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The impact of delay in clozapine initiation on treatment outcomes in patients with treatment-resistant schizophrenia: A systematic review

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Highlights

- Literature examining the specific impact of delay in clozapine initiation on patient outcomes is very limited.
- Available studies indicate a link between delay in clozapine use and poorer treatment outcomes in treatment-resistant schizophrenia
- Age appears to predict delay in clozapine initiation.
- Future research exploring the predictors and consequences of clozapine delay is warranted.

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