van der Giessen, K. M. Marques, P. A. Doevendans, J. Waltenberger, J. M. Ten Berg, W. R.

Aengevaeren, B. J. Biemond, J. G. Tijssen, A. C. van Rossum, J. J. Piek and F. Zijlstra *Catheter Cardiovasc Interv* (2008) 71; 273-81

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18288734

Relation of a coronary artery calcium score higher than 400 to coronary stenoses detected using multidetector computed tomography and to traditional cardiovascular risk factors J. S. Ho, S. J. Fitzgerald, L. L. Stolfus, W. A. Wade, D. B. Reinhardt, C. E. Barlow and J. J. Cannaday *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 1444-7

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18471456

Incidence of death and acute myocardial infarction associated with stopping clopidogrel after acute coronary syndrome P. M. Ho, E. D. Peterson, L. Wang, D. J. Magid, S. D. Fihn, G. C. Larsen, R. A. Jesse and J. S. Rumsfeld *JAMA* (2008) 299; 532-9

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18252883

A three-vessel virtual histology intravascular ultrasound analysis of frequency and distribution of thin-cap fibroatheromas in patients with acute coronary syndrome or stable angina pectoris M. K. Hong, G. S. Mintz, C. W. Lee, J. W. Lee, J. H. Park, D. W. Park, S. W. Lee, Y. H. Kim, S. S. Cheong, J. J. Kim, S. W. Park and S. J. Park *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 568-72

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18308000

Late target lesion revascularization after implantation of sirolimus-eluting stent M. K. Hong, G. S. Mintz, C. W. Lee, D. W. Park, S. W. Lee, Y. H. Kim, I. H. Jung, S. H. Kim, S.

S. Cheong, J. J. Kim, S. W. Park and S. J. Park Catheter Cardiovasc Interv (2008) 71; 299-303
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=17985380

Cardiovascular outcomes after a change in prescription policy for clopidogrel C. A. Jackevicius, J. V. Tu, V. Demers, M. Melo, J. Cox, S. Rinfret, D. Kalavrouziotis, H. Johansen, H. Behlouli, A. Newman and L. Pilote N Engl J Med (2008) 359; 1802-10
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18946065

A randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled study of the safety and efficacy of intravenous MCC-135 as an adjunct to primary percutaneous coronary intervention in patients with acute myocardial infarction: Evaluation of MCC-135 for left ventricular salvage in acute myocardial infarction (EVOLVE) I. K. Jang, N. J. Weissman, M. H. Picard, M. R. Zile, V. Pettigrew, S. Shen, J. Tatsuno, M. G. Hibberd, D. Tzivoni and F. J. Wackers Am Heart J (2008) 155; 113 e1-8
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18082500

Adjunct thrombus aspiration reduces mortality in patients undergoing percutaneous coronary intervention for ST-elevation myocardial infarction with high-risk angiographic characteristics A. Javaid, N. H. Siddiqi, D. H. Steinberg, A. N. Buch, T. L. Slottow, P. Roy, S. Sammee, T. Okabe, W. O. Suddath, K. M. Kent, L. F. Satler, A. D. Pichard, K. Smith, Z. Xue, J. Lindsay, Jr. and R. Waksman Am J Cardiol (2008) 101; 452-6
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18312756

Comparison of intravascular ultrasound and angiographic assessment of coronary reference segment size in patients with type 2 diabetes mellitus L. O. Jensen, P. Thayssen, G. S. Mintz, R. Egede, M. Maeng, A. Junker, A. Galloee, E. H. Christiansen, K. E. Pedersen, H. S. Hansen and K. N. Hansen Am J Cardiol (2008) 101; 590-5
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18308004

Randomized comparison of adjunctive cilostazol versus high maintenance dose clopidogrel in patients with high post-treatment platelet reactivity: results of the ACCEL-RESISTANCE (Adjunctive Cilostazol Versus High Maintenance Dose Clopidogrel in Patients With Clopidogrel Resistance) randomized study Y. H. Jeong, S. W. Lee, B. R. Choi, I. S. Kim, M. K. Seo, C. H. Kwak, J. Y. Hwang and S. W. Park J Am Coll Cardiol (2009) 53; 1101-9
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=19324253

Primary percutaneous coronary intervention R. Kapoor and J. R. Kapoor N Engl J Med (2008) 358; 431; author reply 32-3
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18216369

Randomized comparison of distal protection versus conventional treatment in primary percutaneous coronary intervention: the drug elution and distal protection in ST-elevation myocardial infarction (DEDICATION) trial H. Kelbaek, C. J. Terkelsen, S. Helqvist, J. F. Lassen, P. Clemmensen, L. Klovgaard, A. Kaltoft, T. Engstrom, H. E.

