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ARTICLES OF INTEREST – January 2019

[Early caffeine administration and neurodevelopmental outcomes in preterm infants](#)

[Lodha A, Entz R, Synnes A, et al. *Pediatrics*.](#)

The authors sought to determine the association between early (within 2 days of birth) versus late (received after 2 days of birth) caffeine exposure and neurodevelopmental outcomes in preterm infants <29 weeks' gestation. Of 2108 neonates who were eligible, 1545 were in the early-caffeine group and 563 were in the late-caffeine group. The primary outcome was significant neurodevelopmental impairment, defined as cerebral palsy, or a Bayley Scales of Infant and Toddler Development, Third Edition composite score of <70 on any component, hearing aid or cochlear implant, or bilateral visual impairment at 18 to 24 months' corrected age. The authors found that early caffeine therapy is associated with better neurodevelopmental outcomes compared with late caffeine therapy in preterm infants born at <29 weeks' gestation.

[Initial oxygen use for preterm newborn resuscitation: a systematic review with meta-analysis](#)

[Welsford M, Nishiyama C, Shortt C, et al. *Pediatrics*.](#)

This systematic review and meta-analysis provides the scientific summary of initial F_{iO_2} in preterm newborns (<35 weeks' gestation) who receive respiratory support at birth. Ten randomized controlled studies and 4 cohort studies included 5697 patients. There were no statistically significant benefits of or harms from starting with lower compared with higher F_{iO_2} in short-term mortality, long-term mortality, neurodevelopmental impairment, or other key preterm morbidities. The authors concluded that the ideal initial F_{iO_2} for preterm newborns is still unknown, although the majority of newborns ≤ 32 weeks' gestation will require oxygen supplementation.

[Prenatal exposure to selective serotonin reuptake inhibitors and serotonin norepinephrine reuptake inhibitors and risk for persistent pulmonary hypertension of the newborn: a systematic review, meta-analysis, and network meta-analysis](#)

[Masarwa R, Bar-Oz B, Gorelik E, et al. *Am J Obstet Gynecol*.](#)

To evaluate the association between exposure to selective serotonin reuptake inhibitors and serotonin norepinephrine reuptake inhibitors during pregnancy and the risk for persistent pulmonary hypertension of the newborn (PPHN), the authors of this systematic review and meta-analysis identified 11 retrospective cohort studies and case-control studies. Random effect and network meta-analysis were used to interpret data. Incidence of PPHN was 2.9/1000 live births with a number needed to harm of 1000. PPHN risk was significantly higher with use of SSRI in any trimester and with exposure after 20th week. Sertraline ranked as most likely to have the lowest risk of PPHN.

[High-dose human milk feedings decrease oxidative stress in premature infant](#)

[Chen Y, Fantuzzi G, Schoeny M, et al. *JPEN J Parenter Enteral Nutr.*](#)

Given that high-volume human milk (HM) feedings decrease morbidity, the authors chose to determine the association between the oxidative stress marker, urinary F2 –isoprostane, in predominantly (HM) and preterm formula (PF)-fed premature infants over the first 21 days of life. They found that median F2 -isoprostane concentrations decreased significantly in the predominantly HM group but increased significantly over time in the predominantly PF group. These findings illustrate that HM feedings are associated with reduced oxidative stress compared to PF which may contribute to improved outcomes in breast milk fed infants.

[Randomized trial of platelet-transfusion thresholds in neonates](#)

[Curley A, Stanworth SJ, Willoughby K, et al. *N Engl J Med.*](#)

In this multicenter RCT, authors used 2 different thresholds (50K vs. 25K) for “prophylactic” platelet transfusions in preterm infants <34 weeks (n=median BW 740g: median GA 2.6 weeks). Interestingly, they concluded that use of a higher threshold for transfusions resulted in a significantly higher rate of death or major bleeding within 28 days of birth. However, they excluded infants with a major bleeding within the previous 72 hours. Authors have not provided any data regarding outcomes after 28 days or pre-discharge.

[Elevated midline head positioning of extremely low birth weight infants: effects on cardiopulmonary function and the incidence of periventricular-intraventricular hemorrhage.](#)

[Kochan M, Leonardi B, Firestone A, et al. *J Perinatol.*](#)

This study randomized 90 ELBW infants to a supine, flat position and 90 ELBW infants to a supine, 30 degrees bed elevated position for 96 hours after birth. Compared to the flat group, the elevated bed group developed significantly fewer grade 4 hemorrhages (p=0.036) and had significantly higher survival to discharge (p=0.037)

[Two-year neurodevelopmental outcomes of extremely preterm infants treated with early hydrocortisone: treatment effect according to gestational age at birth.](#)

[Baud O, Trousson C, Biran V, et al. *Arch Dis Child Fetal Neonatal Ed.*](#)

This double-blind, multicenter, randomized trial evaluated neurodevelopmental outcomes of surviving infants included in the PREMIOLOC trial. Infants (24 0/7 to 27 6/7 weeks gestational age) were randomized to receive either 10 days of low-dose hydrocortisone or placebo starting after birth and were assessed for neurodevelopmental impairment at 22 months corrected age. The authors found that for surviving infants in the 24-25 week subgroup (N=96), there was a significant improvement in global moderate to severe neurodevelopmental impairment ((hydrocortisone=2% versus placebo=18%) (p=0.02), risk difference 16 (95% CI -28% to -5%).

