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JCR YEAR

2020

# Western Journal of Emergency Medicine

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JCR ABBREVIATION

WEST J EMERG MED

ISO ABBREVIATION

West. J. Emerg. Med.

## Journal information

EDITION

Science Citation Index Expanded (SCIE)

CATEGORY

EMERGENCY MEDICINE - SCIE

LANGUAGES

English

REGION

USA

1ST ELECTRONIC JCR YEAR

2019

## Publisher information

PUBLISHER

WESTJEM

ADDRESS

C/O SHAHRAM LOTFIPOUR, MD, MPH, 333 CITY BLVD W STE 640, RT 128-01, ORANGE, CA 92868

PUBLICATION FREQUENCY

6 issues/year

# Journal's performance

## Journal Impact Factor

The Journal Impact Factor (JIF) is a journal-level metric calculated from data indexed in the Web of Science Core Collection. It should be used with careful attention to the many factors that influence citation rates, such as the volume of publication and citations characteristics of the subject area and type of journal. The Journal Impact Factor can complement expert opinion and informed peer review. In the case of academic evaluation for tenure, it is inappropriate to use a journal-level metric as a proxy measure for individual researchers, institutions, or articles. [Learn more](#)

2020 JOURNAL IMPACT FACTOR

2.453

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JOURNAL IMPACT FACTOR WITHOUT SELF CITATIONS

2.263

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## Journal Impact Factor contributing items

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Citable items (274)

Citing Sources (389)

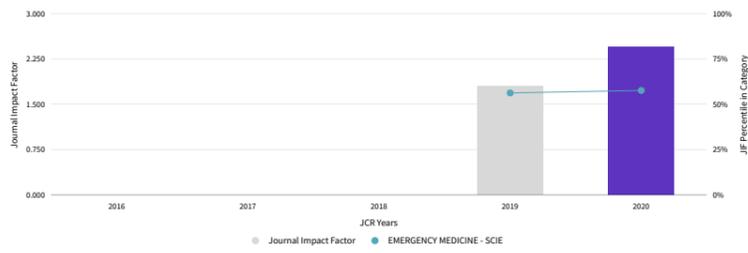
TITLE

CITATION



## Journal Impact Factor Trend 2020

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Burnout, Drop Out, Suicide: Physician Loss in Emergency Medicine, Part I	21	▼
Understanding the Use of Composite Endpoints in Clinical Trials	11	▼
Feasibility and Usability of Tele-interview for Medical Residency Interview	10	▼
Nicotine Gateway Effects on Adolescent Substance Use	10	▼
Substance Use, Homelessness, Mental Illness and Medicaid Coverage: A Set-up	10	▼
The Emergency Department as an Opportunity for Naloxone Distribution	10	▼
Journal Club in Residency Education: An Evidence-based Guide to Best Practices	9	▼
Assessment of Physician Well-being, Part One: Burnout and Other Negative States	9	▼
Paramedic Out-of-hospital Cardiac Arrest Case Volume s a Predictor of Return of	9	▼
Evaluation and Management of Septic Arthritis and its Mimics in the Emergency	8	▼

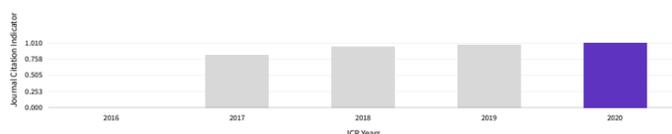
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## Journal Citation Indicator (JCI)

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### 1.01

The Journal Citation Indicator (JCI) is the average Category Normalized Citation Impact (CNCI) of citable items (articles & reviews) published by a journal over a recent three year period. The average JCI in a category is 1. Journals with a JCI of 1.5 have 50% more citation impact than the average in that category. It may be used alongside other metrics to help you evaluate journals. [Learn more](#)



## Total Citations

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### 3,365

The total number of times that a journal has been cited by all journals included in the database in the JCR year. Citations to journals listed in JCR are compiled annually from the JCR years combined database, regardless of which JCR edition lists the journal.



