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ECONOMIC EVALUATION

Value of Comprehensive HCV Treatment among Vulnerable, High-Risk Populations

Oliver Diaz Espinosa, Gigi A Moreno, Alice Wang, Yuri Sanchez Gonzalez, Brian R. Edlin, Ronald Brookmeyer, Diana K. Vania

In this article, the authors explore the trade-offs that society and payers make when expanding treatment access to patients with chronic hepatitis C virus infection in early stages of disease as well as to vulnerable, high-risk populations, such as people who inject drugs and men infected with human immunodeficiency virus who have sex with men.

BRIEF REPORTS

Challenges of Developing an Observable Parent-Reported Measure: A Qualitative Study of Functional Impact of ADHD in Children

Louis Matza, Mary Kay Margolis, Linda S. Deal, Kimberly F. Farrand, M. Haim Erder

This qualitative study explores the concept of observability using the example of childhood attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder.

DECISION-MAKER COMMENTARY

The Role of Patient-Reported Outcome Measures in Value-Based Payment Reform

Lee Squitieri, Kevin J. Bozic, Andrea L. Pusic

This commentary summarizes findings from the second annual Patient-Reported Outcomes in Healthcare Conference in the context of recent literature and guidelines to inform implementation of patient-reported outcomes in value-based payment models. Recommendations for evaluating key perspectives and measurement goals are made to facilitate appropriate use of patient-reported outcome measures to best benefit and amplify the voice of our patients.

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COMPARATIVE EFFECTIVENESS RESEARCH / HTA

What Is Real-World Data? A Review of Definitions Based on Literature and Stakeholder Interviews

Amr Makady, Anthonius de Boer, Hans Hillege, Olaf Klungel, Wim Goettsch

In this article, the authors aimed to review definitions publicly available for real-world data in order to shed light on similarities and differences between them.

Predicting Real-World Effectiveness of Cancer Therapies Using Overall Survival and Progression-Free Survival from Clinical Trials: Empirical Evidence for the ASCO Value Framework

Darius N. Lakdawalla, Jason Shafrin, Ningqi Hou, Desi Peneva, Jinhee Park, Jie Zhang, Ron Brookmeyer, Robert A. Figlin

This article measures the relationship between randomized clinical trial (RCT) efficacy and real-world effectiveness for oncology treatments as well as how this relationship varies depending on an RCT's use of surrogate versus overall survival endpoints.

HEALTH POLICY ANALYSIS

A Review of Empirical Analyses of Disinvestment Initiatives

James David Chambers, Mark Salem, Brittany D'Cruz, Prasun Subedi, Sachin J. Kamal-Bahl, Peter J. Neumann

The objective of this study was to perform a literature search using the PubMed database to identify international experience with disinvestment initiatives.

PATIENT-REPORTED OUTCOMES

Valid Outcome Measures in Care for Older People: Comparing the ASCOT and ICECAP-O

Mariska Quirina, Nikita Hackert, Job van Exel, Werner B.F. Brouwer

This is the first study in the United Kingdom to compare the validity of both measures.