

Appendix 1: Search strategy for systematic review

Database: Ovid MEDLINE(R) 1946 to Present with Daily Update, Ovid MEDLINE(R) In-Process & Other Non-Indexed Citations <December 22, 2015>

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Search Strategy:

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- 1 Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome/ (932)
 - 2 (neonat* adj3 Abstinence).tw,kf. (514)
 - 3 ((withdraw* or abstinence) adj3 (substance* or symptom* or syndrome* or drug* or opioid* or opiate*)).tw,kf. (19016)
 - 4 (passive adj3 addiction*).tw,kf. (15)
 - 5 Substance Withdrawal Syndrome/ (20258)
 - 6 3 or 4 or 5 (32102)
 - 7 (infant* or infancy or newborn* or new-born* or baby* or babies or neonat* or toddler*).mp. (1314214)
 - 8 6 and 7 (1861)
 - 9 1 or 2 or 8 (2326)

4 duplicates removed.

2322 total from Medline.