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Epilepsy and Pregnancy

The Handbook of Immunopharmacology: Lipid Mediators covers a comprehensive overview of lipid mediators, from synthesis through to inhibition. The book discusses the metabolism of arachidonic acid; the measurement of fatty acids and their metabolites; and the biological properties of cyclooxygenase products. The text also describes other essential fatty acids, their metabolites and cell-cell interactions; the inhibitors of fatty acid-derived mediators; as well as the biosynthesis and catabolism of platelet-activating factor. The cellular sources of platelet-activating factor and related lipids; the biological properties of platelet-activating factor; and the effects of platelet-activating factor receptor antagonists are also considered. Immunopharmacologists, immunologists, and pharmacologists will find the book invaluable.

Fetal Pharmacology

This is a newly updated second edition of Blood Pressure Monitoring in Cardiovascular Medicine and Therapeutics. William B. White, MD, and a panel of highly experienced clinicians critically review every aspect of out-of-office evaluation of blood pressure. The world-class opinion leaders writing here describe the significant advances in our understanding of the circadian pathophysiology of cardiovascular disorders.

The Management of Sickle Cell Disease

Fetal medicine has emerged as a separate subspecialty over the last 30 years as a result of major advances in a number of areas, in particular ultrasound imaging, cytogenetics, molecular biology and biochemistry. The widespread use of antenatal screening and diagnostic tests has led to an increased need for obstetricians to have knowledge and skills in fetal medicine. This book provides the information that underpins training programmes in fetal medicine and integrates science and clinical disciplines in a practical and useful way. Clinical sections include: the latest advances in prenatal screening; a systems-based presentation of the diagnosis and management of fetal malformations; complete coverage of common and rare fetal conditions including growth restriction, endocrine and platelet disorders, early pregnancy loss, and twins/multiple pregnancy. More focus on important basic-science concepts, such as maternofetal cell trafficking, and the relevance to clinical management.

My Monticello

Preeclampsia is a multisystem inflammatory syndrome that is not well understood. It is defined as the onset of hypertension (blood pressure greater than 140/90) and proteinuria during the second half of pregnancy (greater than 20 weeks' gestation). While the condition can remain mild until delivery, it can also evolve rapidly into severe hypertension, proteinuria, and eclampsia or hemolysis, elevated liver enzymes, and low platelets (HELLP) syndrome, with risk of organ and systemic complications and maternal or fetal death. Even when preeclampsia does not proceed to HELLP syndrome or eclampsia, severe preeclampsia can lead to neurological and visual disturbances, epigastric or right upper quadrant pain, pulmonary edema, or cyanosis. The only curative treatment once preeclampsia develops is delivery, with obvious implications for the health of the infant when it occurs preterm. Systems for diagnosing and classifying the severity of disease vary across professional societies and organizations, including the American College of Obstetrics and Gynecology (ACOG), the American Society of Hypertension (ASH), and obstetrics and gynecology professional organizations in the United Kingdom, Canada, New Zealand, and Australia. ACOG defines severe preeclampsia as any case of preeclampsia that includes one or more of the following characteristics: severe hypertension (systolic at or above 160 mm Hg or diastolic at or above 110 mm Hg), severe proteinuria (ACOG: greater than 5 g/24 hours; ASH: greater than 3g/24 hours), severe oliguria (very low urine output), cerebral or visual
disturbances (i.e., headache, blurry vision, scotomata), right upper quadrant pain, pulmonary edema or cyanosis, impaired liver function, thrombocytopenia, or fetal growth restriction. Other organizations include the timing of onset (Manual of Neonatal Care

Master the effective evaluation of placental-fetal growth restriction (PFGR), whilst reducing the risk of perinatal mortality and morbidity in patients worldwide.

Chesley's Hypertensive Disorders in Pregnancy

This manual provides a practical approach to the diagnosis and management of problems of neonates. The book is divided into four sections: Maternal and Fetal Problems, Neonatal Problems, Procedures, and Appendices. An outline format provides quick access to a large amount of information. The Fifth Edition has been fully updated to reflect advances in caring for ever smaller neonates. Two popular appendices from the third edition, Effects of Maternal Drugs on the Fetus and Drug Use by Nursing Mothers, are reincorporated into the new edition.

