Are you reading?... Articles of Interest

Why is treating obesity so difficult? Justification for the role of bariatric surgery
Proietto, Joseph, MJA 2011; 195(3), p.144-146

When prevention has failed, consider the surgical option

There is little evidence that public health measures adopted so far have had any impact on the rise in the prevalence of obesity.

Weight-loss programs have a very high long-term failure rate.

There is emerging evidence that weight is regulated by the hypothalamus and is physiologically defended and is also genetic predisposition to the development of obesity.

One way forward is to focus public health measure on preventing obesity in children while making resources available to treat people who are already obese, including providing funding for bariatric surgery in public hospitals.

Just to let you know...

Staff Change
Farewell our honorable librarian, Judy Dalton. Judy has served at Stan Carroll Library for 27 years. We appreciate her enthusiasm and passion for hospital library services. All the best for her future.

Welcome back to Chris Barber. Chris works on every Wednesday and Thursday.

News Corner
A ‘News Corner’ has been set up in the library. Latest news regarding the current trend and issue of healthcare, hospital and health science research from the newspapers are posted on the notice board.

Check out the Library Notice Board near the entrance.

Clinical Health Channel (CHC)
CHC is a free clinical electronic resource for all Victorian public health workers. It includes journals; databases and point of care resources cover the full spectrum of information needs for different health professionals. Staff can obtain registration and access via the Intranet. Search ‘Prompt & Links’ and find ‘Clinicians Health Channel’ webpage.
**NEW TEXT ARRIVALS**

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<td>Clinical practice guidelines: Depression and related disorders – anxiety, bipolar disorder and puerperal psychosis in the perinatal period</td>
<td>Beyondblue (Organisation)</td>
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<td>Melbourne: Beyondblue, 2011</td>
<td>The Guidelines summarise published evidence and make recommendations on key areas of perinatal mental health care. In areas for which there is insufficient evidence for recommendations, the Guidelines include good practice points (GPPs), which are based on lower quality evidence and/or best-practice clinical judgment.</td>
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<td>Mastering the medical long case</td>
<td>Jayasinghe, S. Rohan</td>
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<td>Mastering the medical long case, 2nd ed., is to assist medical students and trainee doctors who are preparing to take clinical examinations that include a long case. The book explains the scientific and clinical basis of long case assessment and how long case mastery provides the doctor with the confidence and aptitude to practice medicine from clinical assessment to definitive treatment.</td>
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**Rural Health Education Foundation DVDs**

- **Endometrial Cancer: Investigation and Appropriate Referral**
  This program provides information to assist in clarifying the steps to diagnosis and treatment of endometrial cancer, including: identifying risk factors, signs and symptoms; investigations and appropriate referral and management.

- **Gynaecological Cancers: Psychosexual Care**
  This program provides information to assist in providing psychosexual care to women affected by gynaecological cancers.

- **Obesity: A Heavy Burden**
  Obesity is complex and hard to treat. Health practitioners need knowledge and skills to assist people to prevent weight gain, to lose weight, and to maintain their weight loss.

- **The Patient’s Choice: Quality at the End of Life**
  This DVD explores the issues involved in end of life care. It looks at the need for patients to have accurate information and a specific assessment of their situation; it examines the use of advance care plans; and it explores the latest developments in palliative and end of life care.
Diagnosis and treatment begin with confirmation of a hypersecretory state (ie, measurement of excess cortisol, aldosterone, or catecholamines in blood or urine). In order to determine whether the problem originates in the adrenal, levels of the trophic hormone in question (ie, adrenocorticotropic hormone [ACTH] or renin) must be measured. Because aldosteronomas are almost always small and benign, laparoscopic adrenalectomy is the procedure of choice. It can be performed safely and with equally good results by several approaches. The lateral transabdominal approach uses gravity to help medially rotate the viscera (liver on the right and spleen and pancreas on the left) and exposes the adrenal gland. Current Medical Diagnosis & Treatment 2019. 1,905 Pages · 2018 · 39.81 MB · 25,493 Downloads · New! Written by clinicians renowned in their respective fields, CMDT offers the most current insight CURRENT Medical Diagnosis and Treatment 2016. 1,921 Pages · 2015 · 19.79 MB · 14,618 Downloads. Donate here to get more books: Kerry C. Cho, MD HIV Infection & AIDS patients are less than 90 current Diagnosis and Treatment Pediatrics. 1,323 Pages · 2010 · 10.93 MB · 11,985 Downloads. a LANGE medical book you'd like more information about this book CURRENT Diagnosis and Tre has been added to your Cart. Add to Cart. Turn on 1-Click ordering. Lange is well-known and I don't need to say how successful they are. I'm a medical student who intends to be a surgeon one day and bought this book for my general surgery clerkship and as a source I can look whenever I need afterwards. It was more than enough for the clerkship, I got high grades thanks to it.