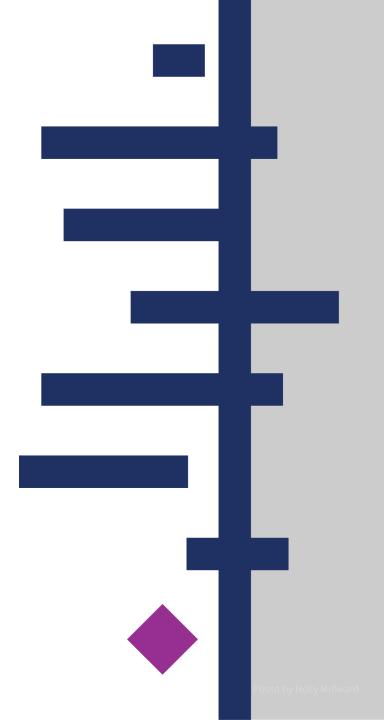




How to Search in the Cochrane Library

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Site Navigation and Search

Browse options for Cochrane Reviews

- By Topic
- By Cochrane Review Group

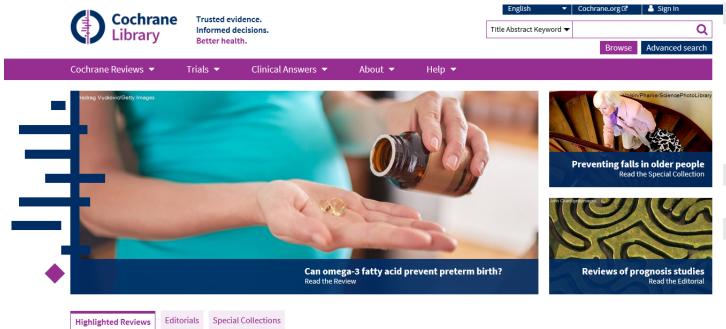
Search Options

- Basic Search on Homepage
- Search Tab
- MeSH
- Search Manager
- Alerts



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Cochrane Library Homepage



Autologous platelet concentrates for treating periodontal infrabony defects

Massimo Del Fabbro, Lorena Karanxha, Saurav Panda, Cristina Bucchi, Jayakumar Nadathur Doraiswamy, Malaiappan Sankari, Surendar Ramamoorthi, Sheeja Varghese, Silvio Taschieri

26 November 2018

Oral isotretinoin for acne

Caroline S Costa, Ediléia Bagatin, Ana Luiza C Martimbianco, Edina MK da Silva, Marília M Lúcio, Parker Magin, Rachel Riera 24 November 2018





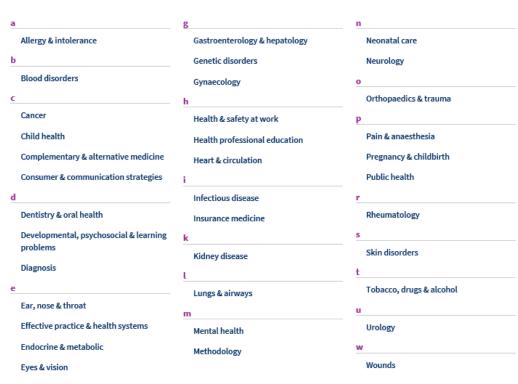
Browse options

Browse by Topic

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...or Browse by Cochrane Review Group

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Browse Cochrane Reviews:

- By Topic
- By Review Group

Use filters to refine your selection.



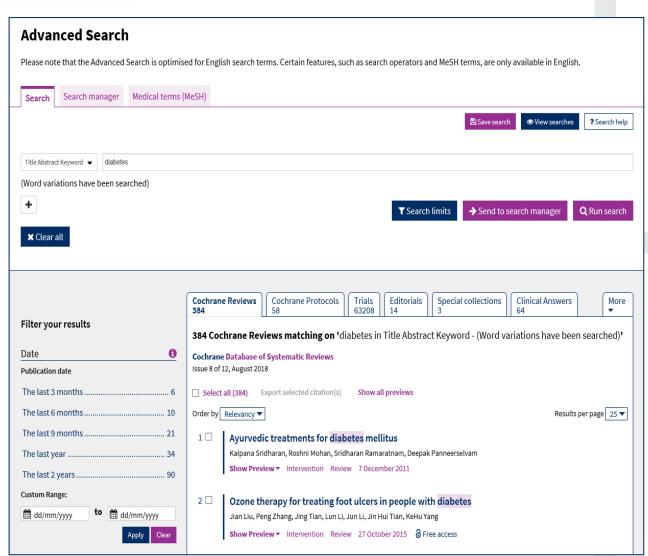


"SEARCH" Options

All existing search options are provided on three tabs:

