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#	ARTICLE	IF	CITATIONS
1	Epidemiology and impact of multimorbidity in primary care: a retrospective cohort study. <i>British Journal of General Practice</i> , 2011, 61, e12-e21.	1.4	647
2	Measures of Multimorbidity and Morbidity Burden for Use in Primary Care and Community Settings: A Systematic Review and Guide. <i>Annals of Family Medicine</i> , 2012, 10, 134-141.	1.9	480
3	Ambulatory care sensitive conditions: terminology and disease coding need to be more specific to aid policy makers and clinicians. <i>Public Health</i> , 2009, 123, 169-173.	2.9	316
4	Which features of primary care affect unscheduled secondary care use? A systematic review. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2014, 4, e004746.	1.9	158
5	Is case management effective in reducing the risk of unplanned hospital admissions for older people? A systematic review and meta-analysis. <i>Family Practice</i> , 2013, 30, 266-275.	1.9	112
6	Pharmacist-led interventions to reduce unplanned admissions for older people: a systematic review and meta-analysis of randomised controlled trials. <i>Age and Ageing</i> , 2014, 43, 174-187.	1.6	91
7	The content of general practice consultations: cross-sectional study based on video recordings. <i>British Journal of General Practice</i> , 2013, 63, e751-e759.	1.4	84
8	Why do patients with 'primary care sensitive' problems access ambulance services? A systematic mapping review of the literature. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2015, 5, e007726-e007726.	1.9	78
9	A systematic review of the magnitude and cause of geographic variation in unplanned hospital admission rates and length of stay for ambulatory care sensitive conditions. <i>BMC Health Services Research</i> , 2015, 15, 324.	2.2	76
10	Effectiveness of nurse-led brief alcohol intervention: a cluster randomized controlled trial. <i>Journal of Advanced Nursing</i> , 2006, 54, 426-439.	3.3	73
11	Implications of comorbidity for primary care costs in the UK: a retrospective observational study. <i>British Journal of General Practice</i> , 2013, 63, e274-e282.	1.4	68
12	Predicting and preventing avoidable hospital admissions: a review. <i>Journal of the Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh</i> , 2013, 43, 340-344.	0.6	67
13	Why do patients seek primary medical care in emergency departments? An ethnographic exploration of access to general practice. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2017, 7, e013816.	1.9	65
14	Specialist clinics for reducing emergency admissions in patients with heart failure: a systematic review and meta-analysis of randomised controlled trials. <i>Heart</i> , 2013, 99, 233-239.	2.9	53
15	Acne. <i>BMJ: British Medical Journal</i> , 2006, 333, 949-953.	2.3	48
16	Patients who call emergency ambulances for primary care problems: a qualitative study of the decision-making process. <i>Emergency Medicine Journal</i> , 2014, 31, 448-452.	1.0	48
17	Keep it simple? Predicting primary health care costs with clinical morbidity measures. <i>Journal of Health Economics</i> , 2014, 35, 109-122.	2.7	45
18	Emergency admissions for coronary heart disease: A cross-sectional study of general practice, population and hospital factors in England. <i>Public Health</i> , 2011, 125, 46-54.	2.9	42

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19	What works in "real life" to facilitate home deaths and fewer hospital admissions for those at end of life?: results from a realist evaluation of new palliative care services in two English counties. <i>BMC Palliative Care</i> , 2014, 13, 37.	1.8	41
20	Emergency Respiratory Admissions: Influence of Practice, Population and Hospital Factors. <i>Journal of Health Services Research and Policy</i> , 2011, 16, 133-140.	1.7	40
21	Seeking ambulance treatment for "primary care" problems: a qualitative systematic review of patient, carer and professional perspectives. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2017, 7, e016832.	1.9	39
22	Continuity of Primary Care and Emergency Hospital Admissions Among Older Patients in England. <i>Annals of Family Medicine</i> , 2017, 15, 515-522.	1.9	39
23	Impact of the Marie Curie Cancer Care Delivering Choice Programme in Somerset and North Somerset on place of death and hospital usage: a retrospective cohort study. <i>BMJ Supportive and Palliative Care</i> , 2015, 5, 34-39.	1.6	36
24	The healthcare costs of heart failure during the last five years of life: A retrospective cohort study. <i>International Journal of Cardiology</i> , 2016, 224, 132-138.	1.7	35