Placental Bed Disorders

Understanding gene expression and how it changes under normal and pathological conditions is essential to our understanding of the fundamentals of cell biology through to the targeted treatment of disease. In Gene Expression Profiling: Methods and Protocols, Second Edition, experts in their particular fields compile detailed protocols for a broad range of techniques, currently available and being further developed, for the analysis of gene expression at the DNA, RNA, and protein levels. Written in the highly successful Methods in Molecular Biology™ series format, chapters include introductions to their respective topics, lists of the necessary materials and reagents, step-by-step, readily reproducible laboratory protocols, and tips on troubleshooting and avoiding known pitfalls. Practical and easy-to-use, Gene Expression Profiling: Methods and Protocols, Second Edition presents a collection of clearly described and illustrated chapters, certain to be helpful to researchers in academia, in hospitals, and in industry who are interested in applying techniques, whether basic or advanced, for the analysis of gene expression.

Low Birthweight in Minority and High-risk Women

An essential companion for busy professionals seeking to navigate stroke-related clinical situations successfully and make quick informed treatment decisions.

Obstetrics and Gynecology at a Glance

This book summarizes several aspects of GD, which is caused by not well-understood multifactorial mechanisms. Common strategies seem to be key in the understanding of the syndrome, i.e., endothelial dysfunction and the role of other placenta cells such as trophoblasts. It is a book that will definitively help to increase the knowledge-based management of GD for the well being of the mother and the fetus. Several chapters lead us to the conclusion that pre-pregnancy and antenatal screening of women is required, something that will improve the management and outcome of a current pregnancy but will also optimize life-long health and well being considering the inter-generational consequences.

Gestational Diabetes

Pregnancy affects the physiology of women as their bodies adapt to the growing life within them; but how does this affect how you manage general, or pre-existing medical complaints? How do you differentiate the effects of pregnancy from genuine medical conditions? What are the effects of the ‘standard’ treatments on the growing fetus? What about breastfeeding? In this brand-new edition of de Swiet’s Medical Disorders in Clinical Practice, expert physicians present the best evidence and practical wisdom to guide you and your patients through their pregnancy and illness, to a successful birth and early motherhood. Using a combination of algorithms, years of experience and an evidence-based approach, this book will help you to: Diagnose difficult to identify conditions during pregnancy Effectively prescribe for pregnant and lactating women Overcome the challenges of imaging, anesthesia and critical care for pregnant women de Swiet’s assists you in navigating the many challenges pregnancy presents for both the patient and physician.


Fully-updated new edition of the essential guide to managing hematological conditions, affecting mother and baby during pregnancy and post-partum.

Low-Dose Aspirin for the Prevention of Morbidity and Mortality From Preeclampsia: A Systematic Evidence Review for the U.S. Preventive Services Task Force

Systemic lupus erythematosus, the prototype of an autoimmune disorder, may affect several organs and may run a chronic course between relapse and remission. This book covers important aspects of the disease, including epidemiology, pathophysiology, and neuropsychiatric manifestations, including basic science and clinical features and management. In affected patients, the fundamental problem of fertility is reassessed including the risk of the disease, the possibility of fetal loss, the safety of drugs during pregnancy, and the current diagnostic and suggested therapeutic strategies of reproductive medicine. Finally, the issue of pathogenesis is revisited with a thorough description of animal models in relation to physiology and potential novel therapies.
Lupus

This new third edition of The ESC Textbook of Cardiovascular Medicine is a ground breaking initiative from the European Society of Cardiology that is transforming reference publishing in cardiovascular medicine in order to better serve the changing needs of the global cardiology community. Providing the evidence-base behind clinical practice guidelines, with in-depth peer-reviewed articles and broad coverage of this fast-moving field, both the print and digital publication are invaluable resources for cardiologists across the world. Overseen by Professors A. John Camm, Thomas F. Lüscher, Patrick W. Serruys, and Gerald Maurer, supported by an editorial board of subject experts, and more than 900 of the world’s leading specialists from research and the clinical contributing, this dynamic encyclopaedic resource covers more than 63 disciplines within cardiology. Split into six key parts; Introduction to the cardiovascular system; Investigations; Heart diseases; Vascular disease; Special populations, and Other aspects of cardiology, providing readers with a trustworthy insight into all aspects of cardiovascular medicine. To respond nimbly to the rapid evolution of the field the digital publication, ESC CardioMed, is continuously updated by the author teams. With expert editors and authors, and stringent peer-review, the publication combines the discoverability of digital with the highest standards of academic publishing. Highly illustrated with embedded multi-media features, along with cross-referenced links to ESC Clinical Practice Guidelines, related content and primary research data in European Heart Journal, as well as all other major journals in the field, ESC CardioMed provides users with the most dynamic and forward thinking digital resource at the heart of cardiology. As a consistently evolving knowledge base, the ESC Textbook of Cardiovascular Medicine 3e together with the online counterpart ESC CardioMed, equips all those, from trainees and consultants, to device specialists and allied healthcare professionals with a powerful, multifacetted resource covering all aspects of cardiovascular medicine.

