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Lee A. Green; Georges Potworowski; Anya Day; Rachelle May-Gentile; Danielle Vibbert; Bruce Maki; Leslie Kiesel
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General Practitioners Recognizing Alcohol Dependence: A Large Cross-Sectional Study in 6 European Countries
Jurgen Rehm; Allaman Allamani; Roberto Della Vedova; Zsuzsanna Elekes; Andrzej Jakubczyk; Inga Landsmane; Jakob Manthey; José Moreno-Españo; Lars Pieper; Charlotte Probst; Sigita Snikere; Pierluigi Struzzo; Fabio Voller; Hans-Ulrich Wittchen; Antoni Gual; Marcin Wojnar
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Effectiveness of Psychological Treatments for Depressive Disorders in Primary Care: Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis
Klaus Linde; Kirsten Sigterman; Levente Kriston; Gerta Rücker; Susanne Jamil; Karin Meissner; Antonius Schneider
Psychological treatments for adult depression in primary care are effective compared to usual care or placebo, according to this meta-analysis of RCTs.

Efficacy and Acceptability of Pharmacological Treatments for Depressive Disorders in Primary Care: Systematic Review and Network Meta-Analysis
Klaus Linde; Levente Kriston; Gerta Rücker; Susanne Jamil; Isabelle Schumann; Karin Meissner; Kisten Sigterman; Antonius Schneider
A meta-analysis of RCTs conducted in primary care shows best evidence for use of TCAs and SSRIs in treatment of depression.

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Valerie J. King; Patricia L. Fontaine; Lesley A. Atwood; Elizabeth Powers; Lawrence M. Leeman; Jeffrey L. Ecker; Melissa D. Avery; Carol Sakala; Doug Campos-Outcalt; Michelle Jeffcott-Pera; Bellinda K. Schoof
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