

What's New

Electronic health knowledge awareness

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Cardiosource

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Current Clinical Collections

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JACC Online

To view the **Current Issue:**

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Chest

<http://www.chestjournal.org/>

View the **Current Issue**, for links to clinical investigations in the areas of critical care, chest medicine, lung cancer, cystic fibrosis, pulmonary rehabilitation, cardiology and surgery

British Cardiac Society

<http://www.bcs.com>

BSC News:

The Changing Burden of Valvular Heart Disease

Editorials include:

Abciximab in AMI:- Is Intra-coronary the way forward?

Is strain analysis the answer to improving the response to cardiac resynchronisation therapy?

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Heart Online

<http://heart.bmjournals.com/>

Current issue:

Current modalities for invasive and non-invasive monitoring of volume status in heart failure

Diagnosis and management of patients with acute cardiac symptoms, troponin elevation and culprit-free angiograms

Calcification of the abdominal aorta as an independent predictor of cardiovascular events: a meta-analysis

Latest Education in Heart:

Ischaemic heart disease: Angina pectoris in patients with normal coronary angiograms: current pathophysiological concepts and therapeutic options

Management of chronic total occlusion by percutaneous coronary intervention

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British Thoracic Society

<http://www.brit-thoracic.org.uk/>

Bronchiectasis Guideline and Quality Standards

Draft BTS Quality Standards for Clinically Significant Bronchiectasis in Adults are available for public consultation from 8 May - 11 June 2012.

[Click here for full document](#)

Theheart.org

www.theheart.org

Theheart.org provides information on caring for people with disorders of the heart and circulation, and on preventing such disorders.

Heart Wire News:

Varying safety, efficacy of approved stents: Everolimus-eluting stent has lowest ST risk

Platelet reactivity affects outcome with bivalirudin in NSTEMI patients

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European Society of Cardiology

<http://www.escardio.org/>

News and Press:

Scientists turn patients' skin cells into heart muscle cells to repair their damaged hearts: first report

E-Journal of Cardiology Practice:

- **Dronedarone: review of trials and up-to-date recommendations**
- **Another reason for measuring microalbuminuria: its possible association with heart failure**
- **Individualised prevention of anthracycline-induced cardiotoxicity in cancer treatment**

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ESC Clinical Practice Guidelines

ESC Guidelines for the diagnosis and treatment of acute and chronic heart failure 2012

European Guidelines on CVD Prevention in Clinical Practice

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Institute for Healthcare Improvement

www.ihl.org

In the spotlight :

Deciphering Harm Measurement

IHI News

[This week at IHI News letter](#)

Royal College of Nursing

<http://www.rcn.org.uk>

Nursing headlines

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Clinical Governance e-bulletin

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National Institute for Health Research

<http://www.nihr.ac.uk>

NIHR latest news

UKPMC Labs with EvidenceFinder was released earlier this year using a subset of UKPMC articles; it went live using all UKPMC articles on the 30th May 2012

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NIHR Research Design Service for the North West

[E-Bulletins](#)

International Healthcare Comparisons

<http://www.international-comparisons.org.uk/>

IHC focuses on comparative analysis to facilitate learning from the experience of other health systems as an input to policy development by the Department of Health

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NHS Evidence – NICE

<http://www.evidence.nhs.uk/>

The redesigned NHS Evidence Healthcare Databases search (HDAS) is **now live** (www.evidence.nhs.uk)

The new features of HDAS include: Clearer screen designs and styles/ advanced search – search screen/Improved thesaurus layout

For more information please see:

[Healthcare Databases Advanced Search: A short guide](#)

Department of Health

<http://www.dh.gov.uk>

Everything: the most recent 30 stories from across the Department of Health

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Health Education England is the new national leadership organisation – ensuring that education, training, and workforce development drive the highest quality public health and patient outcomes.

Education Outcomes Framework – upcoming webinars: A series of webinars, aimed at NHS staff, are planned in June
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Advisory Board

<http://www.advisoryboardcompany.com>

The **Advisory Board Company** is the leading provider of comprehensive performance improvement services to the health care and education sectors

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NICE

<http://www.nice.org.uk/>

NICE Pathways a new online tool which provides quick and easy access, topic by topic, to the range of guidance from NICE, including quality standards, technology appraisals, clinical and public health guidance and NICE implementation tools: [NICE Pathways](#)

Consultations include: [Current consultations](#)

- Cystic fibrosis – mannitol
- Depth of anaesthesia monitors (E-Entropy, BIS and Narcotrend): diagnostics consultation document

Latest guidance includes: [Latest guidance](#)

- Percutaneous balloon cryoablation for pulmonary vein isolation in atrial fibrillation
- Opioids in palliative care
- Atrial fibrillation (stroke prevention) - rivaroxaban

Quality standards include: [NICE Quality Standards](#)

- Lung cancer

Now available on site

➤ **ESC Textbook of Cardiovascular Medicine**

➤ **Royal Marsden 8th edition**

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➤ **Up-to-date**

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