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78	Depression and 18-month prognosis after myocardial infarction. <i>Circulation</i> , 1995 , 91, 999-1005	16.7	1073
77	Depression and coronary heart disease: recommendations for screening, referral, and treatment: a science advisory from the American Heart Association Prevention Committee of the Council on Cardiovascular Nursing, Council on Clinical Cardiology, Council on Epidemiology and Prevention, and Interdisciplinary Council on Quality of Care and Outcomes Research: endorsed by the American	16.7	996
76	Five-year risk of cardiac mortality in relation to initial severity and one-year changes in depression symptoms after myocardial infarction. <i>Circulation</i> , 2002 , 105, 1049-53	16.7	552
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67	Depression and other psychological risks following myocardial infarction. <i>Archives of General Psychiatry</i> , 2003 , 60, 627-36		253
66	Depression in patients with cardiac disease: a practical review. <i>Journal of Psychosomatic Research</i> , 2000 , 48, 379-91	4.1	229
65	The association between major depression and levels of soluble intercellular adhesion molecule 1, interleukin-6, and C-reactive protein in patients with recent acute coronary syndromes. <i>American Journal of Psychiatry</i> , 2004 , 161, 271-7	11.9	219
64	Major depression is associated with lower omega-3 fatty acid levels in patients with recent acute coronary syndromes. <i>Biological Psychiatry</i> , 2004 , 55, 891-6	7.9	178
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62	Reflections on depression as a cardiac risk factor. <i>Psychosomatic Medicine</i> , 2005 , 67 Suppl 1, S19-25	3.7	165

61	Depression and health-care costs during the first year following myocardial infarction. <i>Journal of Psychosomatic Research</i> , 2000 , 48, 471-8	4.1	157
60	Recent evidence linking coronary heart disease and depression. <i>Canadian Journal of Psychiatry</i> , 2006 , 51, 730-7	4.8	149
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58	Depression and anxiety and outcomes of coronary artery bypass surgery. <i>Annals of Thoracic Surgery</i> , 2003 , 75, 314-21	2.7	140
57	Course of depressive symptoms and medication adherence after acute coronary syndromes: an electronic medication monitoring study. <i>Journal of the American College of Cardiology</i> , 2006 , 48, 2218-22 ^{15.1}		136
56	An open-label preliminary trial of sertraline for treatment of major depression after acute myocardial infarction (the SADHAT Trial). Sertraline Anti-Depressant Heart Attack Trial. <i>American Heart Journal</i> , 1999 , 137, 1100-6	4.9	128
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37	AHA science advisory. Depression and coronary heart disease. Recommendations for screening, referral, and treatment. A science advisory from the American Heart Association Prevention Committee to the Council on Cardiovascular Nursing, Council on Clinical Cardiology, Council on Epidemiology and Prevention, and Interdisciplinary Council on Quality of Care Outcomes Research. Are exercise stress tests appropriate for assessing myocardial ischemia in patients with major depressive disorder?. <i>American Heart Journal</i> , 2004 , 148, 621-7		43
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