- Search
- Search Manager
- Medical Terms (MeSH)

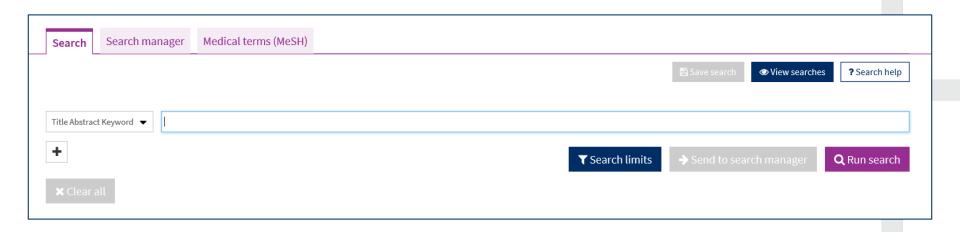
Each tab provides options to view search results and saved searches all on the same page.







Search tab

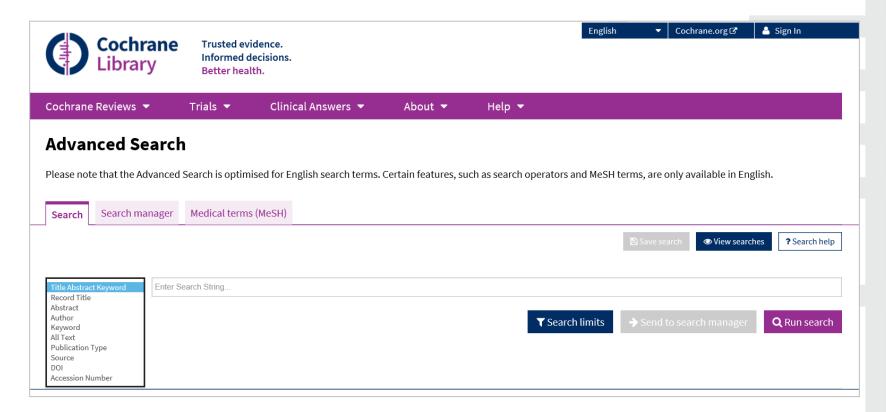


Use the Search Tab for quick and easy searching of the Cochrane Library.





Field limits

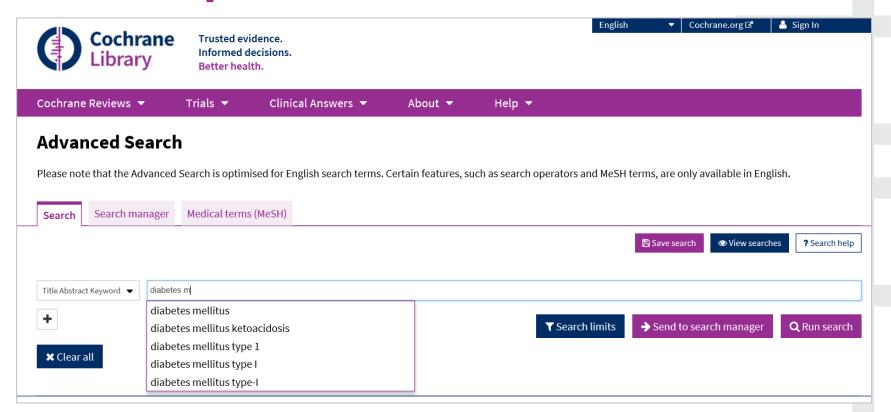


Supports all field limits currently offered in the Cochrane Library.





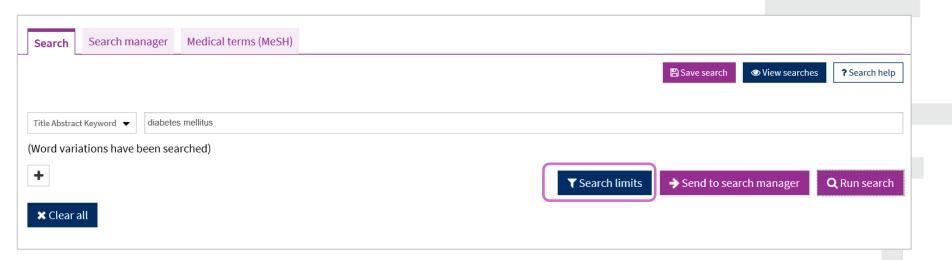
Autocomplete feature



As the user types, common search terms are presented.



