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- Maximum word count of text 1250 words
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- Structured abstract: 250 words
- Maximum word count of text 3000 words
- Maximum of 25 references
- Maximum 3 allowed tables or figures
- Use the following five headings in the main text: introduction, subjects/patients/materials and methods, results, discussion, and conclusion. This is followed by acknowledgements, disclaimer, conflicts of interest and funding disclosure. Do not use any other sub-headings.
- State clearly when and where the study was conducted

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- Quote the ethical approval and informed consent if applicable
- A **clinical trial number** should be included for all Randomized Controlled/Clinical trials and Non-Randomized Clinical Trials

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- Maximum of 10 references
- Maximum 2 allowed tables or figures
- Use the following three headings in the main text: introduction, patients/methods and results, and conclusion. Do not forget to add the heading of acknowledgement if required.

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- Maximum word count of text: 400 words
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