

# Gordon A Francis

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56	2012 update of the Canadian Cardiovascular Society guidelines for the diagnosis and treatment of dyslipidemia for the prevention of cardiovascular disease in the adult. <i>Canadian Journal of Cardiology</i> , <b>2013</b> , 29, 151-67	3.8	545
55	2016 Canadian Cardiovascular Society Guidelines for the Management of Dyslipidemia for the Prevention of Cardiovascular Disease in the Adult. <i>Canadian Journal of Cardiology</i> , <b>2016</b> , 32, 1263-1282	3.8	543
54	Nuclear receptors and the control of metabolism. <i>Annual Review of Physiology</i> , <b>2003</b> , 65, 261-311	23.1	500
53	Contribution of intimal smooth muscle cells to cholesterol accumulation and macrophage-like cells in human atherosclerosis. <i>Circulation</i> , <b>2014</b> , 129, 1551-9	16.7	344
52	Smooth muscle cell fate and plasticity in atherosclerosis. <i>Cardiovascular Research</i> , <b>2018</b> , 114, 540-550	9.9	168
51	The National Niemann-Pick C1 disease database: report of clinical features and health problems. <i>American Journal of Medical Genetics, Part A</i> , <b>2007</b> , 143A, 1204-11	2.5	119
50	Impaired ABCA1-dependent lipid efflux and hypoalphalipoproteinemia in human Niemann-Pick type C disease. <i>Journal of Biological Chemistry</i> , <b>2003</b> , 278, 32569-77	5.4	114
49	Smooth Muscle Cells Contribute the Majority of Foam Cells in ApoE (Apolipoprotein E)-Deficient Mouse Atherosclerosis. <i>Arteriosclerosis, Thrombosis, and Vascular Biology</i> , <b>2019</b> , 39, 876-887	9.4	106
48	Contribution of monocyte-derived macrophages and smooth muscle cells to arterial foam cell formation. <i>Cardiovascular Research</i> , <b>2012</b> , 95, 165-72	9.9	104
47	The National Niemann-Pick Type C1 Disease Database: correlation of lipid profiles, mutations, and biochemical phenotypes. <i>Journal of Lipid Research</i> , <b>2010</b> , 51, 406-15	6.3	76
46	ATP-binding cassette transporter A1 expression and apolipoprotein A-I binding are impaired in intima-type arterial smooth muscle cells. <i>Circulation</i> , <b>2009</b> , 119, 3223-31	16.7	73
45	Lysosomal acid lipase: at the crossroads of normal and atherogenic cholesterol metabolism. <i>Frontiers in Cell and Developmental Biology</i> , <b>2015</b> , 3, 3	5.7	71
44	Lysosomal acid lipase deficiency impairs regulation of ABCA1 gene and formation of high density lipoproteins in cholesteryl ester storage disease. <i>Journal of Biological Chemistry</i> , <b>2011</b> , 286, 30624-30635	5.4	70
43	Risk of Premature Atherosclerotic Disease in Patients With Monogenic Versus Polygenic Familial Hypercholesterolemia. <i>Journal of the American College of Cardiology</i> , <b>2019</b> , 74, 512-522	15.1	67
42	PPAR agonists in the treatment of atherosclerosis. <i>Current Opinion in Pharmacology</i> , <b>2003</b> , 3, 186-91	5.1	65
41	2021 Canadian Cardiovascular Society Guidelines for the Management of Dyslipidemia for the Prevention of Cardiovascular Disease in Adults. <i>Canadian Journal of Cardiology</i> , <b>2021</b> , 37, 1129-1150	3.8	62