Obstetric and Intrapartum Emergencies

This book Clinical Trials in Vulnerable Populations has 12 chapters divided into 4 sections: Minority Patients, Women, Medically Compromised Patients and Clinical Trials. Contributing authors came from several countries, from Serbia to Turkey. The book was edited by Professor Milica Prostran MD, Ph.D., specialist in Clinical Pharmacology. The potential reader is shown a modern approach to clinical trials in vulnerable populations, from different points of view. The chapters deal at length and clarity with their topics. Finally, I believe, that this book I edited and reviewed with dedication will capture the attention of many readers, from medical students to practicing doctors and pharmacists. All of whom must consider this very important field of medicine: clinical trials in vulnerable patients.

Low-Dose Aspirin for the Prevention of Morbidity and Mortality from Preeclampsia: a Systematic Evidence Review for the U. S. Preventive Services Task Force

It is now recognized that defective placentation in the human is a cause of many pregnancy complications, such as spontaneous abortion, preterm labor and delivery, pre-eclampsia, intrauterine growth restriction, fetal death and abruptio placenta. These clinical disorders can often have long-term consequences into adulthood, causing cardiovascular disease, obesity and diabetes for the newborn as well as an increased risk of premature death in the mother. This is the first book to be entirely focused on the placental bed, bringing together the results of basic and clinical research in cell biology, immunology, endocrinology, pathology, genetics and imaging to consolidate in a single, informative source for investigators and clinicians. Its core aim is to explore new approaches and improve current clinical practice. This is essential reading for clinicians in obstetric, cardiovascular and reproductive medicine.

The Obstetric Hematology Manual

This book is B&W copy of the government agency publication. This edition of The Management of Sickle Cell Disease (SCD) is organized into four parts: Diagnosis and Counseling, Health Maintenance, Treatment of Acute and Chronic Complications, and Special Topics. The original intent was to incorporate evidence-based medicine into each chapter, but there was variation among evidence-level scales, and some authors felt recommendations could be made, based on accepted practice, without formal trials in this rare disorder. The best evidence still is represented by randomized, controlled trials (RCTs), but variations exist in their design, conduct, endpoints, and analyses. It should be emphasized that selected people enter a trial, and results should apply in practice specifically to populations with the same characteristics as those in the trial. Randomization is used to reduce imbalances between groups, but unexpected factors sometimes may confound analysis or interpretation. In addition, a trial may last only a short period of time, but long-term clinical implications may exist. Another issue is treatment variation, for example, a new pneumococcal vaccine developed after the trial, which has not been tested formally in a sickle cell population. Earlier trial results may be accepted, based on the assumption that the change is small. In some cases, RCTs cannot be done satisfactorily (e.g., for ethical reasons, an insufficient number of patients, or a lack of objective measures for sickle cell “crises”). Thus the bulk of clinical experience in SCD still remains in the moderately strong and weaker categories of evidence. Not everyone has an efficacious outcome in a clinical trial, and the frequency of adverse events, such as with long-term transfusion programs or hematopoietic transplants, might not be considered. Thus, an assessment of benefit-risk ratio should enter into translation of evidence levels into practice recommendations. A final issue is that there may be two alternative approaches that are competitive (e.g., transfusions and hydroxyurea). In this case the pros and cons of each course of treatment should be discussed with the patient.

Clinical Trials in Vulnerable Populations

Chesley's Hypertensive Disorders in Pregnancy

This book presents the RCOG Study Group findings on pregnant women with renal problems.

