

Main Search Page

- There are a number of search modes - **Advanced Search** is the default

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Basic Search

- Enter a complete topic or question, and click **Search**
- Select **Include Related Terms** to broaden your search
- Filter **By Relevancy** to select 5 star results
- Add **Limits** or **Filter By** criteria as desired

Note: Change **Sort By** from **SCORE** (sorted by relevance) to **Year of Publication** (descending) to see the most recent results.

Limits (Click to expand) Include Related Terms

Search History (1 search) (Click to close)

<input type="checkbox"/>	#	Searches	Results	Search Type	Actions
<input type="checkbox"/>	1	constraint induced movement therapy for stroke rehabilitation (No Related Terms)	410	Basic	<input type="button" value="Display"/> <input type="button" value="More >>"/>

| Combine selections with:

Advanced Search

- Enter each individual subject word/phrase and click **Search**. **Mapping** will suggest terms from the database vocabulary (when available)
- Use **Keyword** (.mp.) containing Title, Abstract, Subject Headings (or Full Text) and other fields for a general subject search
- Use the checkboxes to combine the required subjects with the **AND** or **OR** operator buttons, or enter the operator **NOT**

Limits (Click to expand) Include Related Terms

Search History (4 searches) (Click to close)

<input type="checkbox"/>	#	Searches	Results	Search Type	Actions
<input type="checkbox"/>	1	exp Adaptation, Psychological/	80243	Advanced	<input type="button" value="Display"/> <input type="button" value="More >>"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	2	exp Depression/	54274	Advanced	<input type="button" value="Display"/> <input type="button" value="More >>"/>

| Combine selections with:

Multi-Field Search

- Enter multiple terms and search in all or specific fields
- Combine using the **AND**, **OR**, **NOT** operators
- Use truncation or wildcard symbols to search singular or plural forms or spelling variations
- Click + **Add New Row** to add additional search boxes

Note: *Author* searches are automatically truncated with *.

<input type="text" value="anorexi?"/>	All Fields
OR <input type="text" value="bulemi*"/>	All Fields
AND <input type="text" value="drug treat* or drug therap*"/>	All Fields
NOT <input type="text" value="fluoxetine"/>	All Fields

[+ Add New Row](#)

Operators

Four operators are available to combine terms:

- OR** gathers together lists of terms, e.g. Australia or New Zealand; 2 or 3
- AND** finds where terms occur together, e.g. rock and roll; 1 and adult.sh; 4 and 5
- NOT** removes a term, e.g. spiders not insects; 1 not 2
- adjX** locates terms which are within X words of each other in either direction, in a sentence or in a paragraph

Note: *adjX* does cross paragraphs. Phrase searches search words in the order entered (except for stopwords/reserved words).

Truncation and Wildcards

Truncation or wildcard symbols find variations in spelling in **Advanced Search** or **Multi-Field Search** modes:

- Use * or \$ at the end of a word, or part of a word, to retrieve unlimited suffix variations e.g. computer* for computer, computers, etc. Add a number to restrict to a certain number of characters e.g. computer*7
- Use # inside or at the end of a word to replace exactly one character e.g. wom#n
- Use ? inside or at the end of a word to replace zero or one character e.g. robot? or flavo?r

Note: Operators, Truncation, and Wildcard symbols are not valid in **Basic Search** mode.

Limits

Limits restrict search results to selected criteria. Commonly used limits are available from the **Search Page**.

▼ **Limits** (Click to close)

Abstracts English Language Male
 Female Review Articles Humans

Publication Year: [] - []

Click **Additional Limits** to see all available limits.

Limits

Abstracts English Language All EBMR Article Reviews
 Evidence Based Medicine Reviews Male Animals
 Female Ovid Full Text Available Article Reviews (ACP Journal Club)
 Full Text Review Articles Article Reviews (DAE)
 Humans Topic Reviews (Cochrane) Core Clinical Journals (AIM)
 Latest Update

Publication Year: [] - []

To select or remove multiple items from a list below, hold down the Shift, Ctrl, or "Apple" key while selecting.

Age Groups

- All Infant (birth to 23 months)
- All Child (0 to 18 years)
- All Adult (19 plus years)
- Newborn Infant (birth to 1 month)
- Infant (1 to 23 months)

Journal Subsets

- AIDS/HIV Journals
- Core Clinical Journals (AIM)
- Biethics Journals
- Biotechnology Journals
- Communication Disorders Journals

Find Citation

Find Citation searches any combination of title, journal, author, volume, issue, page, publication year, publisher, unique identifier, (accession number) or DOI.

Basic Search | **Find Citation** | Search Tools | Search Fields | Advanced Search | Multi-Field Search

1 Resource selected | Show | Change

Article Title:
 Journal Name: Truncate Name (adds "...")
 Author Surname: Truncate Name (adds "...")
 Publication Year: Volume: Issue: Article First Page:
 Publisher:
 Unique Identifier:
 DOI:

Search History

Searches, results, and search types are listed in the **Search History** window. Combine search statements by clicking checkboxes and selecting the operators **AND** or **OR** in **Advanced Search** mode, or by entering the search statement numbers and operator in the search box (e.g. 1 not 2). Delete searches using the checkboxes and **Remove Selected** button. Refine results or add to your search by using **Results Tools** on the left of the search results display.

▼ **Search History** (3 searches) (Click to close)

<input type="checkbox"/>	#	Searches	Results	Search Type	Actions
<input type="checkbox"/>	1	exp Thoracic Surgery/	8778	Advanced	<input type="button" value="Display"/> More >>
<input type="checkbox"/>	2	Pneumonia, Aspiration/ or exp Pneumonia/ or exp Pneumonia, Ventilator-Associated/	61163	Advanced	<input type="button" value="Display"/> More >>
<input type="checkbox"/>	3	1 and 2	66	Advanced	<input type="button" value="Display"/> More >>

 Combine selections with:

Print, Email, Export, and My Projects

Output choices are at the top of each results page: **Print**, **Email**, **Export**, or **Add to My Projects**. Select results then an output icon. Select individual citations using the checkboxes, or **Select All** at the top of the page.



Print:

- **Select Fields to Display:** Choose preset fields lists or select a custom list
- **Select Citation Style:** Use **Ovid Labeled Citation** for print, email, or export to reference management software or choose another style (APA, MLA, Chicago, etc.)
- **Include:** Choose **Search History** to include the search strategy, **Annotations** to include notes, **URLs to Ovid full text** to link into OvidSP results or full text

Email:

- Insert **From** and **To** addresses, separating multiple addresses with a comma; add **Subject** title and **Message** (if required)

Export:

- Use **Microsoft Word** format for word processing
- Use **PDF** as a document exchange format
- Use **.txt** for text file output
- Use **Excel Sheet** to output to an xls spreadsheet file
- Use **Citavi/EndNote®/ProCite®/Reference Manager®** for local reference management
- Use **RefWorks** for online reference management
- Use **RIS** format for Reference Manager and EndNote Web
- Use **BRS/Tagged, Reprint/Medlars** for older RM formats
- **Delimited** or **XML** are database import formats

Add materials to **My Projects** by dragging them into the **My Projects** area in **Results Tools**, or by clicking the **Add to My Projects** button (and following prompts). Items can be added from other sites using the **Ovid Toolbar**.

My Projects is a structured storage area containing projects and folders where you may store text, results, citations, full text, graphics etc. **My Projects** offers the same output options as results (**Print**, **Email**, **Export**) and the option to **Remove** (delete) saved items.

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