

## iCAHE Guideline Quality Check List

**Guideline:** ESC/ESA Guidelines on non-cardiac surgery: cardiovascular assessment and management (2014)

**Guideline producer:** The European Society of Cardiology (ESC) and the European Society of Anaesthesiology (ESA)

**Link:** <http://www.escardio.org/Guidelines-&Education/Clinical-Practice-Guidelines/ESC-ESA-Guidelines-on-non-cardiac-surgery-cardiovascular-assessment-and-managem>

Availability	Comments
Is the guideline readily available in full text?	Yes 1/(1)
Does the guideline provide a complete reference list?	Yes 1/(1)
Does the guideline provide a summary of its recommendations?	Yes 1/(1)
Dates	
Is there a date of completion available?	No 0/(1)
Does the guideline provide an anticipated review date	No <i>(Only states 'regularly updated')</i> 0/(1)
Does the guideline provide dates for when literature was included?	No 0/(1)
Underlying Evidence	
Does the guideline provide an outline of the strategy they used to find underlying evidence?	No 0/(1)
Does the guideline use a hierarchy to rank the quality of the underlying evidence?	Yes 1/(1)
Does the guideline appraise the quality of the evidence which underpins its recommendations?	No 0/(1)
Does the guideline link the hierarchy and quality of underlying evidence to each recommendation?	No 0/(1)
Guideline developers	
Are the developers of the guideline clearly stated?	Yes 1/(1)
Does the qualifications and expertise of the guideline developer(s) link with the purpose of the guideline and its end users?	Yes 1/(1)
Guideline purpose and users	
Are the purpose and target users of the guideline stated?	Yes 1/(1)
Ease of use	
Is the guideline readable and easy to navigate?	Yes 1/(1)
<b>Score</b>	<b>TOTAL</b> <b>8/14</b>

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