

JAMA

The Journal of the American Medical Association



Claude Monet (1840-1926), *Bend in the Epte River Near Giverny, 1888*, French.

May 3, 2006

ORIGINAL CONTRIBUTIONS

Combined Pharmacotherapies and Behavioral Interventions for Alcohol Dependence: The COMBINE Study: A Randomized Controlled Trial 2003

R. F. ANTON, S. S. O'MALLEY, D. A. CIRAULO, R. A. CISLER, D. COUPER, D. M. DONOVAN, D. R. GASTFRIEND, J. D. HOSKING, B. A. JOHNSON, J. S. LOCASIRO, R. LONGABAUGH, B. J. MASON, M. E. MATTSON, W. R. MILLER, H. M. PETINATI, C. L. RANDALL, R. SWIFT, R. D. WEISS, L. D. WILLIAMS, A. ZWEBEN; FOR THE COMBINE STUDY RESEARCH GROUP

Association of Long-Distance Corridor Walk Performance With Mortality, Cardiovascular Disease, Mobility Limitation, and Disability 2018

A. B. NEWMAN, E. M. SIMONSICK, B. L. NAYDECK, R. M. BOUDREAU, S. B. KRITCHEVSKY, M. C. NEVITT, M. PAHOR, S. SATTERFIELD, J. S. BRACH, S. A. STUDENSKI, T. B. HARRIS

Use of Health Care Services by Lower-Income and Higher-Income Uninsured Adults 2027

J. S. ROSS, E. H. BRADLEY, S. H. BUSCH

Disease and Disadvantage in the United States and in England 2037

J. BANKS, M. MARMOT, Z. OLDFIELD, J. P. SMITH

REVIEW

Effects of Early Treatment With Statins on Short-term Clinical Outcomes in Acute Coronary Syndromes: A Meta-analysis of Randomized Controlled Trials 2046

M. BRIEL, G. G. SCHWARTZ, P. L. THOMPSON, J. A. DE LEMOS, M. A. BLAZING, G.-A. VAN ES, M. KAYIKÇIOĞLU, H.-R. ARNTZ, F. R. DEN HARTOG, N. J. G. M. VEEGER, F. COLIVICCHI, J. DUPUIS, S. OKAZAKI, R. S. WRIGHT, H. C. BUCHER, A. J. NORDMANN

COMMENTARY

How the US Drug Safety System Should Be Changed 2072

B. L. STROM

CLINICIAN'S CORNER

REVIEW

Nonhormonal Therapies for Menopausal Hot Flashes: Systematic Review and Meta-analysis 2057

H. D. NELSON, K. K. VESCO, E. HANEY, R. FU, A. NEDROW, J. MILLER, C. NICOLAIDIS, M. WALKER, L. HUMPHREY

Letters

Adverse Events Related to Muraglitazar Use in Diabetes 1997

D. M. NAJMAN; D. PARRA, C. BECKEY, T. THOMAS; S. E. NISSEN

Erectile Dysfunction and Incidence of Cardiovascular Disease

L. MASCITELLI, F. PEZZETTA; B. SCHOUTEN, A. M. BOHNEN, S. THOMAS; J. B. KOSTIS, R. C. ROSEN, R. DEBUSK; I. M. THOMPSON, C. M. TANGEN, P. J. GOODMAN, J. L. PROBSTFIELD, C. M. MOINPOUR, C. A. COLTMAN

Research Letter 2000

Akathisia With Combined Use of Midodrine and Promethazine

S. H. PLATTS, S.-J. SHI, J. V. MECK

122 Years of CONTINUOUS PUBLICATION

EDITOR-IN-CHIEF
Catherine D. DeAngelis, MD, MPH

www.jama.com

(Reprinted) (TABLE OF CONTENTS CONTINUED ON PAGE 1971.) 1969

©2006 American Medical Association. All rights reserved.

JAMA

Humanities

THE COVER 1976
Bend in the Epte River Near Giverny
 M. T. SOUTHGATE

POETRY AND MEDICINE 1978
 Itinerary
 J. K. STANGELAND

A PIECE OF MY MIND 1979
 A Glimpse Backstage
 D. S. WU

JAMA 100 YEARS AGO 2086
 Life Insurance Examination Fees

Reader Service

This Week in JAMA 1973

Masthead 1974

**Author in the Room
 Teleconference** 1978

Archives Journals Abstracts 1981

Correction 2002

Online CME Article 2057

CME Information 2085

Classified Advertising 2087

Journal Advertiser Index 2097

JAMA Contact Information 2099

Instructions for Authors
 January 4, 2006

**The Key and Critical Objectives
 of JAMA**
 January 5, 2005

Editorial Office: (312) 464-2402
 fax: (312) 464-5824
 jamams@jama-archives.org
Subscriptions: (800) 262-2350
 fax: (312) 464-5831
 ama-subs@ama-assn.org
Permissions: (312) 464-2513
 fax: (312) 464-5843
 permissions@ama-assn.org

All articles published, including editorials, letters, and book reviews, represent the opinions of the authors and do not reflect the official policy of the American Medical Association or the institution with which the author is affiliated, unless this is clearly specified.

www.jama.com

EDITORIALS

**Evidence-Based Treatments for Alcohol Dependence:
 New Results and New Questions** 2075
 H. R. KRANZLER

**Alternatives to Estrogen for Treatment of Hot Flashes:
 Are They Effective and Safe?** 2076
 J. A. TICE, D. GRADY

BOOK AND MEDIA REVIEWS 2079

**Death's Door—Modern Dying and the Ways We Grieve:
 A Cultural Study (Gilbert)**
 REVIEWED BY H. MATHIASSEN

**How Doctors Think: Clinical Judgment and
 the Practice of Medicine (Montgomery)**
 REVIEWED BY D. E. MOORE, JR

Multimedia Primary Care Procedures (Tuggy et al)
 REVIEWED BY M. SHELTON

Why People Die by Suicide (Joiner)
 REVIEWED BY L. D. HANKOFF

**The Midnight Meal and Other Essays About Doctors,
 Patients, and Medicine (Lowenstein)**
 REVIEWED BY R. COHEN

Books and Media Received

JAMA PATIENT PAGE

Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism 2100

News and Analysis

MEDICAL NEWS & PERSPECTIVES 1987

Animal-Human Diseases Targeted to Stop Pandemics Before They Start

CT Angiography: Clearer Picture, Fuzzier Reception

Drug Shows Promise for Marfan Syndrome

FROM THE CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION 1991

Inhalation Anthrax Associated With Dried Animal Hides—
 Pennsylvania and New York City, 2006

Enterovirus Surveillance—United States, 2002-2004

Surveillance for Illness and Injury After Hurricane Katrina—
 Three Counties, Mississippi, September 5–October 11, 2005

©2006 American Medical Association. All rights reserved.

(Reprinted) 1971