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| 1 | Nonalcoholic fatty liver disease: A precursor of the metabolic syndrome. <i>Digestive and Liver Disease</i> , 2015, 47, 181-190. | 0.4 | 551 |
| 2 | Sex Differences in Nonalcoholic Fatty Liver Disease: State of the Art and Identification of Research Gaps. <i>Hepatology</i> , 2019, 70, 1457-1469. | 3.6 | 547 |
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| 10 | Ultrasonographic fatty liver indicator, a novel score which rules out NASH and is correlated with metabolic parameters in NAFLD. <i>Liver International</i> , 2012, 32, 1242-1252. | 1.9 | 155 |
| 11 | Cardiovascular Risk in Non-Alcoholic Fatty Liver Disease: Mechanisms and Therapeutic Implications. <i>International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health</i> , 2019, 16, 3104. | 1.2 | 135 |
| 12 | The independent predictors of non-alcoholic steatohepatitis and its individual histological features.. <i>Hepatology Research</i> , 2016, 46, 1074-1087. | 1.8 | 124 |
| 13 | Cardiovascular risk, lipidemic phenotype and steatosis. A comparative analysis of cirrhotic and non-cirrhotic liver disease due to varying etiology. <i>Atherosclerosis</i> , 2014, 232, 99-109. | 0.4 | 113 |
| 14 | Ultrasonographic fatty liver indicator detects mild steatosis and correlates with metabolic/histological parameters in various liver diseases. <i>Metabolism: Clinical and Experimental</i> , 2017, 72, 57-65. | 1.5 | 110 |
| 15 | Role of ultrasound in the diagnosis and treatment of nonalcoholic fatty liver disease and its complications. <i>Expert Review of Gastroenterology and Hepatology</i> , 2015, 9, 603-627. | 1.4 | 102 |
| 16 | Cardiovascular Disease and Myocardial Abnormalities in Nonalcoholic Fatty Liver Disease. <i>Digestive Diseases and Sciences</i> , 2016, 61, 1246-1267. | 1.1 | 99 |
| 17 | Fatty liver is associated with an increased risk of diabetes and cardiovascular disease - Evidence from three different disease models: NAFLD, HCV and HIV. <i>World Journal of Gastroenterology</i> , 2016, 22, 9674. | 1.4 | 93 |
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| 35 | Hepatitis C Virus-Infected Patients Are "Spared"™ from the Metabolic Syndrome but Not from Insulin Resistance. A Comparative Study of Nonalcoholic Fatty Liver Disease and Hepatitis C Virus-Related Steatosis. <i>Canadian Journal of Gastroenterology & Hepatology</i> , 2009, 23, 273-278. | 1.8 | 27 |
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| 41 | Do Nonalcoholic Fatty Liver Disease and Fetuin-A Play Different Roles in Symptomatic Coronary Artery Disease and Peripheral Arterial Disease?. <i>Diseases (Basel, Switzerland)</i> , 2018, 6, 17. | 1.0 | 15 |
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| 43 | Magnetic Resonance for Quantitative Assessment of Liver Steatosis: A New Potential Tool to Monitor Antiretroviral-Drug-Related Toxicities. <i>Antiviral Therapy</i> , 2012, 17, 965-971. | 0.6 | 11 |
| 44 | Do diabetes and obesity promote hepatic fibrosis in familial heterozygous hypobetalipoproteinemia?. <i>Internal and Emergency Medicine</i> , 2009, 4, 71-73. | 1.0 | 10 |
| 45 | Semi-Quantitative Ultrasonographic Evaluation of NAFLD. <i>Current Pharmaceutical Design</i> , 2020, 26, 3915-3927. | 0.9 | 9 |
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| 52 | NAFLD, Hepatotropic Viruses, and Cardiometabolic Risk. <i>Hepatology</i> , 2017, 65, 2122-2123. | 3.6 | 2 |
| 53 | Do ultrasonographic semiquantitative indices predict histological changes in NASH irrespective of steatosis extent?. <i>Liver International</i> , 2015, 35, 2340-2341. | 1.9 | 1 |