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Scope: The Transparent Reporting of a multivariable prediction model for Individual Prognosis Or Diagnosis (TRIPOD) Statement was developed to improve the quality of reporting in studies that develop, validate, or update prediction models.

Reference: See source/archetypes/tripod-2015.yml for canonical link and provenance.

Instructions

- Use task list items for checklist boxes; these become interactive checkboxes in PDF.
- Use a span with class .textfield for free-text fields.

Title and Abstract

- 1. Title: Identify the study as one that develops, validates, or updates a multivariable prediction model, specify the target population, and the outcome to be predicted.
- 2. **Abstract:** Provide a summary of the objectives, study design, setting, participants, sample size, predictors, outcome, statistical analysis, results, and conclusions.

Introduction

• 2 3. Background and Objectives: Explain the medical context and rationale for the study, including references to existing models.

Methods

- 2 4. Source of data: Describe the study design and key elements of the study setting.
- ? **5. Participants:** Describe the eligibility criteria for participants.
- ② **6. Outcome:** Clearly define the outcome that is predicted by the model, including how and when it was assessed.
- 2 7. **Predictors:** Clearly define all predictors used in the model, including how and when they were measured.
- ? 8. Sample size: Explain how the study size was determined.
- ? 9. Missing data: Describe how missing data were handled.
- 2 10. Statistical analysis methods: Describe how predictors were handled in the analyses.
- 11. Model development: Specify the type of model, all model-building procedures, and the method for internal validation.

• 2 12. Model performance: Specify all measures used to assess model performance and, if relevant, to compare multiple models.

Results

- 2 13. Participants: Describe the flow of participants through the study.
- 14. Model development: Specify the number of participants and outcome events in each analysis.
- 2 **15. Model specification:** Present the full prediction model for use by others.
- 2 **16. Model performance:** Report performance measures for the prediction model.

Discussion

- ? 18. Limitations: Discuss any limitations of the study.
- 19. Interpretation: Give an overall interpretation of the results, considering objectives, limitations, and other relevant evidence.
- ② 20. Implications: Discuss the implications for practice and research.

Other Information

- 21. **Supplementary information:** Provide information about the availability of supplementary resources.
- 22. Funding: Disclose the source of funding and the role of the funders.

Notes

Provenance

- Source: See sidecar metadata in source/archetypes/tripod-2015.yml
- Version: 2015
- License: Custom; see website