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Measuring the Value of Disclosure: The Case of Comparative Risk Data

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Although patients often want to know if their risk for specific conditions is above or below average, some experts have argued against giving such information because it might be biasing or misleading. This presentation examines the ethical reasoning behind this claim and considers responses and relevant empirical research.

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