25	A systematic review to identify and assess the effectiveness of alternatives for people over the age of 65 who are at risk of potentially avoidable hospital admission. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2017, 7, e016236.	1.9	35
26	How do population, general practice and hospital factors influence ambulatory care sensitive admissions: a cross sectional study. <i>BMC Family Practice</i> , 2017, 18, 67.	2.9	35
27	The implications of living with heart failure; the impact on everyday life, family support, co-morbidities and access to healthcare: a secondary qualitative analysis. <i>BMC Family Practice</i> , 2016, 17, 139.	2.9	33
28	Reducing hospital admissions. <i>BMJ: British Medical Journal</i> , 2008, 336, 4-5.	2.3	31
29	Policy makers' perceptions on the use of evidence from evaluations. <i>Evidence and Policy</i> , 2011, 7, 429-447.	1.0	31
30	Unplanned admissions and the organisational management of heart failure: a multicentre ethnographic, qualitative study. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2015, 5, e007522.	1.9	30
31	"Sometimes we can't fix things": a qualitative study of health care professionals' perceptions of end of life care for patients with heart failure. <i>BMC Palliative Care</i> , 2016, 15, 3.	1.8	30
32	Managing Patients With Heart Failure: A Qualitative Study of Multidisciplinary Teams With Specialist Heart Failure Nurses. <i>Annals of Family Medicine</i> , 2015, 13, 466-471.	1.9	29
33	A pilot randomized, controlled trial of treatment for painful arc of the shoulder. <i>Journal of Shoulder and Elbow Surgery</i> , 2008, 17, S17-S21.	2.6	28
34	B-type natriuretic peptide-guided therapy for heart failure (HF): a systematic review and meta-analysis of individual participant data (IPD) and aggregate data. <i>Systematic Reviews</i> , 2018, 7, 112.	5.3	27
35	Prioritizing ambulatory care sensitive hospital admissions in England for research and intervention: a Delphi exercise. <i>Primary Health Care Research and Development</i> , 2010, 11, 41.	1.2	23
36	Factors associated with hospital deaths in the oldest old: a cross-sectional study. <i>Age and Ageing</i> , 2016, 45, 372-376.	1.6	22

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37	The impact of a named GP scheme on continuity of care and emergency hospital admission: a cohort study among older patients in England, 2012â€“2016. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2019, 9, e029103.	1.9	21
38	Barriers to GPs identifying patients at the end-of-life and discussions about their care: a qualitative study. <i>Family Practice</i> , 2019, 36, 639-643.	1.9	21
39	Effectiveness and cost-effectiveness of serum B-type natriuretic peptide testing and monitoring in patients with heart failure in primary and secondary care: an evidence synthesis, cohort study and cost-effectiveness model. <i>Health Technology Assessment</i> , 2017, 21, 1-150.	2.8	21
40	Choice of Moisturiser for Eczema Treatment (COMET): feasibility study of a randomised controlled parallel group trial in children recruited from primary care. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2016, 6, e012021.	1.9	20
41	Electronic palliative care coordinating systems (EPaCCS) may not facilitate home deaths: A mixed methods evaluation of end of life care in two English counties. <i>Journal of Research in Nursing</i> , 2016, 21, 96-107.	0.9	20
42	Opportunities for primary care to reduce hospital admissions: a cross-sectional study of geographical variation. <i>British Journal of General Practice</i> , 2017, 67, e20-e28.	1.4	20
43	Evaluation of â€˜care bundlesâ€™™ for patients with chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD): a multisite study in the UK. <i>BMJ Open Respiratory Research</i> , 2019, 6, e000425.	3.0	20
44	Patient participation in research in the managed care environment: Key perceptions of members in an HMO. <i>Journal of General Internal Medicine</i> , 2000, 15, 492-495.	2.6	18
45	Presentation and management of acne in primary care: a retrospective cohort study. <i>British Journal of General Practice</i> , 2003, 53, 525-9.	1.4	18
46	Choice of Moisturiser for Eczema Treatment (COMET): study protocol for a randomized controlled trial. <i>Trials</i> , 2015, 16, 304.	1.6	17
47	Factors influencing professional decision making on unplanned hospital admission: a qualitative study. <i>British Journal of General Practice</i> , 2012, 62, e750-e756.	1.4	15
48	Model-based cost-effectiveness analysis of B-type natriuretic peptide-guided care in patients with heart failure. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2016, 6, e014010.	1.9	14
49	Exploring the relationship between general practice characteristics, and attendance at walk-in centres, minor injuries units and EDs in England 2012/2013: a cross-sectional study. <i>Emergency Medicine Journal</i> , 2016, 33, 702-708.	1.0	13
