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Overview

Guideline Objective

To provide recommendations for treating patients with atherosclerotic carotid and vertebral artery (VA) disease

Note: Non-atherosclerotic pathologies (arteritis, fibromuscular dysplasia, dissection, aneurysm) are not included in this guideline.

Patient Population

Adult patients with atherosclerotic carotid and VA disease

Recommendations

Recommendation Statements

Major interventions covered in this guideline include:

- Management of asymptomatic or symptomatic carotid disease; asymptomatic or symptomatic vertebral artery disease; occlusive disease of common carotid and innominate arteries, including revascularization; and complications after carotid interventions
- Treatment of concurrent coronary and carotid disease
- Role of major non-cardiac surgery

Note: Full recommendation statements have not been provided because this guideline does not meet EGT's systematic review of the evidence criteria. Refer to the original guideline for more information.

Evidence Rating Scheme

Refer to the original guideline documentation for more information.

Recommendation Rating Scheme

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Related Content

Supporting Documents

- Appendix A: AGREE Reporting Checklist; 2016.
- Appendix B: Guideline Writing Committee Affiliations.
- Appendix C: Tables of Evidence; 2023.

Implementation Tools

No implementation tools available.

Patient Education

No patient education materials available.

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