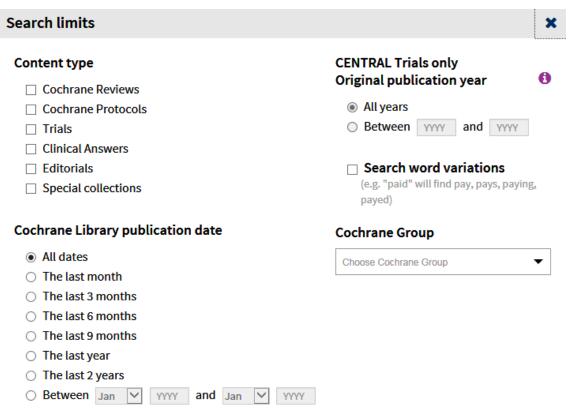
Limits



Use this link to add search limits to restrict a search by specific database, article status, or date of publication.



Limits



Use Search Limits to restrict your search by

- Content type
- By Review Group
- Date

Apply limits

Clear

Online Date





Add lines

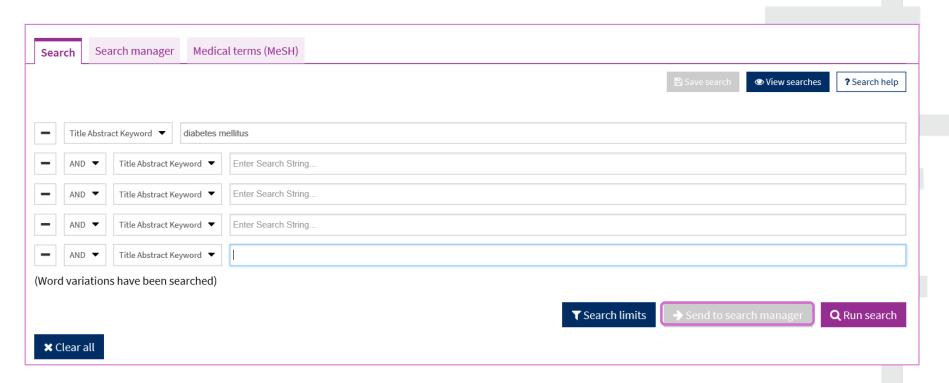


Use the + button to add up to 5 lines to your search.





Limits



Use "Add to Search Manager" to move your search into search manager to build complex searches.





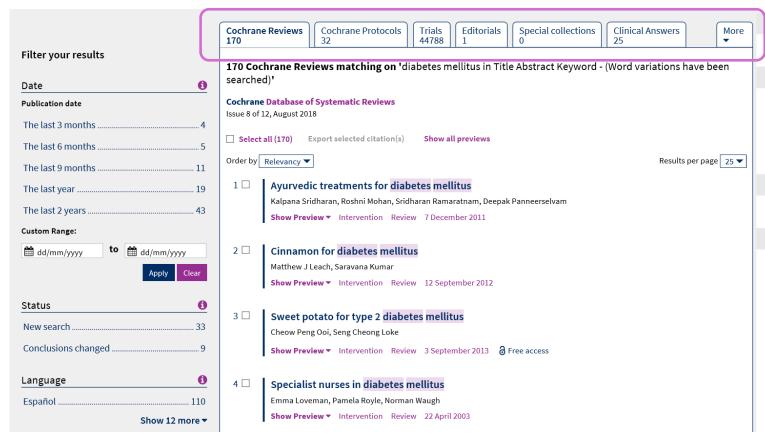
Result view



Use "Run Search" button" or hit enter to view results.



Results: Limit by database

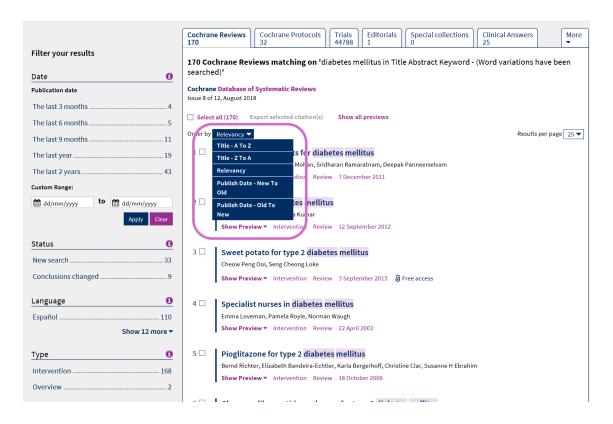


View results by Product.



