

ANSWERING REVIEWERS



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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed the edited manuscript in Word format (file name: 28470-Review.doc).

Title: Clinical Disease Registries in Acute Myocardial Infarction

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The manuscript has been improved according to the suggestions of reviewers:

1. The format has been updated to include an unstructured abstract, a short 'core tips' section and some 'key words'.
2. The references are now in the correct format. For the large majority of references we are able to provide both a PubMed citation number and DOI. In a few cases we were able to find one, but not both of these. We attach, where relevant, the articles with neither.
3. The tables have been extracted from the text and appear at the end of the article - each on a separate page.
4. The article is not paginated - i.e. this electronic document does not contain page numbers.
5. Revision has been made according to the suggestions of the reviewer
 - (1) Table 1 has been included to demonstrate key examples of influential registries
 - (2) We have included more information about the potential to use of registries in the facilitation of randomized interventional trials. We refer to (and cite) the TASTE trial (ref number 67) and a further registry-based randomized clinical trial (RRCT) of oxygen therapy in myocardial infarction (ref 68). We point to the reported cost savings of this type of trial.
 - (3) Table 3 has been included to demonstrate the advantages and disadvantages of various types of registry
- 6 References and typesetting were corrected

Thank you again for publishing our manuscript in the *World Journal of Cardiology*

Sincerely yours,

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