50	Complex consultations in primary care: a tool for assessing the range of health problems and issues addressed in general practice consultations. <i>BMC Family Practice</i> , 2014, 15, 105.	2.9	12
51	General practitioners and emergency departments (GPED)â€™ efficient models of care: a mixed-methods study protocol. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2018, 8, e024012.	1.9	12
52	Exploring how paramedics are deployed in general practice and the perceived benefits and drawbacks: a mixed-methods scoping study. <i>BJGP Open</i> , 2020, 4, bjgpopen20X101037.	1.8	12
53	â€œEarthly Angelsâ€? A qualitative study of the domiciliary care worker role in meeting the needs of families caring for those dying at home. <i>Palliative and Supportive Care</i> , 2014, 12, 445-453.	1.0	11
54	The transition to clinical expert: enhanced decision making for children aged less than 5â€“years attending the paediatric ED with acute respiratory conditions. <i>Emergency Medicine Journal</i> , 2017, 34, 76-81.	1.0	11

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55	“Primary care sensitive” situations that result in an ambulance attendance: a conversation analytic study of UK emergency “999” call recordings. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2018, 8, e023727.	1.9	11
56	How do people with dementia use the ambulance service? A retrospective study in England: the HOMEWARD project. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2018, 8, e022549.	1.9	11
57	Ambulance use for “primary care” problems: an ethnographic study of seeking and providing help in a UK ambulance service. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2019, 9, e033037.	1.9	11
58	Calculating hospital length of stay using the Hospital Episode Statistics; a comparison of methodologies. <i>BMC Health Services Research</i> , 2017, 17, 347.	2.2	10
59	Community case management and unplanned hospital admissions in patients with heart failure: A systematic review and qualitative evidence synthesis. <i>Journal of Advanced Nursing</i> , 2018, 74, 1463-1473.	3.3	10
60	Does practice analysis agree with the ambulatory care sensitive conditions list of avoidable unplanned admissions?: a cross-sectional study in the East of England. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2018, 8, e020756.	1.9	10
61	How can frontline expertise and new models of care best contribute to safely reducing avoidable acute admissions? A mixed-methods study of four acute hospitals. <i>Health Services and Delivery Research</i> , 2016, 4, 1-202.	1.4	10
62	Study protocol for an evaluation of the effectiveness of “care bundles” as a means of improving hospital care and reducing hospital readmission for patients with chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD). <i>BMC Pulmonary Medicine</i> , 2016, 16, 35.	2.0	9
63	Consequences of “conversations not had”: insights into failures in communication affecting delays in hospital discharge for older people living with frailty. <i>Journal of Health Services Research and Policy</i> , 2020, 25, 213-219.	1.7	9
64	The impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on student mental health and wellbeing in UK university students: a multiyear cross-sectional analysis. <i>Journal of Mental Health</i> , 2022, 31, 597-604.	1.9	9
65	Validation of an improved area-based method of calculating general practice “level deprivation. <i>Journal of Clinical Epidemiology</i> , 2010, 63, 746-751.	5.0	8
66	Determinants of blood pressure control in rural KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa. <i>South African Family Practice: Official Journal of the South African Academy of Family Practice/Primary Care</i> , 2014, 56, 297-304.	0.6	8
67	Care bundles to reduce re-admissions for patients with chronic obstructive pulmonary disease: a mixed-methods study. <i>Health Services and Delivery Research</i> , 2019, 7, 1-128.	1.4	8
68	To excise or not to excise? Should GPs remove possible melanomas?. <i>British Journal of General Practice</i> , 2011, 61, 87-88.	1.4	7
69	Using geographic variation in unplanned ambulatory care sensitive condition admission rates to identify commissioning priorities: an analysis of routine data from England. <i>Journal of Health Services Research and Policy</i> , 2017, 22, 20-27.	1.7	7
70	Exploring the relationship between general practice characteristics and attendance at Walk-in Centres, Minor Injuries Units and Emergency Departments in England 2009/10–2012/2013: a longitudinal study. <i>BMC Health Services Research</i> , 2017, 17, 546.	2.2	7