[Brain imaging in preterm infants <32 weeks gestation: a clinical review and algorithm for the use of cranial ultrasound and qualitative brain MRI](#)

[Ibrahim J, Mir I, Chalak L. *Pediatr Res.*](#)

Medline Embase database review was performed from 2000 to 2018 to account for the technical evolution of cranial ultrasound machines and introduction of MRI imaging in the NICU. Special attention was made with regard to detection of white matter injury, cerebellar hemorrhage, long term neurodevelopmental outcomes and impact on parental anxiety. Brain MRI was found to be more sensitive as well as had a high predictive value for CP and motor impairment. A hospital specific

guideline algorithm for performing term equivalent MRI based on risk evaluation for < 32 week gestation was recommended.

[Developmental outcomes of preterm infants with bronchopulmonary dysplasia-associated pulmonary hypertension at 18–24 months of corrected age](#)
[Choi EK, Shin SH, Kim EK, et al. *BMC Pediatr.*](#)

In a retrospective analysis of 394 infants (aged < 28 weeks of gestation) between 2005 and 2014, pulmonary hypertension was found to be a worsening factor of non-optimal growth and poor neurodevelopmental outcome in preterm infants with BPD at 18-24 months of corrected age using Bayley scales of infant and toddler development. Studies suggest close screening and developmental follow up to help optimize outcome of infants with BPD and pulmonary hypertension.

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<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/30584061>

Neonatal head circumference in newborns with neonatal abstinence syndrome

<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/30530638>

Positive predictive value of administrative data for neonatal abstinence syndrome

<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/30514781>

Developmental outcomes in duarte galactosemia

<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/30593450>

Neonatal intubation practice and outcomes: an international registry study

<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/30538147>

Early caffeine administration and neurodevelopmental outcomes in preterm infants

<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/30518670>

Mupirocin for staphylococcus aureus decolonization of infants in neonatal intensive care units

<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/30587533>

Clinical practice guideline for the management of infantile hemangiomas

<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/30584062>

Room air for initiating term newborn resuscitation: a systematic review with meta-analysis

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Initial oxygen use for preterm newborn resuscitation: a systematic review with meta-analysis

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Efficacy and safety of Emla cream for pain control due to venipuncture in infants: a meta-analysis

<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/30587535>

Developmental dysplasia of the hip

<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/30587534>

In-hospital neonatal falls: an unintended consequence of efforts to improve breastfeeding

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Journal of Pediatrics

Antenatal detection of treatable critical congenital heart disease is associated with lower morbidity and mortality

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Body mass index is a better indicator of body composition than weight-for-length at age 1 month

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Intermittent hypoxemia in infants born late preterm: a prospective cohort observational study.

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Weaning of moderately preterm infants from the incubator to the crib: a randomized clinical trial

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Effects of prone sleeping on cerebral oxygenation in preterm infants

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A longitudinal healthcare use profile of children with a history of neonatal abstinence syndrome

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Racial and ethnic disparities in the use of mother's milk feeding for very low birth weight infants in Massachusetts

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Bronchopulmonary dysplasia in very preterm infants with symptomatic congenital cytomegalovirus infection: a propensity score-matched analysis

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Airway microbiome and development of bronchopulmonary dysplasia in preterm infants: a systematic review

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Behavioral deficits at 18-22 months of age are associated with early cerebellar injury and cognitive and language performance in children born extremely preterm

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Ambient noise production by high-frequency neonatal ventilators

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Detecting 22q11.2 deletion syndrome in newborns with low T cell receptor excision circles from severe combined immunodeficiency screening

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Prognostic factors and management of patients with choanal atresia

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Brain imaging in preterm infants <32 weeks gestation: a clinical review and algorithm for the use of cranial ultrasound and qualitative brain MRI

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Impaired antimicrobial response and mucosal protection induced by ibuprofen in the immature human intestine

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Early human brain development: insights into macroscale connectome wiring

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Education, training, and accreditation of neonatologist performed echocardiography in Europe-framework for practice

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The role of neonatologist performed echocardiography in the assessment and management of neonatal shock

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Application of neonatologist performed echocardiography in the assessment and management of neonatal heart failure unrelated to congenital heart disease

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Network meta-analysis explained

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Using a composite morbidity score and cultural survey to explore characteristics of high proficiency neonatal intensive care units

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Omphalocele: from diagnosis to growth and development at 2 years of age

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Non-invasive prenatal testing of pregnancies at risk for phenylketonuria

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Two-year neurodevelopmental outcomes of extremely preterm infants treated with early hydrocortisone: treatment effect according to gestational age at birth

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Wide variation in severe neonatal morbidity among very preterm infants in European regions

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Outcomes following a comprehensive versus a selective approach for infants born at 22 weeks of gestation

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Early hypoxemia burden is strongly associated with severe intracranial hemorrhage in preterm infants

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Automated quantification of fragmented red blood cells: neonatal reference intervals and clinical disorders of neonatal intensive care unit patients with high values

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Mode of delivery in previable births

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Hypertensive disorders of pregnancy and preterm birth rates among black women

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Developmental outcomes of preterm infants with bronchopulmonary dysplasia-associated pulmonary hypertension at 18–24 months of corrected age (PDF)

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