

## **Bilaga 5. Sökstrategier**

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Litteraturen kompletterades efterhand med relevanta artiklar som identifierats i de beställda artikelarnas referenslistor eller på annat sätt. Dessutom utnyttjades gruppdeltagarnas kännedom inom området för att säkerställa att viktiga arbeten inkluderades i sammanställningen.

## Sökstrategi för frågeställningen om uppföljning

### PubMed (april 2007), Cochrane Library (maj 2006)

|                  |   |                        |   |                               |
|------------------|---|------------------------|---|-------------------------------|
| Otitis media     | A | Middle ear ventilation | A | Continuity of health care     |
| Otitis media /tw | N | Grommet /tw            | N | Office visits                 |
|                  | D | Grommets /tw           |   | Office visits /tw             |
|                  |   | Ventilation tubes /tw  |   | Primary health care           |
|                  |   | Tympanostomy /tw       |   | Physician's practice patterns |
|                  |   | Tympanotomy /tw        |   | Health planning guidelines    |
|                  |   | Myringotomy /tw        |   | Health personnel              |
|                  |   | Transmyringal tube /tw |   | Family practice               |
|                  |   |                        |   | Referral and consultation     |
|                  |   |                        |   | Otorrhea /tw                  |
|                  |   |                        |   | Discharge /tw                 |
|                  |   |                        |   | Bacterial infections/therapy  |

Limits (PubMed): All Child: 0–18 years, English, Danish, Norwegian, Swedish, Clinical Trial, Meta-analysis, Randomized Controlled Trial, Review, Controlled Clinical Trial, Humans

("otitis media"[MeSH Terms] OR "otitis media"[Text Word]) AND ("middle ear ventilation"[MeSH Terms] OR "grommet"[Text Word] OR "grommets"[Text Word] OR "ventilation tubes"[Text Word] OR "tympanostomy"[Text Word] OR "tympanotomy"[Text Word] OR "myringotomy"[Text Word] OR "transmyringal tube"[Text Word]) AND ("continuity of patient care"[MeSH Terms] OR "office visits"[MeSH Terms] OR "primary health care"[MeSH Terms] OR "office visits"[Text Word] OR "physician's practice patterns"[MeSH Terms] OR "health planning guidelines"[MeSH Terms] OR "health personnel"[MeSH Terms] OR "family practice"[MeSH Terms] OR "referral and consultation"[MeSH Terms])

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## Sökstrategi för frågeställningen om teknik

### PubMed (april 2007), Cochrane Library (maj 2006)

|                  |   |                         |   |                                    |
|------------------|---|-------------------------|---|------------------------------------|
| Otitis media     | A | Middle ear ventilation  | A | /adverse effects                   |
| Otitis media /tw | N | Grommet /tw             | N | /instrumentation                   |
|                  | D | Grommets /tw            |   | /methods                           |
|                  |   | Ventilation tubes /tw   |   | /surgery                           |
|                  |   | Tympanostomy /tw        |   | /therapy                           |
|                  |   | Tympanotomy /tw         |   | Laser surgery                      |
|                  |   | Myringotomy /tw         |   | Coated materials,<br>biocompatible |
|                  |   | Transmyringeal tube /tw |   | Equipment contamination            |
|                  |   |                         |   | Surface properties                 |
|                  |   |                         |   | Equipment design                   |
|                  |   |                         |   | Silicones                          |
|                  |   |                         |   | Silver compounds                   |
|                  |   |                         |   | Gold                               |
|                  |   |                         |   | Titanium                           |

Limits (PubMed): All Child: 0–18 years, English, Danish, Norwegian, Swedish, Clinical Trial, Meta-analysis, Randomized Controlled Trial, Review, Controlled Clinical Trial, Humans

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 Limits: All Child: 0–18 years, English, Danish, Norwegian, Swedish, Clinical Trial, Meta-Analysis, Randomized Controlled Trial, Controlled Clinical Trial