Botker, K. Saunamaki, L. R. Krusell, E. Jorgensen, H. H. Hansen, E. H. Christiansen, J. Ravkilde, L. Kober, K. F. Kofoed and L. Thuesen *J Am Coll Cardiol* (2008) 51; 899-905
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18308157

A percutaneous coronary intervention-thrombolytic predictive instrument to assist choosing between immediate thrombolytic therapy versus delayed primary percutaneous coronary intervention for acute myocardial infarction D. M. Kent, R. Ruthazer, J. L. Griffith, J. R. Beshansky, T. W. Concannon, T. Aversano, C. L. Grines, R. J. Zalenski and H. P. Selker *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 790-5

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18328842

Impact of body mass index on the one-year clinical outcome of patients undergoing multivessel revascularization with sirolimus-eluting stents (from the Arterial Revascularization Therapies Study Part II) A. A. Khatlab, J. Daemen, G. Richardt, P. Rioux, F. W. Amann, R. Levy, I. G. Horvath, R. C. Teles, F. Ordoubadi, M. Pieters, K. Wittebols, H. P. Stoll and P. W. Serruys *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 1550-9

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18489932

Meta-analysis of the effects of paclitaxel-eluting stents versus bare metal stents on volumetric intravascular ultrasound in patients with versus without diabetes mellitus M. Kimura, G. S. Mintz, N. J. Weissman, K. D. Dawkins, E. Grube, S. G. Ellis, L. A. Cannon, Z. Masud, L. Mandinov, D. Baim and G. W. Stone *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 1263-8

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18435955

Comparison of coronary flow reserve and fractional flow reserve in patients with versus without diabetes mellitus and having elective percutaneous coronary intervention and abciximab therapy (from the PREDICT Trial) A. S. Kini, M. C. Kim, P. R. Moreno, P. Krishnan, O. C. Ivan and S. K. Sharma *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 796-800

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18328843

Glucometrics in patients hospitalized with acute myocardial infarction: defining the optimal outcomes-based measure of risk M. Kosiborod, S. E. Inzucchi, H. M. Krumholz, L. Xiao, P. G. Jones, S. Fiske, F. A. Masoudi, S. P. Marso and J. A. Spertus *Circulation* (2008) 117; 1018-27

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18268145

Presence of older thrombus is an independent predictor of long-term mortality in patients with ST-elevation myocardial infarction treated with thrombus aspiration during primary percutaneous coronary intervention M. C. Kramer, A. C. van der Wal, K. T. Koch, J. P. Ploegmakers, R. J. van der Schaaf, J. P. Henriques, J. Baan, Jr., S. Z. Rittersma, M. M. Vis, J. J. Piek, J. G. Tijssen and R. J. de Winter *Circulation* (2008) 118; 1810-6

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18852369

External validation of established risk adjustment models for procedural complications after percutaneous coronary intervention B. Kunadian, J. Dunning, R. Das, A. P.

Roberts, R. Morley, A. J. Turley, D. Twomey, J. A. Hall, R. A. Wright, A. G. Sutton, D. F. Muir and M. A. de Belder *Heart* (2008) 94; 1012-8

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18032457

Incidence and prognostic implication of unrecognized myocardial scar characterized by cardiac magnetic resonance in diabetic patients without clinical evidence of myocardial infarction R. Y. Kwong, H. Sattar, H. Wu, G. Vorobiof, V. Gandla, K. Steel, S. Siu and K. A. Brown *Circulation* (2008) 118; 1011-20

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18725488

A citywide protocol for primary PCI in ST-segment elevation myocardial infarction M. R. Le May, D. Y. So, R. Dionne, C. A. Glover, M. P. Froeschl, G. A. Wells, R. F. Davies, H. L. Sherrard, J. Maloney, J. F. Marquis, E. R. O'Brien, J. Trickett, P. Poirier, S. C. Ryan, A. Ha, P. G. Joseph and M. Labinaz *N Engl J Med* (2008) 358; 231-40

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18199862

Drug-eluting stenting followed by cilostazol treatment reduces late restenosis in patients with diabetes mellitus the DECLARE-DIABETES Trial (A Randomized Comparison of Triple Antiplatelet Therapy with Dual Antiplatelet Therapy After Drug-Eluting Stent Implantation in Diabetic Patients) S. W. Lee, S. W. Park, Y. H. Kim, S. C. Yun, D. W. Park, C. W. Lee, M. K. Hong, H. S. Kim, J. K. Ko, J. H. Park, J. H. Lee, S. W. Choi, I. W. Seong, Y. H. Cho, N. H. Lee, J. H. Kim, K. J. Chun and S. J. Park *J Am Coll Cardiol* (2008) 51; 1181-7

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18355656

A randomized comparison of sirolimus- versus Paclitaxel-eluting stent implantation in patients with diabetes mellitus S. W. Lee, S. W. Park, Y. H. Kim, S. C. Yun, D. W. Park, C. W. Lee, M. K. Hong, K. S. Rhee, J. K. Chae, J. K. Ko, J. H. Park, J. H. Lee, S. W. Choi, J. O. Jeong, I. W. Seong, Y. H. Cho, N. H. Lee, J. H. Kim, K. J. Chun, H. S. Kim and S. J. Park *J Am Coll Cardiol* (2008) 52; 727-33

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18718419

Emergency percutaneous coronary intervention in patients with ST-elevation myocardial infarction complicated by out-of-hospital cardiac arrest: early and medium-term outcome C. Lettieri, S. Savonitto, S. De Servi, G. Guagliumi, G. Belli, A. Repetto, E. Piccaluga, A. Politi, F. Etori, B. Castiglioni, F. Fabbicchi, N. De Cesare, G. Sangiorgi, G. Musumeci, M. Onofri, M. D'Urbano, S. Pirelli, R. Zanini and S. Klugmann *Am Heart J* (2009) 157; 569-75 e1

