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Guideline Recommendation

Guidelines by Clinical Area

- Adrenal
- Bone Health and Osteoporosis
- Cardiovascular Endocrinology
- Diabetes Mellitus and Glucose Metabolism
- Endocrine Cancer and Neoplasia
- Female Reproductive Endocrinology
- Hypoglycemia
- Male Reproductive Endocrinology
- Neuro-Endocrinology Conditions
- Obesity Management and Therapies
- Pediatric Endocrinology
- Transgender Medicine and Research
GUIDELINE DEVELOPMENT TIMELINE

1. **TOPIC SELECTION**
   Potential topics identified through membership survey and annual surveillance of guidelines to be updated; Clinical Guidelines Committee (CGC) analyzes specific criteria and makes recommendation to the Board of Directors (BOD)

2. **PANEL SELECTION**
   Panel chairs and members nominated by CGC, BOD, and Co-Sponsors and vetted for Conflict of Interest (COI)

3. **SCOPING**
   Specific purpose, populations, and perspectives established

4. **PICO AND OUTCOME PRIORITIZATION**
   The most important clinical questions and outcomes are identified through discussion and survey

5. **SYSTEMATIC REVIEW OF EVIDENCE**
   External research team conducts systematic review and analyzes the body of evidence

6. **RECOMMENDATION DEVELOPMENT**
   Panel uses the Evidence-to Decision framework to go from the evidence to recommendation

7. **REVIEW PERIOD**
   Input on draft solicited from stakeholders and public

8. **PUBLICATION IN JCEM**

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