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# Citation distribution

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The Citation Distribution shows the frequency with which items published in the year or two years prior were cited in the JCR data year (i.e., the component of the calculation of the JIF). The graph has similar functionality as the JIF Trend graph, including hover-over data descriptions for each data point, and an interactive legend where each data element's legend can be used as a toggle. You can view Articles, Reviews, or Non-Citable (other) items to the JIF numerator. [Learn more](#)

ARTICLE CITATION  
MEDIAN

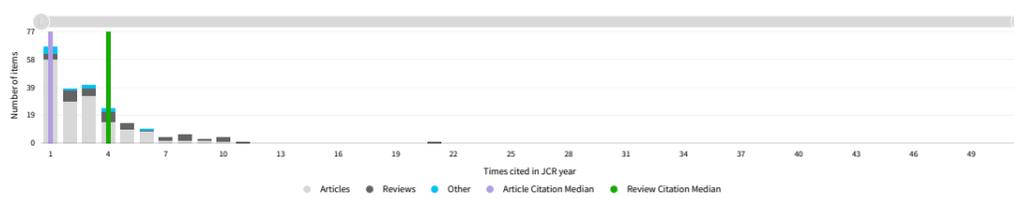
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REVIEW CITATION  
MEDIAN

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UNLINKED  
CITATIONS

8



TIMES CITED

0

ARTICLES

71

REVIEWS

2

OTHER

38

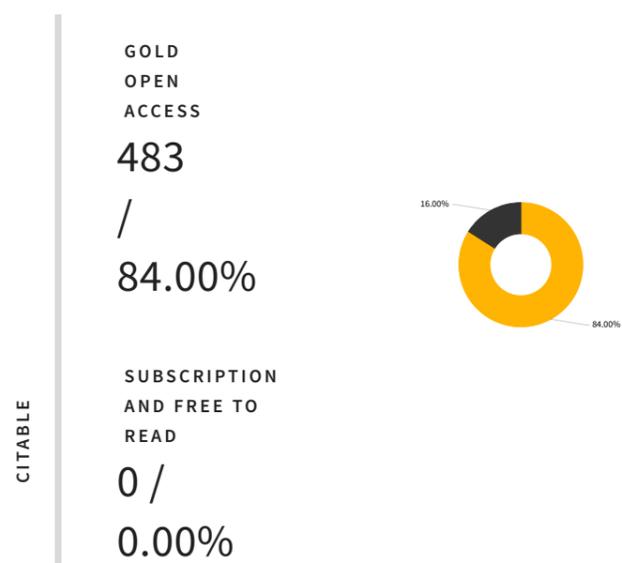
# Open Access (OA)

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The data included in this tile summarizes the items published in the journal in the JCR data year and in the previous two years. For example, in the 2020 JCR data, released in June 2021, the Open Access (OA) data show the publication model (Gold OA or subscription) of materials published in 2018, 2019 and 2020, and citations in 2020 to these items. This three-year set of published items is used to provide descriptive analysis of the content and community of the journal. [Learn more](#)

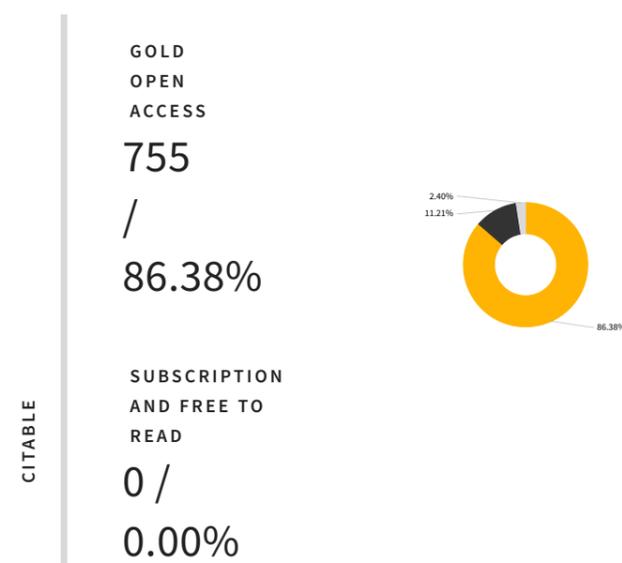
## Items

TOTAL CITABLE 483  
% OF CITABLE OA 100.00%



## Citations\*

TOTAL CITABLE 755  
% OF CITABLE OA 100.00%



NON-CITABLE  
OTHER (NON CITABLE ITEMS)  
92 /  
16.00%

NON-CITABLE  
OTHER (NON CITABLE ITEMS)  
98 /  
11.21%

UNLINKED CITATIONS  
21 /  
2.40%

\*Citations in 2020 to items published in [2018 - 2020]