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=19249431

Effect of previous treatment with statins on outcome of patients with ST-segment elevation myocardial infarction treated with primary percutaneous coronary intervention E. I. Lev, R. Kornowski, H. Vaknin-Assa, I. Ben-Dor, D. Brosh, I. Teplitzky, S. Fuchs, A. Battler and A. Assali *Am J Cardiol* (2009) 103; 165-9

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=19121430

Effect of clopidogrel pretreatment on angiographic and clinical outcomes in patients undergoing primary percutaneous coronary intervention for ST-elevation acute myocardial infarction E. I. Lev, R. Kornowski, H. Vaknin-Assa, D. Brosh, S. Fuchs, A. Battler and A. Assali *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 435-9
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18312753

Comparison of the predictive value of four different risk scores for outcomes of patients with ST-elevation acute myocardial infarction undergoing primary percutaneous coronary intervention E. I. Lev, R. Kornowski, H. Vaknin-Assa, A. Porter, I. Teplitsky, I. Ben-Dor, D. Brosh, S. Fuchs, A. Battler and A. Assali *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 102; 6-11
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18572028

Effect of thrombus aspiration on infarct size and left ventricular function in high-risk patients with acute myocardial infarction treated by percutaneous coronary intervention. Results of a prospective controlled pilot study J. Lipiecki, S. Monzy, N. Durel, F. Cachin, P. Chabrot, A. Muliez, D. Morand, J. Maublant and J. Ponsonnaille *Am Heart J* (2009) 157; 583 e1-7
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=19249433

Reperfusion ventricular arrhythmia 'bursts' predict larger infarct size despite TIMI 3 flow restoration with primary angioplasty for anterior ST-elevation myocardial infarction M. Majidi, A. S. Kosinski, S. M. Al-Khatib, M. E. Lemmert, L. Smolders, A. van Weert, J. H. Reiber, D. Tzivoni, F. W. Bar, H. J. Wellens, A. P. Gorgels and M. W. Krucoff *Eur Heart J* (2009) 30; 757-64
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=19202155

Outcomes following coronary stenting in the era of bare-metal vs the era of drug-eluting stents D. J. Malenka, A. V. Kaplan, F. L. Lucas, S. M. Sharp and J. S. Skinner *JAMA* (2008) 299; 2868-76
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18577731

Effect of percutaneous coronary intervention on coronary blood flow at rest in myocardial sites remote from the intervention site in patients with stable angina pectoris O. Manfrini, M. Slucca, C. Pizzi, A. Colombo, M. Viecca and R. Bugiardini *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 776-9
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18328839

Usefulness of 64-detector row computed tomography for evaluation of intracoronary stents in symptomatic patients with suspected in-stent restenosis N. Manghat, R. Van Lingen, P. Hewson, F. Syed, N. Kakani, I. Cox, C. Roobottom and G. Morgan-Hughes *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 1567-73
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18489934

Comparison of effectiveness and safety of sirolimus-eluting stents versus bare-metal stents in patients with diabetes mellitus (from the Italian Multicenter Randomized DESSERT Study) A. Maresta, E. Varani, M. Balducelli, F. Varbella, C. Lettieri, L.

Uguccioni, P. Sangiorgio and G. B. Zoccai *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 1560-6
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18489933

Randomized comparison between tirofiban and abciximab to promote complete ST-resolution in primary angioplasty: results of the facilitated angioplasty with tirofiban or abciximab (FATA) in ST-elevation myocardial infarction trial A. Marzocchi, A. Manari, G. Piovaccari, C. Marrozzini, S. Marra, P. Magnavacchi, P. Sangiorgio, L. Marinucci, N. Taglieri, G. Gordini, N. Binetti, V. Guiducci, N. Franco, M. L. Reggiani and F. Saia *Eur Heart J* (2008) 29; 2972-80

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18940887

Abciximab in Patients With Acute ST-Segment-Elevation Myocardial Infarction Undergoing Primary Percutaneous Coronary Intervention After Clopidogrel Loading. A Randomized Double-Blind Trial J. Mehilli, A. Kastrati, S. Schulz, S. Frungel, S. G. Nekolla, W. Moshage, F. Dotzer, K. Huber, J. Pache, J. Dirschinger, M. Seyfarth, S. Martinoff, M. Schwaiger and A. Schomig *Circulation* (2009)

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=19332467

Necrotic core and its ratio to dense calcium are predictors of high-risk non-ST-elevation acute coronary syndrome E. Missel, G. S. Mintz, S. G. Carlier, K. Sano, J. Qian, R. K. Kaple, C. Castellanos, G. Dangas, R. Mehran, J. W. Moses, G. W. Stone and M. B. Leon *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 573-8

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18308001

Thrombus aspiration during primary percutaneous coronary intervention F. P. Mongeon, M. J. Eisenberg and S. Rinfret *N Engl J Med* (2008) 358; 2639-40; author reply 40-1

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18550880

Antithrombotic therapy to support primary PCI D. A. Morrow *N Engl J Med* (2008) 358; 2280-2

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18499573

Effectiveness of drug-eluting stents in real-world patients D. Mukherjee and D. J. Moliterno *JAMA* (2008) 299; 454-5