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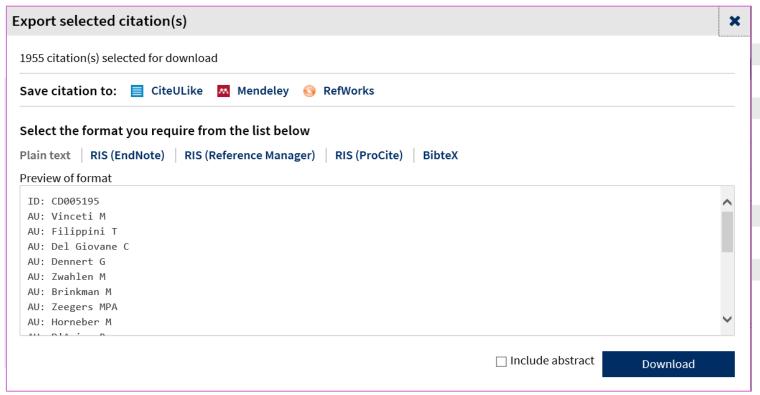
Result view: Sort



Sort results by relevance, title or date.



Export your search results



From any search results page, use citation export to download result citations (with optional abstracts). File can be used in Word or exported into most reference management software.

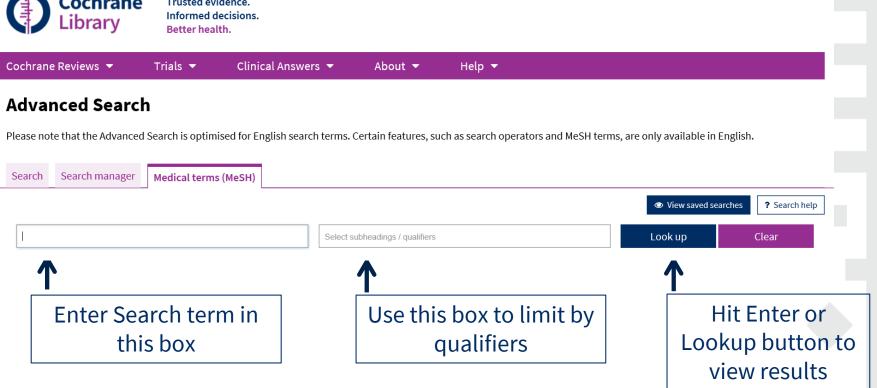




Medical Terms (MeSH)



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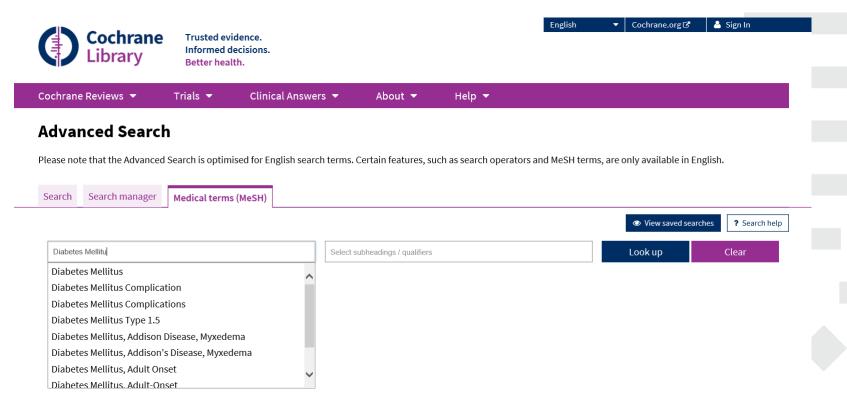
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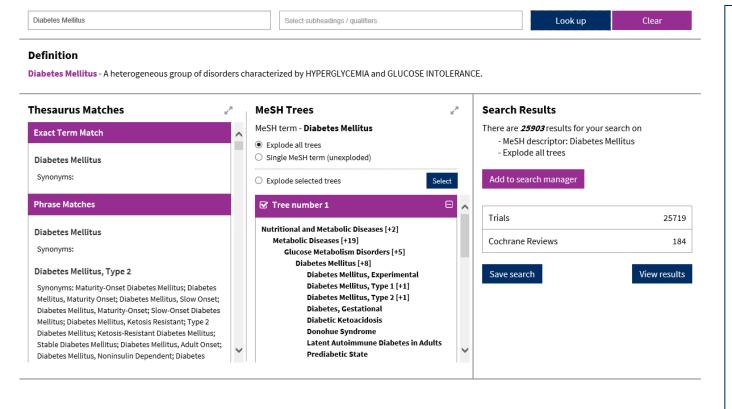
MeSH autocomplete



Auto-Suggest: As term is entered, MeSH terms and synonyms are given.







