Cardiovascular Conditions

A major cause of health inequalities and affecting a greater number of people in an aging population, the treatment of cardiovascular conditions continues to be one of the highest priorities in the NHS. With the right information, healthcare professionals can ensure they are managing the risk factors, care and rehabilitation related to these conditions as effectively as possible. We have provided a list of relevant articles from MA Healthcare journals dealing with this area, providing your staff with research, information and tips that will support both their work and the quality of care for their patients.

British Journal of Healthcare Assistants

- Cardiac catheterisation: the healthcare assistant and assistant practitioner's role
  Published Online: 11 Sep 2018
  https://doi.org/10.12968/bjha.2018.12.9.444

British Journal of Cardiac Nursing

- Use of calcium channel blockers in cardiovascular disease
  Published Online: 31 Jan 2019
  https://doi.org/10.12968/bjca.2019.14.2.64

- Potential new drugs to treat damage and cell death caused by myocardial infarction
  Published Online: 5 Apr 2019
  https://doi.org/10.12968/bjca.2019.0018

- The nursing aspects of a transcatheter aortic valve implantation patient's pathway
  Published Online: 5 Apr 2019
  https://doi.org/10.12968/bjca.2018.0033

- Changes in 6-minute walk test distance and heart rate walking speed index following a cardiovascular prevention and rehabilitation programme
  Published Online: 5 Apr 2019
  https://doi.org/10.12968/bjca.2018.0036

- What the long-term plan has to say about cardiovascular disease
  Published Online: 31 Jan 2019
  https://doi.org/10.12968/bjca.2019.14.2.94

- Sepsis from a cardiovascular perspective
  Published Online: 7 May 2019
  https://doi.org/10.12968/bjca.2019.0022

- Depression in heart failure
british journal of hospital medicine

- Hospital management of the post-cardiac arrest patient: priorities and challenges
  Published Online: 12 Feb 2019
  https://doi.org/10.12968/hmed.2019.80.2.C22

- Apixaban for stroke prevention in a patient with a mechanical heart valve
  Published Online: 12 Nov 2018
  https://doi.org/10.12968/hmed.2018.79.11.652

- Management of cardiogenic shock in patients with acute coronary syndromes
  Published Online: 5 Apr 2019
  https://doi.org/10.12968/hmed.2019.80.4.204

- Ambulatory management of acute decompensation in heart failure
  Published Online: 28 Dec 2018
  https://doi.org/10.12968/hmed.2019.80.1.40

- An unusual cause of chest pain: the importance of acute aortic syndromes
  Published Online: 28 Dec 2018
  https://doi.org/10.12968/hmed.2019.80.1.54

british journal of midwifery

- Caring for women with chronic hypertension
  Published Online: 7 Jun 2019
  https://doi.org/10.12968/bjom.2019.27.6.343

british journal of nursing

- Interventional cardiology: from balloons to stents ... and back?
  Published Online: 6 Sep 2018
  https://doi.org/10.12968/bjon.2018.27.16.928

- Heart failure: support at the end of life
  Published Online: 22 May 2019
  https://doi.org/10.12968/bjon.2019.28.10.653

independent nurse

- Primary care management following an acute myocardial infarction
  Published Online: 17 Apr 2019
  https://doi.org/10.12968/indn.2019.4.25

international journal of palliative nursing
• Advance care planning for patients with lung, heart and cancer diseases and their relatives  
  Published Online: 20 Mar 2019  
  https://doi.org/10.12968/ijpn.2019.25.3.112

Journal of Paramedic Practice

• Heart block as a complication of acute myocardial infarction: the anatomical and physiological mechanisms  
  Published Online: 18 Oct 2018  
  https://doi.org/10.12968/jpar.2018.10.10.CPD1

Journal of Prescribing Practice

• Use of digoxin in heart failure  
  Published Online: 8 May 2019  
  https://doi.org/10.12968/jprp.2019.1.5.224

• Medicines adherence to anti-platelet therapy in acute coronary syndrome: part 1  
  Published Online: 6 Feb 2019  
  https://doi.org/10.12968/jprp.2019.1.2.66

• Medicines adherence to anti-platelet therapy in acute coronary syndrome: part 2  
  Published Online: 14 Mar 2019  
  https://doi.org/10.12968/jprp.2019.1.3.118

• Pharmacology and prescribing in hypertension  
  Published Online: 17 Oct 2018  
  https://doi.org/10.12968/npre.2018.16.10.497

• Sacubitril/valsartan in patients with symptomatic chronic heart failure with reduced ejection fraction  
  Published Online: 11 Apr 2019  
  https://doi.org/10.12968/jprp.2019.1.4.182

Nursing and Residential Care

• Mediterranean diet good for heart health  
  Published Online: 12 Oct 2018  
  https://doi.org/10.12968/nrec.2018.20.11.547

• Atrial fibrillation increases the risk of cognitive decline  
  Published Online: 19 Nov 2018  
  https://doi.org/10.12968/nrec.2018.20.12.625

Practice Nursing

• Recognising and treating arrhythmias in primary care  
  Published Online: 6 Jun 2019  
  https://doi.org/10.12968/pnur.2019.30.6.270