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NationalComprehensiveanceNetwork(NCCNRecommendationRatingScale

Categoryof Consensus	Quality of Evidence	Levelof Consensus
1	High	Uniform
2A	Lower	Uniform
2B	Lower	Non-uniform
3	Any	Major disagreement

Category1: Therecommendation's basedon high-levelevidence(ie, high-powered randomized: linicaltrials or meta-analyses) and the panelhas reached uniform consensuse that the recommendation's indicated.

recognizes that given imperfect information, institutions may adopt different approaches A Category 2 B designations hould signal to the user that more than one approach can be inferred from the existing data.

Category3: Including the recommendation AssInudyn2 (6 (a)-3.2)Tj -0.004 Tc 0.004 Tw848 -1.2

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Designation

Recommendation

Rationale