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18230785

Impact of intramural thrombus in coronary arteries on the accuracy of tissue characterization by in vivo intravascular ultrasound radiofrequency data analysis K. Nasu, E. Tsuchikane, O. Katoh, D. G. Vince, P. M. Margolis, R. Virmani, J. F. Surmely, M. Ehara, Y. Kinoshita, H. Fujita, M. Kimura, K. Asakura, Y. Asakura, T. Matsubara, M. Terashima and T. Suzuki *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 1079-83

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18394436

Mechanical reperfusion and long-term mortality in patients with acute myocardial infarction presenting 12 to 48 hours from onset of symptoms G. Ndrepepa, A. Kastrati, J. Mehilli, D. Antoniucci and A. Schomig *JAMA* (2009) 301; 487-8

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=19190313

Plasma levels of thromboxane A2 on admission are associated with no-reflow after primary percutaneous coronary intervention G. Niccoli, S. Giubilato, E. Russo, C. Spaziani, A. Leo, I. Porto, A. M. Leone, F. Burzotta, S. Riondino, F. Pulcinelli, L. M. Biasucci and F. Crea *Eur Heart J* (2008) 29; 1843-50

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18617477

Prognostic importance of creatine kinase and creatine kinase-MB after primary percutaneous coronary intervention for ST-elevation myocardial infarction M. B. Nienhuis, J. P. Ottervanger, M. J. de Boer, J. H. Dambrink, J. C. Hoorntje, A. T. Gosselink, H. Suryapranata and A. W. van't Hof *Am Heart J* (2008) 155; 673-9

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18371475

Usefulness of the neutrophil to lymphocyte ratio in predicting long-term mortality in ST segment elevation myocardial infarction J. Nunez, E. Nunez, V. Bodi, J. Sanchis, G. Minana, L. Mainar, E. Santas, P. Merlos, E. Rumiz, H. Darmofal, A. M. Heatta and A. Llacer *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 747-52

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18328833

Early invasive vs conservative treatment strategies in women and men with unstable angina and non-ST-segment elevation myocardial infarction: a meta-analysis M.

O'Donoghue, W. E. Boden, E. Braunwald, C. P. Cannon, T. C. Clayton, R. J. de Winter, K. A. Fox, B. Lagerqvist, P. A. McCullough, S. A. Murphy, R. Spacek, E. Swahn, L. Wallentin, F. Windhausen and M. S. Sabatine *JAMA* (2008) 300; 71-80

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18594042

C-reactive protein, infarct size, microvascular obstruction, and left-ventricular remodelling following acute myocardial infarction S. Orn, C. Manhenke, T. Ueland, J. K. Damas, T. E. Mollnes, T. Edvardsen, P. Aukrust and K. Dickstein *Eur Heart J* (2009)

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=19299430

Impact of renal insufficiency on angiographic, procedural, and in-hospital outcomes following percutaneous coronary intervention M. D. Osten, J. Ivanov, J. Eichhofer, P. H. Seidelin, J. R. Ross, A. Barolet, E. M. Horlick, D. Ing, L. Schwartz, K. Mackie and V. Dzavik *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 780-5

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18328840

Relation between plasma adiponectin, high-sensitivity C-reactive protein, and coronary plaque components in patients with acute coronary syndrome H. Otake, J. Shite, T. Shinke, S. Watanabe, Y. Tanino, D. Ogasawara, T. Sawada, K. Hirata and M. Yokoyama *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 1-7

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18157956

Treatment delay in patients undergoing primary percutaneous coronary intervention for ST-elevation myocardial infarction: a key process analysis of patient and program

factors S. V. Parikh, J. A. Jacobi, E. Chu, T. A. Addo, J. J. Warner, K. A. Delaney, D. K. McGuire, J. A. deLemos, J. E. Cigarroa, S. A. Murphy and E. C. Keeley *Am Heart J* (2008) 155; 290-7

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18215599

Long-term mortality after percutaneous coronary intervention with drug-eluting stent implantation versus coronary artery bypass surgery for the treatment of multivessel coronary artery disease D. W. Park, S. C. Yun, S. W. Lee, Y. H. Kim, C. W. Lee, M. K. Hong, J. J. Kim, S. J. Choo, H. Song, C. H. Chung, J. W. Lee, S. W. Park and S. J. Park *Circulation* (2008) 117; 2079-86

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18413495

Current status of percutaneous coronary intervention with drug-eluting stents in Asia S. J. Park and Y. H. Kim *Circulation* (2008) 118; 2730-7

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=19106397

Comparison of six-month outcomes for primary percutaneous revascularization for acute myocardial infarction with drug-eluting versus bare metal stents (from the APEX-AMI study) M. R. Patel, M. E. Pfisterer, A. Betriu, P. Widmisky, D. R. Holmes, Jr., W. W. O'Neill, A. Stebbins, F. Van de Werf, P. W. Armstrong and C. B. Granger *Am J Cardiol* (2009) 103; 181-6

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=19121433

Disparities in use of same-day percutaneous coronary intervention for patients with ST-elevation myocardial infarction in Florida, 2001-2005 E. B. Pathak and J. A. Strom *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 102; 802-8

