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"Opening up" about renal artery stenosis

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Abstract

Renal artery stenosis is a finding whose prevalence is highly dependent on the population that is being studied. Nonetheless, even in those with significant peripheral vascular disease, a finding of atherosclerotic renal artery stenosis may not necessarily warrant interventional treatment. Unfortunately, the treatment of these lesions remains unclear with the available randomized trials and meta-analyses. This lecture will discuss and attempt to provide clarity for the evaluation and management of renal arterial stenosis in the context of the current evidence-based data and most recent treatment guidelines.

Biography

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