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Articles published in September 2021

Editors' Choice of the month, JRM:

[Physical inactivity after stroke: Incidence and early predictors based on 190 individuals in a 1-year follow-up of the fall study of Gothenburg](#)

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Comments by the authors: Physical activity has a positive impact on our bodies and minds. We performed this study in order to find determinants for low physical activity after stroke, with a wish to make a difference for those suffering a stroke. Physical inactivity before the stroke, stroke severity and fear of falling were determined as risk factors among the 190 individuals in the study. We believe the knowledge acquired from this study is of clinical importance at the stroke unit, to enable the early identification of patients at risk of becoming physically inactive, to improve the planning of individualized rehabilitation and to promote physical activity....[Read more](#)

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Anna Norlander, Ingrid Lindgren, Hélène Pessah-Rasmussen, Gunvor Gard, Christina Brogårdh

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Luz H. Lugo-Agudelo, Kelly Mariana Cruz Sarmiento, Maria Alejandra Spir Brunal, Juan Velásquez Correa, Ana Maria Posada Borrero, Luisa Fernanda Mesa Franco, Rosarita Di Dio Castagna Ianini, Paola Andrea Ramírez Pérez LIS, Claudia Marcela Vélez, Daniel F. Patiño Lugo, Christoph Gutenbrunner

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Title and authors

1. [Diagnosing sarcopenia: Functional perspectives and a new algorithm from the ISarcoPRM](#)
Murat Kara, Bayram Kaymak, Walter Frontera, Ayşe Merve Ata, Vincenzo Ricci, Timur Ekiz, Ke-Vin Chang, Der-Sheng Han, Xanthi Michail, Michael Quittan, Jae-Young Lim, Jonathan F. Bean, Franco Franchignoni, Levent Özçakar
2. [Effectiveness of total knee arthroplasty rehabilitation programmes: A systematic review and meta-analysis](#)
Waleed Alrawashdeh, Jörg Eschweiler, Filippo Migliorini, Yasser El Mansy, Markus Tingart, Björn Rath
3. [Benefit and safety of incobotulinumtoxinA for early management of post-stroke spasticity in a patient with SARS-CoV-2: A case report](#)
Carlos Cordero-García, María del Mar Sáenz de Tejada Sánchez

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<i>Year</i>	<i>Title and authors</i>	<i>Citations</i>
2018	Rehabilitation: The health strategy of the 21st century Gerold Stucki, Jerome Bickenbach, Christoph Gutenbrunner, John Melvin	54
2019	Factors associated with persistent post-concussion symptoms following mild traumatic brain injury in adults Jennifer Ponsford, Sylvia Nguyen, Marina Downing, Marije Bosch, Joanne N. McKenzie, Simon Turner, Marisa Chau, Duncan Mortimer, Russell L. Gruen, Jonathan Knott, Sally Green	32
2020	Long-term clinical outcomes in survivors of severe acute respiratory syndrome (SARS) and middle east respiratory syndrome (MERS) coronavirus outbreaks after hospitalisation or ICU admission: A systematic review and meta-analysis Hassaan Ahmed, Kajal Patel, Darren C. Greenwood, Stephen Halpin, Penny Lewthwaite, Abayomi Salawu, Lorna Eyre, Andrew Breen, Rory O'Connor, Anthony Jones, Manoj Sivan	119