Maternal Hemodynamics
The clinical syndrome of preeclampsia is due to vasospasm, endothelial dysfunction, and altered red cell zeta potential. It is a culmination of multiple etiologies and pathophysiological modifications by epigenetics and the human immune system. Since the etiology and pathogenesis of preeclampsia are segregated and multifactorial, there is no single clinical, biophysical, or biochemical marker that can predict all types of this condition. This book provides a set of tentative specific prediction markers that can be used to identify different subtypes of preeclampsia, classify pathogenesis, categorize treatment, and identify early signs of complications.

**Inside The Mind Of A Child**

An A-Z listing of drugs by generic name. Each monograph summarizes the known and/or possible effects of the drug on the fetus. It also summarizes the known/possible passage of the drug into the human breast milk. A careful and exhaustive summarization of the world literature as it relates to drugs in pregnancy and lactation. Each monograph contains six parts: generic US name, Pharmacologic class, Risk factor, Fetal risk summary, Breast feeding summary.

**de Swiet's Medical Disorders in Obstetric Practice**

50 Studies Every Obstetrician-Gynecologist Should Know presents key studies that have shaped the practice of obstetrics and gynecology. This book is a must-read for obstetrician-gynecologists, internists, family practitioners, nurse practitioners, and midwives, as well as anyone who wants to learn more about the data behind clinical practice.

**Hypertensive Disease in Pregnancy**

This comprehensively updated new edition provides a thorough and dynamically-illustrated overview of the female reproductive organs, care of the female during pregnancy, childbirth and the postnatal period. It is clinically relevant, with a focus on diagnosing, managing and treating disorders and abnormalities and is fully aligned with medical school curricula. Obstetrics and Gynecology at a Glance: • Recaps basic history taking, anatomy and endocrinology and focuses on clinically relevant information • Covers each topic in a double-page spread, packed with charts, graphs, photographs and visuals • Includes thoroughly updated sections on reproductive endocrinology, infertility and urogynecology The Companion website at www.ataglanceseries.com/obgyn features interactive flashcards, case studies and multiple-choice questions (MCQs). Obstetrics and Gynecology at a Glance is the perfect guide for medical students, junior doctors and midwives, and is ideal for those embarking on clinical rotations and the clerkship.

**Unexpected**

The first few months of any pregnancy are of supreme importance to the success of that pregnancy. This statement is so obvious as to be almost a platitude, yet it must be said that no aspect of pregnancy has been more neglected in the human than the first three months. Little is known of the morphological changes that occur at that time and our knowledge of the mechanisms that control this vital stage of pregnancy is almost non-existent. The explanation for this neglect of what is an obvious area for study is the difficulty of obtaining normal material. It is rare to have material to study from a healthy first trimester pregnancy and the study by Hertig and Rock(1) of early conception found by chance in hysterectomy specimens must be unique. The information that we do have about early pregnancy is mostly gained from animal studies or single miscarriages in humans. Chromosomal defects are common but are not an explanation for the majority of recurrent miscarriages. Obstetricians have hypothesised many causes for this condition and have deve loped numerous metQods for treating it, but the studies have been poorly con trollled so that our understanding of the cause(s) has not advanced. Treatment of women with a history of recurrent miscarriage by paternal leucocyte infusion (immunotherapy) may be yet another form of treatment that is hailed as a new advance only to be rejected when subject to rigorous testing.

**Lipid Mediators**

Hypertensive disorders remain one of the major causes of maternal and fetal morbidity and death. It is also a leading cause of preterm birth now known to be a risk factor in remote cardiovascular disease. Despite this, the hypertensive disorders remain marginally studied, and their management is commonly controversial. Chesley’s Hypertensive Disorders in Pregnancy remains one of the beacons to guide this field, recognized for its uniqueness and utility. The Third Edition continues this tradition, focusing on prediction, prevention, and management for clinicians, and is an essential reference text for clinical and basic investigators alike. Differing from other texts devoted to preeclampsia, it covers the whole gamut of high blood pressure, not just preeclampsia. NEW TO THE THIRD EDITION: *