## Rank by Journal Impact Factor

Journals within a category are sorted in descending order by Journal Impact Factor (JIF) resulting in the Category Ranking below. A separate rank is shown for each category in which the journal is listed in JCR. Data for the most recent year is presented at the top of the list, with other years shown in reverse chronological order. [Learn more](#)

EDITION

Science Citation Index Expanded (SCIE)

CATEGORY

EMERGENCY MEDICINE

14/32

JCR YEAR	JIF RANK	JIF QUARTILE	JIF PERCENTILE	
2020	14/32	Q2	57.81	<input type="text"/>
2019	14/31	Q2	56.45	<input type="text"/>

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CATEGORY

## EMERGENCY MEDICINE

# 14/51

JCR YEAR	JCI RANK	JCI QUARTILE	JCI PERCENTILE	
2020	14/51	Q2	73.53	
2019	13/31	Q2	59.68	
2018	n/a	n/a	n/a	
2017	n/a	n/a	n/a	

# Content metrics

## Source data

This tile shows the breakdown of document types published by the journal. Citable Items are Articles and Reviews. For the purposes of calculating JIF, a JCR year considers the publications of that journal in the two prior years. [Learn more](#)

## 209 total citable items

	ARTICLES	REVIEWS	COMBINED(C)	OTHER DOCUMENT TYPES(O)	
NUMBER IN JCR YEAR 2020 (A)	189	20	209	43	83%
NUMBER OF REFERENCES (B)	4,596	911	5,507	638	90%
RATIO (B/A)	24.3	45.6	26.3	14.8	

## Average JIF Percentile

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The Average Journal Impact Factor Percentile takes the sum of the JIF Percentile rank for each category under consideration, then calculates the average of those values. [Learn more](#)

ALL CATEGORIES AVERAGE	EDITION
<b>57.812</b>	Science
	Citation
	Index
	Expanded
	EMERGENCY MEDICINE
	<b>57.812</b>

## Contributions by organizations

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Organizations that have contributed the most papers to the journal in the most recent three-year period.

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RANK	ORGANIZATION	COUNT
1	UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SYSTEM	98

## Contributions by country/region

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Countries or Regions that have contributed the most papers to the journal in the most recent three-year period. [Learn more](#)

RANK	COUNTRY / REGION	COUNT
1	USA	541



2	HARVARD UNIVERSITY	58
3	UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN SYSTEM	32
-	UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS SYSTEM	32
5	BROWN UNIVERSITY	31
6	PENNSYLVANIA COMMONWEALTH	30

2	Canada	13
3	Saudi Arabia	6
-	Thailand	6
5	Israel	4
6	GERMANY (FED REP GER)	3
-	Switzerland	3

# Additional metrics

## Eigenfactor Score

**0.00678**

The Eigenfactor Score is a reflection of the density of the network of citations around the journal using 5 years of cited content as cited by the Current Year. It considers both the number of citations and the source of those citations, so that highly cited sources will influence the network more than less cited sources. The Eigenfactor calculation does not include journal self-citations.

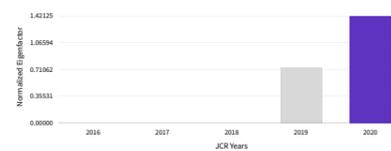
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## Normalized Eigenfactor

**1.42125**

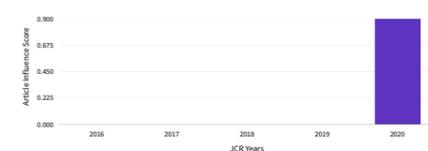
The Normalized Eigenfactor Score is the Eigenfactor score normalized, by rescaling the total number of journals in the JCR each year, so that the average journal has a score of 1. Journals can then be compared and influence measured by their score relative to 1. [Learn more](#)



## Article influence score

**0.900**

The Article Influence Score normalizes the Eigenfactor Score according to the cumulative size of the cited journal across the prior five years. The mean Article Influence Score for each article is 1.00. A score greater than 1.00 indicates that each article in the journal has above-average influence. [Learn more](#)



## Immediacy Index

**0.967**

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The Immediacy Index is the count of citations in the



count of citations in the current year to the journal that reference content in this same year. Journals that have a consistently high Immediacy Index attract citations rapidly. [Learn more](#)