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18805101

Outcome in transferred and nontransferred patients after primary percutaneous coronary intervention for ischaemic out-of-hospital cardiac arrest H. O. Peels, G. A. Jessurun, I. C. van der Horst, A. E. Arnold, L. H. Piers and F. Zijlstra *Catheter Cardiovasc Interv* (2008) 71; 147-51

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18231992

Comparing invasive and noninvasive management strategies for acute myocardial infarction using administrative databases L. Pilote, C. A. Beck, M. J. Eisenberg, K. Humphries, L. Joseph, J. R. Penrod and J. V. Tu *Am Heart J* (2008) 155; 42-8

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18082487

Prognostic value of normal adenosine-stress cardiac magnetic resonance imaging G. Pilz, A. Jeske, M. Klos, E. Ali, B. Hoefling, R. Scheck and P. Bernhardt *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 1408-12

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18471450

Head to head comparison between perfusion and function during accelerated high-dose dipyridamole magnetic resonance stress for the detection of coronary artery disease A.

Pingitore, M. Lombardi, B. Scattini, D. De Marchi, G. D. Aquaro, V. Positano and E. Picano *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 8-14

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18157957

Association of blood glucose with angiographic and clinical outcomes among patients with ST-segment elevation myocardial infarction (from the CLARITY-TIMI-28 study) D. S. Pinto, A. J. Kirtane, Y. B. Pride, S. A. Murphy, M. S. Sabatine, C. P. Cannon and C. M. Gibson *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 303-7

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18237589

Long-term (>3 Years) outcome and predictors of clinical events after insertion of sirolimus-eluting stent in one or more native coronary arteries (from the Israeli arm of the e-Cypher registry) D. Planer, R. Beyar, Y. Almagor, S. Banai, V. Guetta, H. Miller, R. Kornowski, S. Brandes, R. Krakover, M. Solomon and C. Lotan *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 953-9

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18359314

Impaired fasting glucose and outcomes of ST-elevation acute coronary syndrome treated with primary percutaneous intervention among patients without previously known diabetes mellitus A. Porter, A. R. Assali, A. Zahalka, Z. Iakobishvili, D. Brosh, E. I. Lev, A. Mager, A. Battler, R. Kornowski and D. Hasdai *Am Heart J* (2008) 155; 284-9

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18215598

Primary percutaneous coronary intervention for acute myocardial infarction caused by unprotected left main stem thrombosis S. B. Prasad, R. Whitbourn, Y. Malaiapan, W. Ahmar, A. MacIsaac and I. T. Meredith *Catheter Cardiovasc Interv* (2009) 73; 301-7

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=19213083

Short- and long-term outcomes after stent-assisted percutaneous treatment of saphenous vein grafts in the drug-eluting stent era T. Pucelikova, R. Mehran, A. J. Kirtane, Y. H. Kim, M. Fahy, G. Weisz, A. J. Lansky, I. Moussa, W. A. Gray, M. B. Collins, S. K. Kodali, G. W. Stone, J. W. Moses, M. B. Leon and G. Dangas *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 63-8

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18157967

Platelet inhibition by aspirin 81 and 325 mg/day in men versus women without clinically apparent cardiovascular disease R. Qayyum, D. M. Becker, L. R. Yanek, T. F. Moy, L. C. Becker, N. Faraday and D. Vaidya *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 1359-63

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18435972

Usefulness of cardiac magnetic resonance imaging combined with low-dose dobutamine stress to detect an abnormal ventricular stress response in children and young adults after fontan operation at young age D. Robbers-Visser, D. Jan Ten Harkel, L. Kapusta, J. L. Strengers, M. Dalinghaus, F. J. Meijboom, P. M. Pattynama, A. J. Bogers and W. A. Helbing *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 1657-62

<http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation>

n&list_uids=18489947

Impact of "off-label" utilization of drug-eluting stents on clinical outcomes in patients undergoing percutaneous coronary intervention P. Roy, A. N. Buch, A. Javaid, T. Okabe, V. Raya, T. L. Pinto Slottow, D. H. Steinberg, K. Smith, Z. Xue, N. Gevorkian, L. F. Satler, K. M. Kent, W. O. Suddath, A. D. Pichard, J. Lindsay and R. Waksman *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 293-9

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18237587

Thrombus aspiration during primary percutaneous coronary intervention improves myocardial reperfusion and reduces infarct size: the EXPIRA (thrombectomy with export catheter in infarct-related artery during primary percutaneous coronary intervention) prospective, randomized trial G. Sardella, M. Mancone, C. Bucciarelli-Ducci, L. Agati, R. Scardala, I. Carbone, M. Francone, A. Di Roma, G. Benedetti, G. Conti and F. Fedele *J Am Coll Cardiol* (2009) 53; 309-15

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=19161878

The effect of thrombectomy on myocardial blush in primary angioplasty: the Randomized Evaluation of Thrombus Aspiration by two thrombectomy devices in acute Myocardial Infarction (RETAMI) trial G. Sardella, M. Mancone, B. L. Nguyen, L. De Luca, A. Di Roma, R. Colantonio, A. Petrolini, G. Conti and F. Fedele *Catheter Cardiovasc Interv* (2008) 71; 84-91

