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| 1 | Communication About Serious Illness Care Goals. <i>JAMA Internal Medicine</i> , 2014, 174, 1994. | 5.1 | 1,020 |
| 2 | Development of the Serious Illness Care Program: a randomised controlled trial of a palliative care communication intervention. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2015, 5, e009032. | 1.9 | 296 |
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| 4 | Evaluating an Intervention to Improve Communication Between Oncology Clinicians and Patients With Life-Limiting Cancer. <i>JAMA Oncology</i> , 2019, 5, 801. | 7.1 | 213 |
| 5 | Caring for oneself to care for others: physicians and their self-care. <i>The Journal of Supportive Oncology</i> , 2013, 11, 75-81. | 2.3 | 175 |
| 6 | Recommendations for Best Communication Practices to Facilitate Goal-concordant Care for Seriously Ill Older Patients With Emergency Surgical Conditions. <i>Annals of Surgery</i> , 2016, 263, 1-6. | 4.2 | 131 |
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| 9 | Strategic Targeting of Advance Care Planning Interventions. <i>JAMA Internal Medicine</i> , 2014, 174, 620. | 5.1 | 108 |
| 10 | Serious Illness Conversations in ESRD. <i>Clinical Journal of the American Society of Nephrology: CJASN</i> , 2017, 12, 854-863. | 4.5 | 99 |
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| 16 | Advance Care Planning in Cognitively Impaired Older Adults. <i>Journal of the American Geriatrics Society</i> , 2018, 66, 1469-1474. | 2.6 | 45 |
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| 23 | Development of a Stakeholder Driven Serious Illness Communication Program for Advance Care Planning in Children, Adolescents, and Young Adults with Serious Illness. <i>Journal of Pediatrics</i> , 2021, 229, 247-258.e8. | 1.8 | 35 |
| 24 | Goals of Care Conversations in Serious Illness. <i>Medical Clinics of North America</i> , 2020, 104, 375-389. | 2.5 | 31 |
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| 29 | Adherence and Concordance between Serious Illness Care Planning Conversations and Oncology Clinician Documentation among Patients with Advanced Cancer. <i>Journal of Palliative Medicine</i> , 2021, 24, 53-62. | 1.1 | 25 |
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| 44 | To Face Coronavirus Disease 2019, Surgeons Must Embrace Palliative Care. <i>JAMA Surgery</i> , 2020, 155, 681. | 4.3 | 13 |
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