Title:  Point of Care Devices for Assessing Acetaminophen Toxicity

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Research question:
What is the comparative clinical and cost-effectiveness effectiveness of point of care devices to measure acetaminophen toxicity?

Methods:
A limited literature search was conducted on key health technology assessment resources, including PubMed, the Cochrane Library (Issue 2, 2007), University of York Centre for Reviews and Dissemination (CRD) databases, ECRI, EuroScan, international HTA agencies, and a focused Internet search. Results include articles published between 2002 and the present, and are limited to English language publications only. Internet links are provided, where available.

Results:

Health technology assessments
None found

Systematic reviews/Meta-Analyses
None found

General guidelines and recommendations:

   ~See page 15 to 19 for most relevant section (no specific, applicable point of care tests discussed)
Randomized Controlled Trials
None found

Clinical studies:


~This is the same clinical study as #1 by Bebarta, et al. However, there is a possibility that different/additional outcomes are reported.

Economic Evaluations
None found

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Appendix – Further information

Manufacturer’s information:


Additional references:


