

Lessons Learned from the HEAL Trial

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Overview

This activity is needed to better understand why promising therapies like erythropoietin may fail to prove effective in large randomized clinical trials.

Objectives

At the conclusion of this activity, the participant will be able to:

- Explain the preliminary data supporting the use of erythropoietin for neuroprotection in Hypoxic ischemic encephalopathy (HIE) and the results of the HEAL Trial.
- Describe the knowledge gleaned from the HEAL Trial ancillary studies released to date.

ACGME/ABMS Competencies

- Patient Care and Procedural Skills
- Medical Knowledge

IOM Competencies

- Provide patient-centered care
- Employ evidence-based practice

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