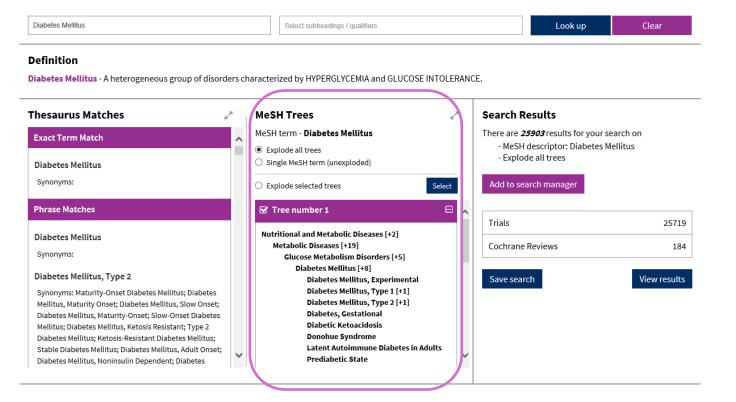
All MeSH information now displayed on one page:

- Permuted index
- Tree(s)
- Results for term

Full Search results at bottom of page.



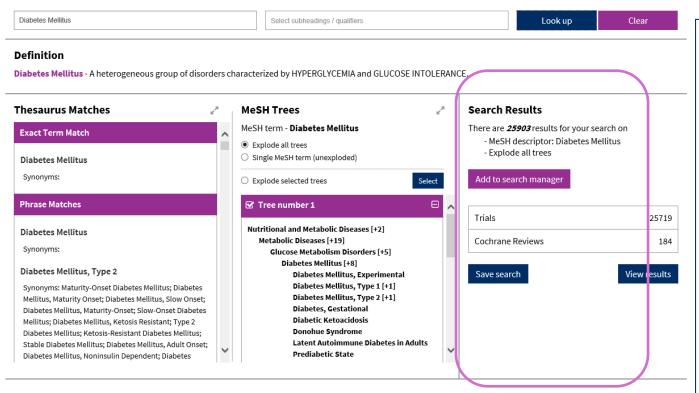




Search in all trees or specific trees with or without term explosion.





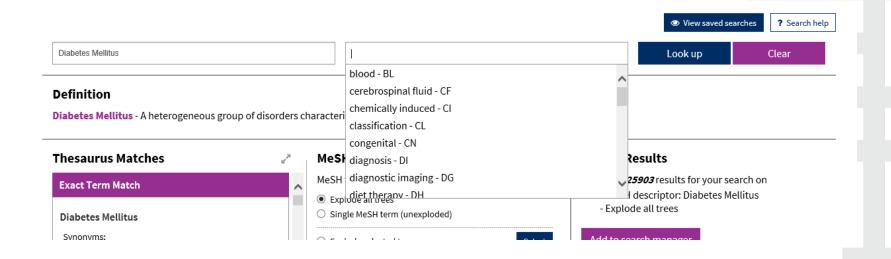


Use this area to:

- Add a Mesh
 Search to your
 Search
 Manager
- View your results
- Save an individual MeSH search





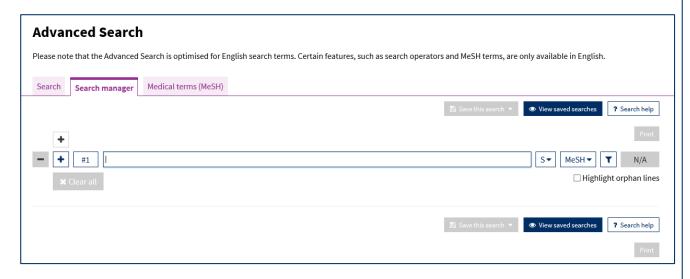


Once term is selected, qualifier limit shows only those subheadings applicable to that term.





