

Clinically Irrelevant In medical research or radiology, a finding is considered clinically irrelevant when it:

Does not influence diagnosis, treatment, prognosis, or patient outcomes

Adds no actionable information to clinical decision-making

May be anatomically interesting or technically elegant, but offers no benefit to patient care

□ Key Characteristics: No diagnostic utility – The finding does not help differentiate between diseases or guide further testing.

No therapeutic implication – It does not change surgical planning, medication, or intervention strategy.

No prognostic value – It has no known correlation with outcomes or risk stratification.

Lack of validation – Often based on single-case, preclinical, or non-reproducible observations.

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