Editor’s Note to Authors and Readers: Levels of Evidence coming to Neurology®

Effective January 15, 2009, authors submitting Articles or Clinical/Scientific Notes to Neurology® that report on clinical therapeutic studies must state the study type, the primary research question(s), and the classification of level of evidence assigned to each question based on the classification scheme requirements shown below (left). While the authors will initially assign a level of evidence, the final level will be adjudicated by an independent team prior to publication. Ultimately, these levels can be translated into classes of recommendations for clinical care, as shown below (right). For more information, please access the articles and the editorial on the use of classification of levels of evidence published in Neurology.¹-³

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