

Download Coronary Artery Surgery A Critical Review

Coronary artery bypass surgery, also known as coronary artery bypass graft (CABG, pronounced "cabbage") surgery, and colloquially heart bypass or bypass surgery, is a surgical procedure to restore normal blood flow to an obstructed coronary artery. A normal coronary artery transports blood to and from the heart muscle itself, not through the main circulatory system. The use of radial-artery grafts for coronary-artery bypass grafting (CABG) may result in better postoperative outcomes than the use of saphenous-vein grafts. However, randomized, controlled trials ...
INTRODUCTION. The treatment of coronary heart disease (CHD) has evolved significantly over the past several years due in part to improvement in both surgical and percutaneous revascularization techniques. Trial Design. The Aspirin and Tranexamic Acid for Coronary Artery Surgery (ATACAS) trial was a multicenter, double-blind trial with a 2-by-2 factorial design in which patients who were scheduled ...