**Gene Expression Profiling**

'ELECTRIFYING' Colson Whitehead ‘ABSOLUTELY UNFORGETTABLE’ Roxane Gay At a time of rolling blackouts and terrible storms battering America, the neighbourhood of First Street, Charlottesville comes under attack by violent white supremacists. A group of friends, families and strangers flee together in an abandoned bus and head for the hills above town. Led by Da'Naisha Love, they arrive at Monticello, the historic plantation-home of Thomas Jefferson, deserted but for its ghosts. As a young Black descendant of Jefferson and Sally Hemings, Da'Naisha has a complex relationship with the house. Tentative at first, the group explores rooms, forages on the grounds, and finds a kind of shelter. But the terror from their town is coming closer, and soon they have an impossible decision to make. My Monticello is the story of nineteen heart-stopping days of refuge and reclamation, told by Da'Naisha with courage and grace. This deeply moving novel is a searing indictment of racism past and present, and a powerful vision of resistance, community and hope. *A METRO CHRISTMAS GIFT PICK 2021* 'ONE OF THE FINEST NOVELS OF 2021 and A FUTURE CLASSIC' The Bookseller Early readers love My Monticello (reviews from NetGalleys): 'So much to love A truly astonishing debut' *****'What an incredible voice she has' *****'Deserves the praise heaped upon it' *****'Johnson's writing is vivid and bold' ****'The end is terrific, terrifying and mind blowing' ****'Raw, powerful and a great contemporary voice' ****'Definitely deserves a spot on your reading list' ****
Blood Pressure Monitoring in Cardiovascular Medicine and Therapeutics

Hypertension, or high blood pressure, is the most common medical problem encountered during pregnancy, complicating 2-3% of pregnancies (Medscape). This book is a comprehensive guide to hypertensive disease in pregnancy. Beginning with an introduction to the condition and its diagnosis, the following chapters describe the management of different disorders caused by high blood pressure including treatment of preeclampsia, HELLP syndrome, hypertensive disorders in second and third stages of labour, and postpartum hypertension. Written by an internationally recognised author and editor team, many from the UK, this invaluable reference includes more than seventy images and illustrations. Key points Comprehensive guide to hypertensive disease in pregnancy Covers management of many disorders associated with high blood pressure in pregnancy Internationally recognised author and editor team, many from UK Includes more than 70 images and illustrations

New Technologies and Perinatal Medicine

Linocut prints illustrate the description of the osprey and its habitat.

Low-dose Aspirin for the Prevention of Morbidity and Mortality from Preeclampsia

The gold-standard guide from the AAP and ACOG -- newly updated and more valuable than ever! Significantly revised and updated, the new 8th edition of this bestselling manual provides the latest recommendations on quality care of pregnant women, their fetuses, and their newborn infants. Jointly developed by the American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) and American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists (ACOG), this unique resource addresses the full spectrum of perinatal medicine from both the obstetric and pediatric standpoints. New in the 8th edition: New section on suggested levels of maternal care from birth centers to Level IV institutions New sections on screening for preterm delivery risk added to chapter on antepartum care New topics covered include the timing of cord clamping, the need (or not) for bedrest, and updates in hypertension Guidance regarding postpartum contraception recommendations has been expanded New section on mosquito-borne illnesses (including Zika) New section on infections with high-risk infection control issues Updated recommendations on neonatal resuscitation, screening and management of hyperbilirubinemia, and neonatal drug withdrawal.

Fetal Medicine

Obstetric and Intrapartum Emergencies provides a comprehensive guide to treating perinatal emergencies before it is too late.

The Stroke Book

Highly readable, well illustrated, and easy to understand, Obstetrics: Normal and Problem Pregnancies remains your go-to choice for authoritative guidance on managing today’s obstetric patient. Reflecting the expertise of internationally recognized authorities, this bestselling obstetrics reference has been thoroughly revised to bring you up to date on everything from ultrasound assessment of fetal anatomy and growth, to medical complications in pregnancy, to fetal therapy and much more! Consult this title on your favorite e-reader with intuitive search tools and adjustable font sizes. Elsevier eBooks provide instant portable access to your entire library, no matter what device you’re using or where you’re located. Benefit from the knowledge and experience of international experts in obstetrics. Gain a new perspective on a wide range of today’s key issues - all evidence based and easy to read. Stay current with new coverage of fetal origins of adult disease, evidence-based medicine, quality assessment, nutrition, and global obstetric practices. Find the information you need quickly with bolded key statements, additional tables, flow diagrams, and bulleted lists for easy reference. View new ultrasound nomograms in the Normal Values in Pregnancy appendix.

