

Journal Club – Presentation template

BACKGROUND AND OVERVIEW	
Journal name, article title, date of publication	
Study objectives/purpose (and research hypothesis, if applicable)	
Brief background (why issue is important, current patient? summary of previous literature)	
Funding sources	
METHODS	
Study design and methodology (randomization, blinding?)	
Patient selection & enrollment [inclusion/ exclusion criteria, time period of data collection]	
Outcome measures/ endpoints	
Statistical analyses	
RESULTS	
Enrollment & baseline characteristics (usually “Table 1”)	
Summary of primary and secondary outcomes including subgroup analysis, etc. Be sure to include both efficacy and safety parameters, if appropriate	

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AUTHORS' DISCUSSION & CONCLUSIONS	
Brief summary of authors' main discussion points	
Author's conclusions	
YOUR DISCUSSION & CONCLUSIONS	
Study strengths	
Study limitations	
Applicability and impact for our patients (How will this change our current practice?)	
Your Conclusions and recommendations	