

Completing Articles Tasks in the ABOG Portal

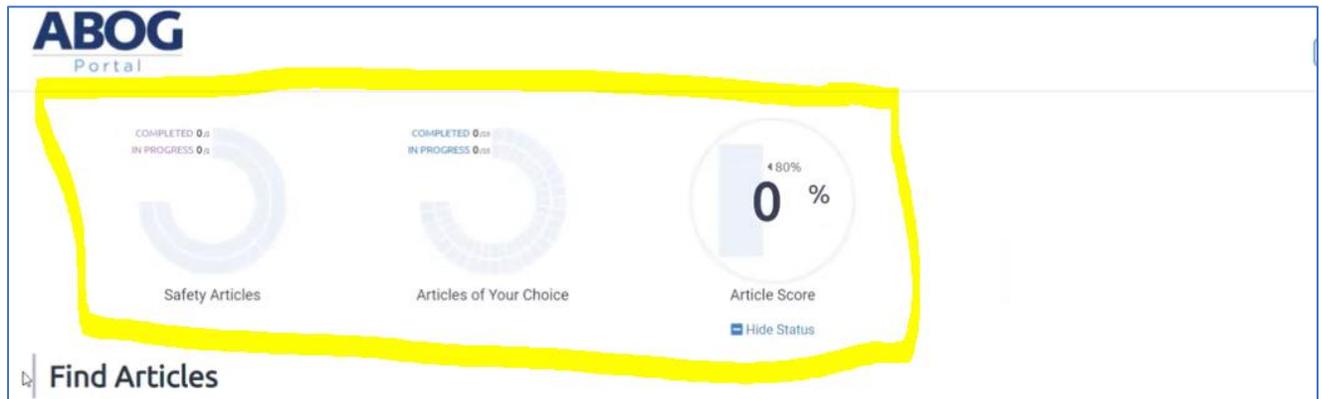
The content below highlights various navigation elements of the Articles section of the new ABOG portal, where you'll work on and complete your article assignments for the Maintenance of Certification program. When you're ready to begin working on article tasks for the current year, there are multiple ways to get there: by clicking on either of the Article Progress or the Article Score graphics, or by clicking on any of the article-based tasks under Certification Tasks.

The screenshot shows the 'My Dashboard' for an 'ACTIVE DIPLOMATE | CYCLE 1, YEAR 4'. The dashboard includes four circular progress indicators: 'Practice Improvement' (1 ACTIVITY, 0 STARTED, 0 COMPLETED), 'Article Progress' (0 of 30), 'Performance Pathway' (98% progress, 496% target), and 'Article Score' (0% progress, 480% target). Below these are 'Certification Tasks' with a 'Hide Completed Tasks' toggle. The tasks listed are: 'Complete Practice Improvement Activity by 12/31/2020' (Pending), 'Add Extra CMEs by 12/31/2020' (Pending), 'Complete Safety Articles by 12/31/2020' (Pending), and 'Complete Articles from Any Category by 12/31/2020' (Pending). A 'My Certification Letter' button is also visible.

Once you click on one of these options, you land on the Find Articles page, where you can view your article progress in more detail and choose the articles you would like to complete for the current MOC year.

The screenshot shows the 'Find Articles' page. At the top, there are three circular progress indicators: 'Safety Articles' (COMPLETED 0, IN PROGRESS 0), 'Articles of Your Choice' (COMPLETED 0, IN PROGRESS 0), and 'Article Score' (0% progress, 480% target). Below these are search filters: 'All Categories' (dropdown), 'All Release Dates' (dropdown), 'Search by Keyword...' (input field), and checkboxes for 'Open Access Only', 'Ultrasound Only', and 'Hide articles added to My Bookmarks'. There are 'Apply' and 'Clear' buttons. A 'My Bookmarks (0)' button is also present. The page lists article categories: 'Reproductive Endocrinology and Infertility | 21 articles', 'Patient Safety and Communication | 3 articles', and 'Emerging Topics | 2 articles'.

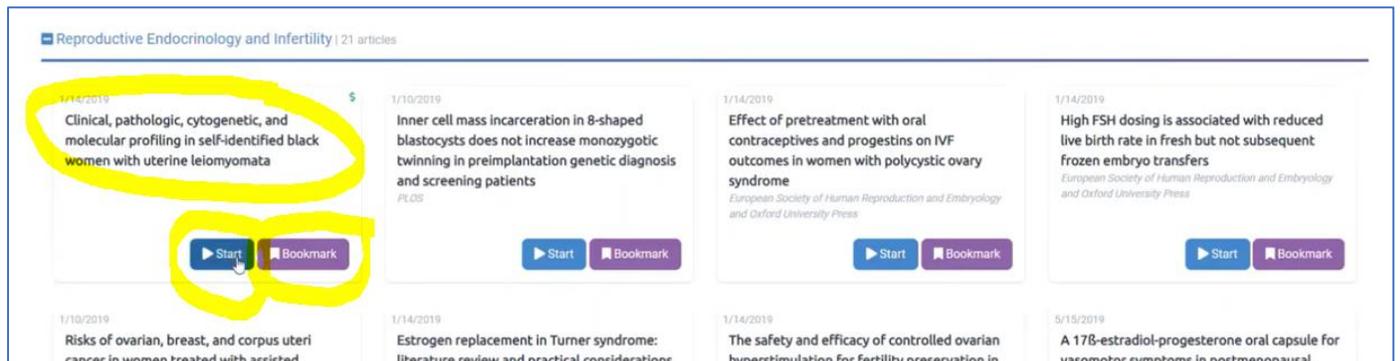
At the top of the page, you'll see graphics with more detail than those that are on your dashboard. If you're a subspecialist or have a focused practice designation, you'll have an additional graphic that shows your article progress for your subspecialty or focused practice.