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=17985382

Assessment of changes in non-calcified atherosclerotic plaque volume in the left main and left anterior descending coronary arteries over time by 64-slice computed tomography M. Schmid, S. Achenbach, D. Ropers, S. Komatsu, U. Ropers, W. G. Daniel and T. Pfleiderer *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 579-84

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18308002

Contact-to-balloon time and door-to-balloon time after initiation of a formalized data feedback in patients with acute ST-elevation myocardial infarction K. H. Scholz, R. Hilgers, D. Ahlersmann, H. Duwald, R. Nitsche, G. von Knobelsdorff, B. Volger, K. Moller and F. K. Keating *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 46-52

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18157964

Outcome after primary percutaneous intervention in acute myocardial infarction: role of microcirculatory perfusion -- a crucial piece in the puzzle R. Senior *Eur Heart J* (2009) 30; 530-1

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=19193674

Gender differences in the management and prognosis of myocardial infarction among patients > or = 65 years of age S. Setoguchi, D. H. Solomon, R. Levin and W. C. Winkelmayer *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 1531-6

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18489928

Outcomes and quality of life in patients > or = 85 years of age with ST-elevation

myocardial infarction P. Shah, A. H. Najafi, J. A. Panza and H. A. Cooper *Am J Cardiol* (2009) 103; 170-4

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=19121431

Ethnicity and left ventricular diastolic function in hypertension an ASCOT (Anglo-Scandinavian Cardiac Outcomes Trial) substudy A. Sharp, R. Tapp, D. P. Francis, G. T. S. A. Mc, A. D. Hughes, A. V. Stanton, A. Zambanini, N. Chaturvedi, S. Byrd, N. R. Poulter, P. S. Sever and J. Mayet *J Am Coll Cardiol* (2008) 52; 1015-21

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18786484

Emerging cardiovascular risk factors that account for a significant portion of attributable mortality risk in chronic kidney disease M. H. Shishehbor, L. P. Oliveira, M. S. Lauer, D. L. Sprecher, K. Wolski, L. Cho, B. J. Hoogwerf and S. L. Hazen *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 1741-6

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18549850

Comparison of usefulness of C-reactive protein versus white blood cell count to predict outcome after primary percutaneous coronary intervention for ST elevation myocardial infarction J. J. Smit, J. P. Ottervanger, R. J. Slingerland, J. J. Kolkman, H. Suryapranata, J. C. Hoorntje, J. H. Dambrink, A. T. Gosselink, M. J. de Boer, F. Zijlstra and A. W. van 't Hof *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 446-51

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18312755

Surgery, not percutaneous revascularization, is the preferred strategy for patients with significant left main coronary stenosis C. R. Smith *Circulation* (2009) 119; 1013-20

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=19237672

Adjunctive thrombectomy and distal protection in primary percutaneous coronary intervention: impact on microvascular perfusion and outcomes M. Srinivasan, C. Rihal, D. R. Holmes and A. Prasad *Circulation* (2009) 119; 1311-9

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=19273732

Devices to protect against embolization during primary angioplasty for ST-segment elevation myocardial infarction: the good, the bad and the ugly P. G. Steg and G. Ducrocq *Eur Heart J* (2008) 29; 2953-4

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18952611

High dose adenosine for suboptimal myocardial reperfusion after primary PCI: A randomized placebo-controlled pilot study M. G. Stoel, K. M. Marques, C. C. de Cock, J. G. Bronzwaer, C. von Birgelen and F. Zijlstra *Catheter Cardiovasc Interv* (2008) 71; 283-9

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=17985384

Aspiration of embolized thrombus during primary percutaneous coronary intervention M. G. Stoel, C. von Birgelen and F. Zijlstra *Catheter Cardiovasc Interv* (2008)

<http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation>

n&list_uids=19180655

Angioplasty strategies in ST-segment-elevation myocardial infarction: part I: primary percutaneous coronary intervention G. W. Stone *Circulation* (2008) 118; 538-51
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18663102

Comparison of an everolimus-eluting stent and a paclitaxel-eluting stent in patients with coronary artery disease: a randomized trial G. W. Stone, M. Midei, W. Newman, M. Sanz, J. B. Hermiller, J. Williams, N. Farhat, K. W. Mahaffey, D. E. Cutlip, P. J. Fitzgerald, P. Sood, X. Su and A. J. Lansky *JAMA* (2008) 299; 1903-13
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18430909

Bivalirudin during primary PCI in acute myocardial infarction G. W. Stone, B. Witzensichler, G. Guagliumi, J. Z. Peruga, B. R. Brodie, D. Dudek, R. Kornowski, F. Hartmann, B. J. Gersh, S. J. Pocock, G. Dangas, S. C. Wong, A. J. Kirtane, H. Parise and R. Mehran *N Engl J Med* (2008) 358; 2218-30
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18499566

Thrombus aspiration during primary percutaneous coronary intervention T. Svilaas, P. J. Vlaar, I. C. van der Horst, G. F. Diercks, B. J. de Smet, A. F. van den Heuvel, R. L. Anthonio, G. A. Jessurun, E. S. Tan, A. J. Suurmeijer and F. Zijlstra *N Engl J Med* (2008) 358; 557-67
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18256391

Primary percutaneous coronary intervention S. Szabo, T. Oikonomopoulos and H. M. Hoffmeister *N Engl J Med* (2008) 358; 432; author reply 32-3
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18219754

