

Guidelines International Network Standards for Clinical Practice Guidelines

Title of the Guideline	American Society of Hematology 2018 guidelines for management of venous thromboembolism: diagnosis of venous thromboembolism
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Guideline specifies its objective(s) and scope.	<input type="checkbox"/> Somewhat	
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<u>Peer Review and Stakeholder Consultations</u> Review by external stakeholders conducted before guideline publication.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> Somewhat	https://ashpublications.org/bloodadvances/article/2/22/3226/16134/American-Society-of-Hematology-2018-guidelines-for?searchresult=1 Page 3236
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