40	PPAR-alpha effects on the heart and other vascular tissues. <i>American Journal of Physiology - Heart and Circulatory Physiology</i> , <b>2003</b> , 285, H1-9	5.2	60
39	Niemann-Pick C1 protein regulates cholesterol transport to the trans-Golgi network and plasma membrane caveolae. <i>Journal of Lipid Research</i> , <b>2002</b> , 43, 579-589	6.3	59
38	Niemann-Pick C1 protein regulates cholesterol transport to the trans-Golgi network and plasma membrane caveolae. <i>Journal of Lipid Research</i> , <b>2002</b> , 43, 579-89	6.3	59
37	Oxidative tyrosylation of HDL enhances the depletion of cellular cholesteryl esters by a mechanism independent of passive sterol desorption. <i>Biochemistry</i> , <b>1996</b> , 35, 15188-97	3.2	58
36	Canadian Cardiovascular Society Position Statement on Familial Hypercholesterolemia: Update 2018. <i>Canadian Journal of Cardiology</i> , <b>2018</b> , 34, 1553-1563	3.8	58
35	The complexity of HDL. <i>Biochimica Et Biophysica Acta - Molecular and Cell Biology of Lipids</i> , <b>2010</b> , 1801, 1286-93	5	50
34	Peroxisomal proliferator activated receptor-gamma deficiency in a Canadian kindred with familial partial lipodystrophy type 3 (FPLD3). <i>BMC Medical Genetics</i> , <b>2006</b> , 7, 3	2.1	46
33	So Much Cholesterol: the unrecognized importance of smooth muscle cells in atherosclerotic foam cell formation. <i>Current Opinion in Lipidology</i> , <b>2016</b> , 27, 155-61	4.4	43
32	Prevalence of dyslipidemia in statin-treated patients in Canada: results of the DYSlipidemia International Study (DYSIS). <i>Canadian Journal of Cardiology</i> , <b>2010</b> , 26, e330-5	3.8	40
31	Simplified Canadian Definition for Familial Hypercholesterolemia. <i>Canadian Journal of Cardiology</i> , <b>2018</b> , 34, 1210-1214	3.8	36
30	Generation and function of astroglial lipoproteins from Niemann-Pick type C1-deficient mice. <i>Biochemical Journal</i> , <b>2005</b> , 387, 779-88	3.8	35
29	Efficacy and safety of rosuvastatin therapy in children and adolescents with familial hypercholesterolemia: Results from the CHARON study. <i>Journal of Clinical Lipidology</i> , <b>2015</b> , 9, 741-750	4.9	33
28	Correction of apolipoprotein A-I-mediated lipid efflux and high density lipoprotein particle formation in human Niemann-Pick type C disease fibroblasts. <i>Journal of Biological Chemistry</i> , <b>2006</b> , 281, 37081-90	5.4	33
27	Imputation of Baseline LDL Cholesterol Concentration in Patients with Familial Hypercholesterolemia on Statins or Ezetimibe. <i>Clinical Chemistry</i> , <b>2018</b> , 64, 355-362	5.5	32
26	ABCA1-dependent mobilization of lysosomal cholesterol requires functional Niemann-Pick C2 but not Niemann-Pick C1 protein. <i>Biochimica Et Biophysica Acta - Molecular and Cell Biology of Lipids</i> , <b>2012</b> , 1821, 396-404	5	30
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24	Oxysterol generation and liver X receptor-dependent reverse cholesterol transport: not all roads lead to Rome. <i>Molecular and Cellular Endocrinology</i> , <b>2013</b> , 368, 99-107	4.4	28
23	Targeted next-generation sequencing to diagnose disorders of HDL cholesterol. <i>Journal of Lipid Research</i> , <b>2015</b> , 56, 1993-2001	6.3	24

22	Ascertainment Bias in the Association Between Elevated Lipoprotein(a) and Familial Hypercholesterolemia. <i>Journal of the American College of Cardiology</i> , <b>2020</b> , 75, 2682-2693	15.1	24
21	The Niemann-Pick C1 gene is downregulated by feedback inhibition of the SREBP pathway in human fibroblasts. <i>Journal of Lipid Research</i> , <b>2008</b> , 49, 1090-102	6.3	24
20	Targeting HDL-mediated cellular cholesterol efflux for the treatment and prevention of atherosclerosis. <i>Clinica Chimica Acta</i> , <b>1999</b> , 286, 219-30	6.2	23
19	Pathways of smooth muscle foam cell formation in atherosclerosis. <i>Current Opinion in Lipidology</i> , <b>2019</b> , 30, 117-124	4.4	23
18	Cellular cholesterol substrate pools for adenosine-triphosphate cassette transporter A1-dependent high-density lipoprotein formation. <i>Current Opinion in Lipidology</i> , <b>2008</b> , 19, 270-6	4.4	21
17	Apolipoprotein AI efficiently binds to and mediates cholesterol and phospholipid efflux from human but not rat aortic smooth muscle cells. <i>Biochemistry</i> , <b>1999</b> , 38, 16315-22	3.2	21
16	LAL (Lysosomal Acid Lipase) Promotes Reverse Cholesterol Transport In Vitro and In Vivo. <i>Arteriosclerosis, Thrombosis, and Vascular Biology</i> , <b>2018</b> , 38, 1191-1201	9.4	17
15	Contemporary Trends in the Management and Outcomes of Patients With Familial Hypercholesterolemia in Canada: A Prospective Observational Study. <i>Canadian Journal of Cardiology</i> , <b>2017</b> , 33, 385-392	3.8	17
14	Attainment of Recommended Lipid Targets in Patients With Familial Hypercholesterolemia: Real-World Experience With PCSK9 Inhibitors. <i>Canadian Journal of Cardiology</i> , <b>2018</b> , 34, 1004-1009	3.8	16
13	Cholesterol and phospholipid efflux from cultured cells. <i>Methods</i> , <b>2005</b> , 36, 196-206	4.6	11
12	Cerebral cholesterol granuloma in homozygous familial hypercholesterolemia. <i>Cmaj</i> , <b>2005</b> , 172, 495-7	3.5	11
11	Familial hypercholesterolemia in Canada: Initial results from the FH Canada national registry. <i>Atherosclerosis</i> , <b>2018</b> , 277, 419-424	3.1	10
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2	Response to letter regarding article, "contribution of intimal smooth muscle cells to cholesterol accumulation and macrophage-like cells in human atherosclerosis". <i>Circulation</i> , <b>2015</b> , 131, e25	16.7	3
1	Lipid-lowering therapy for primary prevention of premature atherosclerotic coronary artery disease: Eligibility, utilization, target achievement, and predictors of initiation. <i>American Journal of Preventive Cardiology</i> , <b>2020</b> , 2, 100036	1.9	1