Effectiveness of primary percutaneous coronary intervention for acute ST-elevation myocardial infarction from a 5-year single-center experience S. Tadel-Kocjancic, S. Zorman, A. Jazbec, V. Gorjup, D. Zorman and M. Noc *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 162-8
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18178400

Left ventricular function after ST-elevation myocardial infarction in patients treated with primary percutaneous coronary intervention and abciximab or tirofiban (from the Facilitated Angioplasty with Tirofiban or Abciximab [FATA] Trial) N. Taglieri, F. Saia, V. Guiducci, S. Tondi, F. Conrotto, C. Marrozzini, G. Rocchi, E. Biagini, M. L. Reggiani, P. Giacometti, G. Piovaccari, A. Manari and A. Marzocchi *Am J Cardiol* (2009) 103; 785-90
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=19268732

Eighteen year (1985-2002) analysis of incidence, mortality, and cardiac procedure outcomes of acute myocardial infarction in patients > or = 65 years of age S. M. Tahir, L. L. Price, P. B. Shah and F. G. Welt *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 930-6
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18359310

Meta-analysis of four randomized controlled trials on long-term outcomes of coronary artery bypass grafting versus percutaneous coronary intervention with stenting for

multivessel coronary artery disease H. Takagi, N. Kawai and T. Umemoto *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 1259-62

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18435954

In vivo comparison of optical coherence tomography and angiography for the evaluation of coronary plaque characteristics M. Takano, I. K. Jang, S. Inami, M. Yamamoto, D. Murakami, K. Okamoto, K. Seimiya, T. Ohba and K. Mizuno *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 471-6

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18312760

Primary PCI in ST-segment elevation myocardial infarction J. W. Tam, K. M. Bhagirath and R. K. Philipp *N Engl J Med* (2008) 358; 1752; author reply 52-3

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18426002

Outcome of percutaneous intrapericardial fibrin-glue injection therapy for left ventricular free wall rupture secondary to acute myocardial infarction M. Terashima, S. Fujiwara, G. Y. Yaginuma, K. Takizawa, U. Kaneko and T. Meguro *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 419-21

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18312750

Primary PCI as the preferred reperfusion therapy in STEMI: it is a matter of time C. J. Terkelsen, E. H. Christiansen, J. T. Sorensen, S. D. Kristensen, J. F. Lassen, L.

Thuesen, H. R. Andersen, W. Vach and T. T. Nielsen *Heart* (2009) 95; 362-9

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=19218262

Intracoronary compared with intravenous bolus abciximab application in patients with ST-elevation myocardial infarction undergoing primary percutaneous coronary intervention: the randomized Leipzig immediate percutaneous coronary intervention abciximab IV versus IC in ST-elevation myocardial infarction trial H. Thiele, K. Schindler, J. Friedenberger, I. Eitel, G. Furnau, E. Grebe, S. Erbs, A. Linke, S. Mobius-Winkler, D. Kivelitz and G. Schuler *Circulation* (2008) 118; 49-57

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18559698

Usefulness of persistent symptoms of depression to predict physical health status 12 months after an acute coronary syndrome B. D. Thombs, R. C. Ziegelstein, D. E.

Stewart, S. E. Abbey, K. Parakh and S. L. Grace *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 15-9

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18157958

Factors associated with off-label use of drug-eluting stents in patients with ST-elevation myocardial infarction H. H. Ting, M. T. Roe, B. J. Gersh, J. A. Spertus, J. S. Rumsfeld, F. S. Ou, J. Kao, K. H. Long, D. R. Holmes, Jr. and E. D. Peterson *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 286-92

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18237586

Thrombus aspiration during primary percutaneous coronary intervention H. Tomoda, N. Izumi and N. Aoki *N Engl J Med* (2008) 358; 2640; author reply 40-1

<http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation>

n&list_uids=18557171

Comparison of low-fat versus Mediterranean-style dietary intervention after first myocardial infarction (from The Heart Institute of Spokane Diet Intervention and Evaluation Trial) K. R. Tuttle, L. A. Shuler, D. P. Packard, J. E. Milton, K. B. Daratha, D. M. Bibus and R. A. Short *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 1523-30

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18489927

Comparison of Troponin T to creatine kinase and to radionuclide cardiac imaging infarct size in patients with ST-elevation myocardial infarction undergoing primary angioplasty D. Tzivoni, D. Koukoui, V. Guetta, L. Novack and G. Cowing *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 753-7

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18328834

Thrombus aspiration during primary percutaneous coronary intervention B. F. Uretsky *N Engl J Med* (2008) 358; 2639; author reply 40-1

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18557170

Comparison of angioplasty with infusion of tirofiban or abciximab and with implantation of sirolimus-eluting or uncoated stents for acute myocardial infarction: the MULTISTRATEGY randomized trial M. Valgimigli, G. Campo, G. Percoco, L. Bolognese, C. Vassanelli, S. Colangelo, N. de Cesare, A. E. Rodriguez, M. Ferrario, R. Moreno, T. Piva, I. Sheiban, G. Pasquetto, F. Prati, M. S. Nazzaro, G. Parrinello and R. Ferrari *JAMA* (2008) 299; 1788-99