Drugs in Pregnancy and Lactation

Chesley’s Hypertensive Disorders in Pregnancy continues its tradition as one of the beacons to guide the field of preeclampsia research, recognized for its uniqueness and utility. Hypertensive disorders remain one the major causes of maternal and fetal morbidity and death. It is also a leading cause of preterm birth now known to be a risk factor in remote cardiovascular disease. Despite this the hypertensive disorders remain marginally studied and management is often controversial. The fourth edition of Chesley’s Hypertensive Disorders in Pregnancy focuses on prediction, prevention, and management for clinicians, and is an essential reference text for clinical and basic investigators alike. Featuring new chapters focusing on recent discoveries in areas such as fetal programming, genomics/proteomics, and angiogenesis Includes extensive updates to chapters on epidemiology, etiological considerations, pathophysiology, prediction, prevention, and management Discusses the emerging roles of metabolic syndrome and obesity and the increasing incidence of preeclampsia Each section overseen by one of the editors; each chapter co-authored by one of the editors, ensuring coherence throughout book

Renal Disease in Pregnancy

Discover new concepts in cardiovascular and hemodynamic functionality in feto-maternal medicine, from leading experts in the field.

50 Studies Every Obstetrician-Gynecologist Should Know
Epilepsy in pregnancy poses a serious threat to the mother and to her developing child. Even in previously well-controlled epilepsy, physiological changes in the mother during pregnancy and also during labour and delivery can alter the pharmacokinetic drug (AED) therapy causing increased seizure frequency.

**Obstetrics: Normal and Problem Pregnancies E-Book**

The potential impact of work being conducted in genomics, proteomics, and metabolomics upon clinical practice for gynecologists is immense but not yet completely appreciated. This groundbreaking text from international experts examines the newest topics on the perinatal agenda and gives clinicians a real look into the future via the newest methodologies.

**Guidelines for Perinatal Care**

Now in a fully updated Fifth Edition, Shnider and Levinson's Anesthesia for Obstetrics, continues to provide the comprehensive coverage that has made it the leading reference in the field. The rising number of Cesarean births and the more advanced age of first-time mothers in the United States have brought with them an increased risk for complications, making the role of the obstetric anesthesiologist increasingly important. This comprehensive reference addresses maternal and fetal physiology; fetal assessment; anesthesia and analgesia in both vaginal and Cesarean delivery; neonatal well-being; management of fetal, maternal, and anesthetic complications; and management of coexisting disorders in the mother. The Fifth Edition includes a new editorial team, a new full-color format, and new sections on Assessment of the Fetus, Anesthesia for Cesarean Delivery; Neonatal Well-Being: Old and New Concepts; Ethical, Medical, and Social Challenges and Issues; Maternal Safety, Difficult and Failed Intubation, Morbidity, and Mortality; and Anesthetic Considerations for Reproductive, In-Utero, and Non-Obstetric Procedures.

**The Esc Textbook of Cardiovascular Medicine**

What to Expect When You're No Longer Expecting When your baby dies, you find yourself in a life you never expected. And even though pregnancy and infant loss are common, they're not common to you. Instead, you feel like a stranger in your own body, surrounded by well-meaning people who often don't know how to help you. What you need during this time is not a book offering easy answers. You need a safe place to help you navigate what comes next, such as: - Coping with a postpartum body without a baby in your arms. - Facing social isolation and grief invalidation. - Wrestling with faith when you feel let down by God. - Dealing with the overwhelming process of making everyday decisions. - Learning to move forward after loss. - Creating a legacy for your child. In Unexpected, bereaved mom Rachel Lewis is the friend you never knew you'd need, walking you through the unique grief of baby loss.