Search Manager



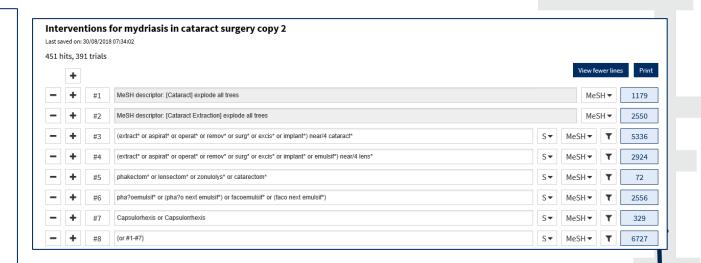
- Create and edit search
- Name and save search
- View Saved Searches
- View results



Search Manager: Syntax

Continued support for all existing search syntax:

- Boolean and proximity operators
- Nesting
- Stemming
- Field Labels
- Combined searches



Click on the line count to view the results for that search line



New – Search Manager Slideouts



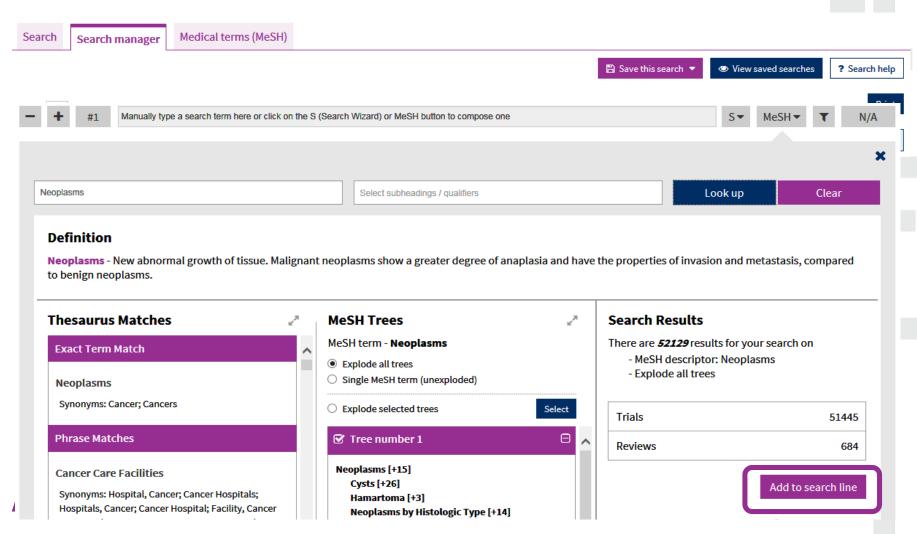
Use the S button to access slideout allowing users to select fields using menus directly in search manager.

Allows users to make all entries on the same page.



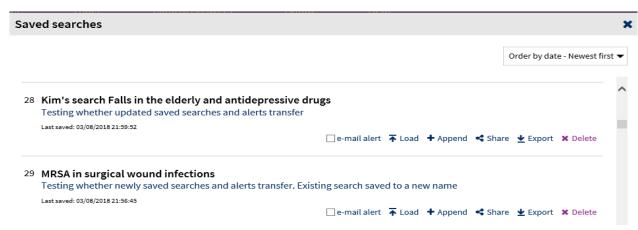
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New – Search Manager Slideouts





Use search alerts to monitor searches



Set alerts for strategies using the "Email Alerts" checkbox in the strategy library.

- ☐ If box is checked, alerts are sent each month new articles are loaded which match your search.
- ☐ If box is not checked, alerts are turned off.



Search Help Content

Search

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Search Manager Basics

Using Search Functionality

Using Search Manager

Entering Search Terms

Searching with and without word variants (automatic stemming)

Searching Multiple Terms

Phrase Searching

Combining Searches

Combining Searches using ranges

Limits

Adding a MeSH Search

Editing a MeSH Search

Entering a MeSH Search directly in Search Manager

Insert and Delete a Line

Highlight Orphan Lines

Viewing Results

Print Search with Counts

Search Manager Basics

Using Search Functionality

This tab provides information on the most commonly used features for the tab being used. For complete information on New Search including demonstrations, information on error messages, and FAQ's, click here

Using Search Manager

Use the Search Manager to create and save complex multi-line searches. Supports the use of logical operators, field labels, nesting, and wildcards.

Entering Search Terms

- Enter search term(s) in box. By default on Search Manager Tab, common variants of the word are NOT searched.
- If two or more terms are entered, search will combine the terms with "AND" to find articles or selected fields where both terms appear.
- To search a phrase, put terms in quotes, "lung cancer" searches for that specific phrase.

Saving Searches and

Use "View Search Tips" for specific help for that Search Page.