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18375998

Anatomic correlates of a normal perfusion scan using 64-slice computed tomographic coronary angiography J. M. van Werkhoven, J. D. Schuijf, J. W. Jukema, L. J. Kroft, M. P. Stokkel, P. Dibbets-Schneider, G. Pundziute, A. J. Scholte, E. E. van der Wall and J. J. Bax *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 40-5

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18157963

Prehospital initiation of tirofiban in patients with ST-elevation myocardial infarction undergoing primary angioplasty (On-TIME 2): a multicentre, double-blind, randomised controlled trial A. W. Van't Hof, J. Ten Berg, T. Heesterhans, T. Dill, R. C. Funck, W. van Werkum, J. H. Dambrink, H. Suryapranata, G. van Houwelingen, J. P. Ottervanger, P. Stella, E. Giannitsis and C. Hamm *Lancet* (2008) 372; 537-46

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18707985

Impact on contrast, fluoroscopy, and catheter utilization from knowing the coronary artery bypass graft anatomy before diagnostic coronary angiography I. Varghese, D. M. Boatman, C. T. Peters, J. Daye, A. Haider, M. Roesle, S. Banerjee and E. S. Brilakis *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 1729-32

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18549848

Improving reperfusion in patients with myocardial infarction G. W. Vetovec *N Engl J Med* (2008) 358; 634-7

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18256399

Long-term outcomes with drug-eluting stents versus bare metal stents in the treatment of saphenous vein graft disease (results from the REgistro Regionale AngiopLastiche Emilia-Romagna registry) L. Vignali, F. Saia, A. Manari, A. Santarelli, A. Rubboli, E. Varani, G. Piovaccari, A. Menozzi, G. Percoco, A. Benassi, G. Rusticali, P. Marzaroli, P. Guastaroba, R. Grilli, A. Maresta and A. Marzocchi *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 947-52
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18359313

Impact of pretreatment with clopidogrel on initial patency and outcome in patients treated with primary percutaneous coronary intervention for ST-segment elevation myocardial infarction: a systematic review P. J. Vlaar, T. Svilaas, K. Damman, B. J. de Smet, J. G. Tijssen, H. L. Hillege and F. Zijlstra *Circulation* (2008) 118; 1828-36
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18852370

Effects of oral testosterone treatment on myocardial perfusion and vascular function in men with low plasma testosterone and coronary heart disease C. M. Webb, A. G. Elkington, M. M. Kraidly, N. Keenan, D. J. Pennell and P. Collins *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 618-24

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18308009

Changes in unstable coronary atherosclerotic plaque composition after balloon angioplasty as determined by analysis of intravascular ultrasound radiofrequency H. Wei, F. Schiele, V. Descotes-Genon, J. Oettinger, N. Meneveau, M. F. Seronde, F. Ecarnot, J. Varini and J. P. Bassand *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 173-8

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18178402

Identifying the vulnerable patient with rupture-prone plaque H. S. Weintraub *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 3F-10F

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18549869

Long-term clinical outcomes after sirolimus-eluting stent implantation for treatment of restenosis within bare-metal versus drug-eluting stents C. Whan Lee, S. H. Kim, J. Suh, D. W. Park, S. H. Lee, Y. H. Kim, M. K. Hong, J. J. Kim, S. W. Park and S. J. Park *Catheter Cardiovasc Interv* (2008) 71; 594-8

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18311841

An early invasive strategy versus ischemia-guided management after fibrinolytic therapy for ST-segment elevation myocardial infarction: a meta-analysis of contemporary randomized controlled trials H. C. Wijeyesundera, J. J. You, B. K. Nallamothu, H. M. Krumholz, W. J. Cantor and D. T. Ko *Am Heart J* (2008) 156; 564-72, 72 e1-2

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18760142

Safety and feasibility of an intravascular optical coherence tomography image wire system in the clinical setting T. Yamaguchi, M. Terashima, T. Akasaka, T. Hayashi, K. Mizuno, T. Muramatsu, M. Nakamura, S. Nakamura, S. Saito, M. Takano, T. Takayama,

J. Yoshikawa and T. Suzuki *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 562-7

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18307999

Rates of stent thrombosis in bare-metal versus drug-eluting stents (from a large Australian multicenter registry) B. P. Yan, S. J. Duffy, D. J. Clark, J. Lefkovits, R. Warren, R. Gurvitch, R. Lew, M. Sebastian, A. Brennan, N. Andrianopoulos, C. M. Reid and A. E. Ajani *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 1716-22

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18549846

Usefulness of quantitative versus qualitative ST-segment depression for risk stratification of non-ST elevation acute coronary syndromes in contemporary clinical practice R. T. Yan, A. T. Yan, C. B. Granger, J. Lopez-Sendon, D. Brieger, B. Kennelly, A. Budaj, P. G. Steg, A. A. Georgescu, Q. Hassan and S. G. Goodman *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 919-24

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18359308

Development and validation of a total coronary heart disease risk score in type 2 diabetes mellitus X. Yang, W. Y. So, A. P. Kong, R. C. Ma, G. T. Ko, C. S. Ho, C. W. Lam, C. S. Cockram, J. C. Chan and P. C. Tong *Am J Cardiol* (2008) 101; 596-601

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/entrez/query.fcgi?cmd=Retrieve&db=PubMed&dopt=Citation&list_uids=18308005