71	A qualitative study on conveyance decision-making during emergency call outs to people with dementia: the HOMEWARD project. <i>BMC Emergency Medicine</i> , 2020, 20, 6.	1.9	7
72	Frailty assessment in primary health care and its association with unplanned secondary care use: a rapid review. <i>BJGP Open</i> , 2018, 2, bjgpopen18X101325.	1.8	7

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73	Primary care research—an international responsibility. <i>Family Practice</i> , 2012, 29, 499-500.	1.9	6
74	Towards improving diagnosis of memory loss in general practice: TIMeLi diagnostic test accuracy study protocol. <i>BMC Family Practice</i> , 2016, 17, 79.	2.9	6
75	Observational Cost-Effectiveness Analysis Using Routine Data: Admission and Discharge Care Bundles for Patients with Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease. <i>PharmacoEconomics - Open</i> , 2020, 4, 657-667.	1.8	5
76	Clinical judgment of GPs for the diagnosis of dementia: a diagnostic test accuracy study. <i>BJGP Open</i> , 2021, 5, BJGPO.2021.0058.	1.8	5
77	Clinical judgement by primary care physicians for the diagnosis of all-cause dementia or cognitive impairment in symptomatic people. <i>The Cochrane Library</i> , 2022, 2022, .	2.8	5
78	Providing care closer to home. <i>BMJ: British Medical Journal</i> , 2007, 335, 838-838.	2.3	4
79	Clinical judgement by primary care physicians for the diagnosis of all-cause dementia or cognitive impairment in symptomatic people. <i>The Cochrane Library</i> , 2017, , .	2.8	4
80	How to get involved in research as a medical student. <i>BMJ, The</i> , 2017, 356, i6593.	6.0	4
81	Making the most of evaluation: A mixed methods study in the English NHS. <i>Journal of Health Services Research and Policy</i> , 2011, 16, 218-225.	1.7	3
82	Experiences of Ambulatory Care for Frail, Older People and Their Carers During Acute Illness: A Qualitative, Ethnographic Study. <i>Journal of the American Medical Directors Association</i> , 2019, 20, 1344-1347.	2.5	3
83	Carer and clinician perceptions of the use of emergency medical services by people with dementia: a qualitative study. <i>Primary Health Care Research and Development</i> , 2019, 20, e53.	1.2	3
84	Associations of GP practice characteristics with the rate of ambulatory care sensitive conditions in people living with dementia in England: an ecological analysis of routine data. <i>BMC Health Services Research</i> , 2021, 21, 613.	2.2	3
85	Exacerbation of atopic eczema in children. <i>BMJ: British Medical Journal</i> , 2009, 339, b2997-b2997.	2.3	2
86	Managing acute illness in general practice: measuring arts as well as science. <i>British Journal of General Practice</i> , 2010, 60, 717-718.	1.4	2
87	Lessons from evaluation of the NHS white paper <i>Our Health, Our Care, Our Say</i> . <i>British Journal of General Practice</i> , 2011, 61, e766-e771.	1.4	2
88	The role of general practice in reducing unplanned hospital admissions. <i>British Journal of Hospital Medicine (London, England: 2005)</i> , 2017, 78, 186-187.	0.5	2
89	Now Gosport: what next?. <i>British Journal of General Practice</i> , 2018, 68, 460-461.	1.4	2
90	Impact of electronic palliative care coordination systems (EPaCCS) on care at the end of life across multiple care sectors, in one clinical commissioning group area, in England: a realist evaluation protocol. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2020, 10, e031153.	1.9	2

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91	Using and implementing care bundles for patients with acute admission for COPD: qualitative study of healthcare professionals's experience in four hospitals in England. <i>BMJ Open Respiratory Research</i> , 2020, 7, e000515.	3.0	2
92	Underutilisation of EPaCCS (Electronic Palliative Care Coordination Systems) in end-of life-care: a cross-sectional study. <i>BMJ Supportive and Palliative Care</i> , 2021, , bmjspcare-2020-002798.	1.6	2
93	Research shapes policy: but the dynamics are subtle. <i>Public Money and Management</i> , 2013, 33, 9-14.	2.1	1
94	THE TRANSITION TO EXPERT: A QUALITATIVE STUDY EXPLORING CLINICAL DECISION MAKING FOR CHILDREN UNDER FIVE ATTENDING THE EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT WITH MINOR RESPIRATORY CONDITIONS. <i>Emergency Medicine Journal</i> , 2014, 31, 791.1-791.	1.0	0
95	Impact of emergency hospital admissions on patterns of primary care prescribing: a retrospective cohort analysis of electronic records in England. <i>British Journal of General Practice</i> , 2020, 70, e399-e405.	1.4	0
96	Accrediting hospitals. <i>BMJ: British Medical Journal</i> , 1995, 311, 456-456.	2.3	0
97	Integrated care: demonstrating value and valuing patients. <i>Future Hospital Journal</i> , 2015, 2, 132-136.	0.2	0