# Article information:

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# Article summary:

1. Portal vein thrombosis (PVT) is the most common form of splanchnic vein thrombosis, accounting for 90% of cases.

2. Anticoagulant therapy should be started early after diagnosis to reduce the occurrence of portal-hypertension related complications.

3. Different treatment options (unfractionated or low molecular weight heparin, vitamin K antagonists and direct oral anticoagulants [DOACs]) can be considered for PVT in cirrhosis-associated, cancer-associated and non-malignant non-cirrhotic PVT scenarios.

# Article rating:

Appears well balanced: The article presents the information in a reliable and balanced way, without biases and prejudices. The claims made in the article are well supported and, where applicable, all sides of the argument are given opportunity to present their point of view. The article appears trustworthy and reliable.

# Article analysis:

The article is generally reliable and trustworthy as it provides a comprehensive overview of the current evidence on the treatment of portal vein thrombosis (PVT). The authors have conducted a thorough review of the literature and have provided an up-to-date narrative review on the topic. The article does not appear to be biased or one-sided, as it presents both sides equally and provides a balanced view on the available evidence. Furthermore, all claims are supported by evidence from relevant studies and there are no unsupported claims or missing points of consideration. The article also does not contain any promotional content or partiality towards any particular treatment option. Additionally, possible risks associated with each treatment option are noted in the article, which further adds to its trustworthiness and reliability.

# Topics for further research:

* Portal vein thrombosis prognosis
* Portal vein thrombosis complications
* Portal vein thrombosis diagnosis
* Portal vein thrombosis risk factors
* Portal vein thrombosis prevention
* Portal vein thrombosis management guidelines

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