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Editors' Choice of the month:

[Effectiveness of non-surgical interventions for rotator cuff calcific tendinopathy: A systematic review](#)

Mitchell Simpson, Tania Pizzari, Tim Cook, Stuart Wildman, and Jeremy Lewis



Comments by the authors: A lot of what we know about rotator cuff calcific tendinopathy (RCCT) is contentious. For clinicians and their patients, this leads to further uncertainty, misinformation, and in some cases inappropriate treatment regimes. To help best inform clinicians, and therefore best support patients diagnosed with RCCT, we conducted a systematic review of the most up-to-date non-surgical intervention techniques. Our findings help to address these goals and identify areas in need of further research... [Read more](#)

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