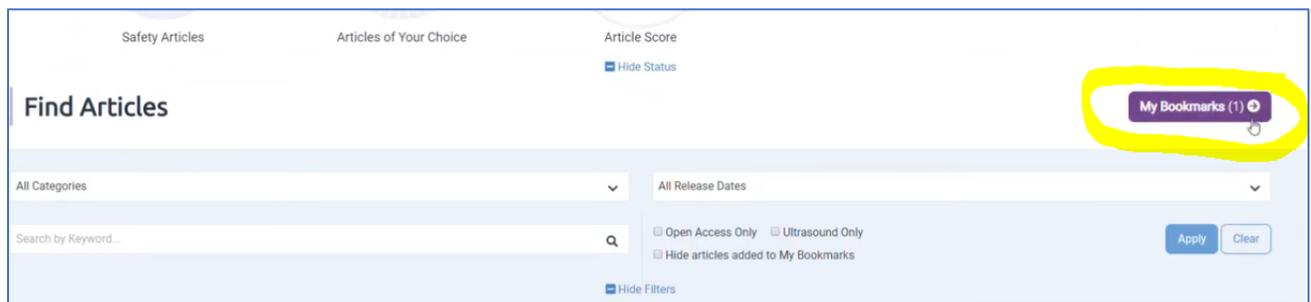
On the Find Articles page, you can search for articles in a variety of ways using the filter fields available to you. You can filter articles by selecting a category from the dropdown menu. Or, you can search by keyword, or you can even filter by release date. You can also filter by Open Access or ultrasound only, and you can choose to hide articles that you have already added to your bookmarks. We'll explain more about bookmarks in just a bit. Once you enter a filter option, you can just hit "enter" on your keyboard or hit "apply". To clear all filters, just hit "clear".

The screenshot shows the filter fields on the Find Articles page. There are two dropdown menus: "All Categories" and "All Release Dates". Below these is a search bar labeled "Search by Keyword..." with a magnifying glass icon. To the right of the search bar are three checkboxes: "Open Access Only", "Ultrasound Only", and "Hide articles added to My Bookmarks". Below these checkboxes is a "Hide Filters" button. To the right of the checkboxes are two buttons: "Apply" and "Clear".

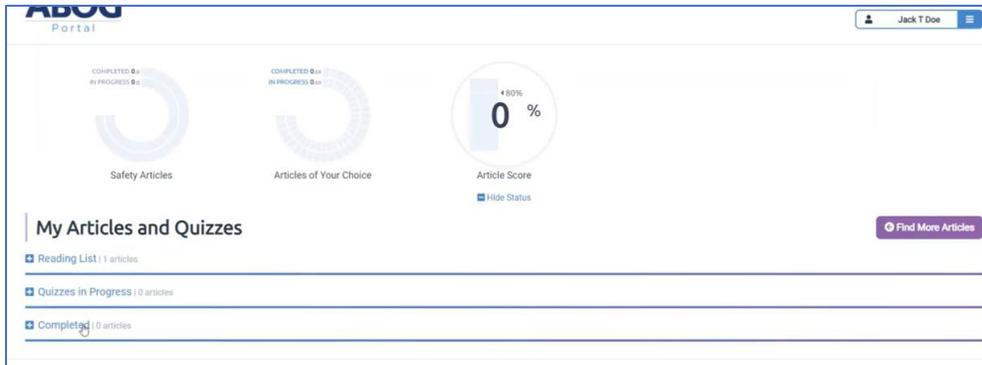
You can view or read an article before you start the quiz by clicking on the article title. Once you've found an article you'd like to complete, you can either click Start to start the quiz immediately or click bookmark. Clicking bookmark will save an article to a special bookmark section, so you can continue looking for other articles and come back to that article later.



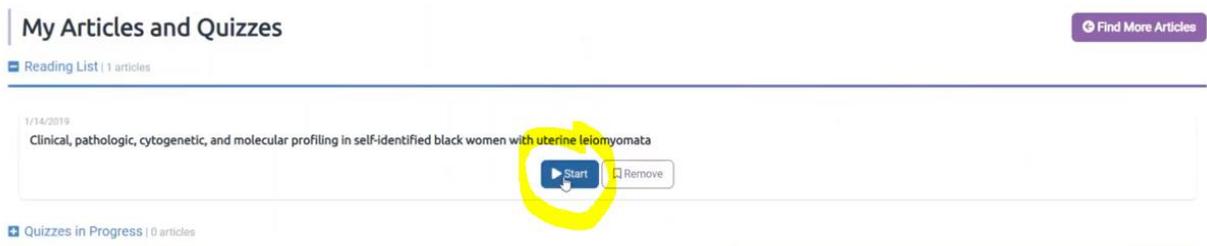
If you decide to bookmark articles, you can find your bookmarked or “saved” articles by clicking on the button in the top right area of this page, right above the filters, titled My Bookmarks.



On this page, you can view articles that you've bookmarked under “Reading List”, quizzes in progress, and article assignments that you've completed.



If you want to start a quiz from a saved article within your Reading List, expand the Reading List category and click on Start on the article you want to complete.



Remember, once you start a quiz, that article will count toward your MOC score and cannot be deselected. If you change your mind about an article and have not started the quiz, you can unbookmark the article by clicking Remove to remove it from your reading list.

To get back to the Find Articles page to search for additional articles, just click on the Find More Articles button in the top right.



To return to the portal dashboard, click on the portal logo in the top left corner of the page, or use the button in the menu in the top right corner.

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