**Early Pregnancy Loss**

**Prediction of Maternal and Fetal Syndrome of Preeclampsia**

OBJECTIVE: We conducted a systematic review of the evidence on the use of low-dose aspirin for the prevention of morbidity and mortality from preeclampsia to support the U.S. Preventive Services Task Force (USPSTF) in updating its previous recommendations. Prior reviews have established that benefits of aspirin prophylaxis are not obtained in populations of healthy or unselected pregnant women not at high risk of preeclampsia. In this review we considered the evidence on benefits and harms of low-dose aspirin for women at elevated risk of developing preeclampsia and consequent maternal and fetal health outcomes. Three key questions (KQs) were systematically reviewed: 1) Is there evidence that aspirin reduces adverse maternal or fetal health outcomes? 2) Is there evidence that aspirin reduces incidence of preeclampsia? and 3) What are the harms of low-dose aspirin use during pregnancy? DATA SOURCES: We identified nine existing relevant systematic reviews and performed a search of MEDLINE, the Database of Abstracts of Reviews of Effects, PubMed, and the Cochrane Collaboration Registry of Controlled Trials for studies published from January 2006 through 2013. We supplemented searches by examining bibliographies from previous systematic reviews and retrieved articles, previous USPSTF reviews, and consulting outside experts. We searched Federal agency trial registries for ongoing and/or unpublished trials. STUDY SELECTION: We conducted dual independent review of 525 abstracts against a priori inclusion and exclusion criteria. The 73 potentially relevant articles identified were then independently evaluated by two reviewers against the same inclusion/exclusion criteria and critically appraised for quality/risk of bias using USPSTF criteria. Discrepancies were resolved in discussion with a third reviewer. A single investigator extracted study characteristics and outcomes for all fair- to good-quality studies into tables and a second reviewer checked accuracy. DATA ANALYSIS: Evidence for all KQs was qualitatively synthesized. Quantitative synthesis of outcomes where there was sufficient data used random-effects meta-analysis models as the primary analysis. Analyses were stratified by the timing of aspirin administration and dosage, with statistical tests of strata differences conducted. Funnel plots and tests for small-study effects were conducted. RESULTS: One large U.S. study (n=2,539), one large international study based in the United Kingdom (n=9,364), and 13 smaller trials were included for evaluation of benefits of aspirin. Additionally, six randomized, controlled trials (RCTs) of women not at increased risk for preeclampsia contributed to the analysis of harms. Five of these studies were prophylaxis RCTs among women with low or average preeclampsia risk: a good-quality multisite study in the United States (n=3,135) and a smaller U.S. study (n=606), a good-quality multisite study in France and Belgium (n=3,294), a good-quality hospital-based study in Barbados (n=3,647), and a fair-quality U.K.-based study (n=122). The sixth study was a good-quality Australia-based RCT of fetal growth restriction treatment (n=51). Two observational studies were also included for the review of harms: a good-quality cohort study following 47,400 women enrolled during pregnancy and a good-quality case-control study based on data from a large prospective cohort study (n=3,129). Based on pooled results, low-dose aspirin administered after the first trimester of pregnancy to women at elevated risk of preeclampsia reduced the risk of preeclampsia by at least 10 percent (and perhaps 24%), with beneficial effects on perinatal health outcomes; intratracheal growth restriction (IUGR) was reduced 20 percent and preterm birth an estimated 14 percent, although the actual effect for these two outcomes may be more modest, given the possible bias due to small-study effects. Consistent with findings of lower rates of preterm birth and IUGR, birth weight averaged 130 g more in infants whose mothers took low-dose aspirin. We did not find evidence of serious harms from aspirin use (i.e., no effect on perinatal mortality), although power was limited for such a rare event. Individual trials were inconsistent, with nonstatistically significant findings in the direction of both modest benefit and modest harm; pooling of
perinatal mortality findings suggested a tendency toward a reduced (rather than increased) risk of perinatal mortality (relative risk [RR], 0.92 [95% CI, 0.76 to 1.96]), particularly when analyses were limited to only women at increased risk of preeclampsia (RR, 0.81 [95% CI, 0.65 to 1.01]). Similarly, available evidence on intracranial fetal bleeding suggested no effect with low-dose aspirin (RR, 0.84 [95% CI, 0.61 to 1.16]). Although there was no overall effect of low-dose aspirin on several maternal harms (i.e., postpartum hemorrhage, Cesarean delivery), we could not eliminate the possibility of an increased risk of abruption because of power limitations and heterogeneity of risk for preeclampsia. Pooling limited to trials enrolling higher-risk pregnant women (the target for aspirin intervention) somewhat attenuated the potential for harm from abruption, but results remained heterogeneous. Two observational studies on aspirin use during pregnancy had null findings for the potentially harmful outcomes considered (miscarriage and cryptorchidism). LIMITATIONS: Very little new evidence has accrued since the completion of a number of large studies conducted in the 1990s. Since then there have been multiple systematic reviews, including one individual-level meta-analysis, and a few smaller trials (n

**Placental-Fetal Growth Restriction**

This is the story of a little girl named Stacy, Stacy was use to having it all being in a comfortable living environment, but once her mother left her wealthy husband things became very rocky for Stacy. Come along and explore inside the mind of little Stacy its a very interesting story with twists and turns.