## Sökstrategi för frågeställningen om rörbehandlingens effekt vid rAOM

### PubMed (april 2007), Cochrane Library (maj 2006)

|                     |             |                   |             |                            |             |                        |
|---------------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|----------------------------|-------------|------------------------|
| Otitis Media        | A<br>N<br>D | Recurrence        | A<br>N<br>D | Middle ear<br>ventilation  | A<br>N<br>D | Quality of life        |
| Otitis Media<br>/tw |             | Recurrence<br>/tw |             | Grommet /tw                |             | Quality of life<br>/tw |
|                     |             | rAOM /tw          |             | Grommets /tw               |             | Behavior               |
|                     |             |                   |             | Ventilation tubes<br>/tw   |             | Behavior /tw           |
|                     |             |                   |             | Tympanostomy /tw           |             | Ear discharge<br>/tw   |
|                     |             |                   |             | Tympanotomy /tw            |             | infection              |
|                     |             |                   |             | Myringotomy /tw            |             |                        |
|                     |             |                   |             | Transmyringeal<br>tube /tw |             |                        |

Limits (PubMed): All Child: 0–18 years, English, Danish, Norwegian, Swedish, Clinical Trial, Meta-analysis, Randomized Controlled Trial, Review, Controlled Clinical Trial, Humans

(("otitis media"[MeSH Terms] OR "otitis media"[Text Word]) AND ("recurrence"  
[MeSH Terms] OR "recurrence"[Text Word] OR "rAOM"[Text Word])) AND ("middle  
ear ventilation"[MeSH Terms] OR "grommet"[Text Word] OR "grommets"[Text  
Word] OR "ventilation tubes"[Text Word] OR "tympanostomy"[Text Word] OR  
"tympanotomy"[Text Word] OR "myringotomy"[Text Word] OR "transmyringeal  
tube"[Text Word])) AND (quality of life[MeSH Terms] OR "quality of life"[Text Word]  
OR "behavior"[Text Word] OR "behavior"[MeSH Terms] OR "ear discharge"[Text Word]  
OR "infection"[MeSH Terms])

Limits: All Child: 0–18 years, English, Danish, Norwegian, Swedish, Clinical Trial, Meta-  
Analysis, Randomized Controlled Trial, Controlled Clinical Trial, Humans

## *Sökstrategi för frågeställningen om effekt och komplikationer vid behandling av barn med komplicerande tillstånd*

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### **PubMed (april 2007), Cochrane Library (maj 2006)**

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|                  |   |                         |   |                                  |
|------------------|---|-------------------------|---|----------------------------------|
| Otitis Media     | A | Middle ear ventilation  | A | Cleft palate                     |
| Otitis Media /tw | N | Grommet /tw             | N | Down syndrome                    |
|                  | D | Grommets /tw            |   | Immunologic deficiency syndromes |
|                  |   | Ventilation tubes /tw   |   | Craniofacial dysostosis          |
|                  |   | Tympanostomy /tw        |   | Craniofacial abnormalities       |
|                  |   | Tympanotomy /tw         |   |                                  |
|                  |   | Myringotomy /tw         |   |                                  |
|                  |   | Transmyringeal tube /tw |   |                                  |

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Limits (PubMed): All Child: 0–18 years, English, Danish, Norwegian, Swedish

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(("otitis media"[MeSH Terms] OR "otitis media"[Text Word]) AND ("middle ear ventilation"[MeSH Terms] OR "grommet"[Text Word] OR "grommets"[Text Word] OR "ventilation tubes"[Text Word] OR "tympanostomy"[Text Word] OR "tympanotomy"[Text Word] OR "myringotomy"[Text Word] OR "transmyringeal tube"[Text Word])) AND ("cleft palate"[MeSH Terms] OR "down syndrome"[MeSH Terms] OR "immunologic deficiency syndromes"[MeSH Terms] OR "craniofacial dysostosis"[MeSH Terms] OR "craniofacial abnormalities"[MeSH Terms])  
Limits: All Child: 0–18 years, English, Danish, Norwegian, Swedish, Humans

## *Sökstrategi för frågeställningen om faktorer i omgivningen som ökar risken för komplikationer till rörbehandling*

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### **PubMed (april 2007), Cochrane Library (maj 2006)**

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|                  |   |                         |   |                         |
|------------------|---|-------------------------|---|-------------------------|
| Otitis Media     | A | Middle ear ventilation  | A | Ethnic groups           |
| Otitis Media /tw | N | Grommet /tw             | N | Smoking                 |
|                  | D | Grommets /tw            | D | Tobacco smoke pollution |
|                  |   | Ventilation tubes /tw   |   | Day care                |
|                  |   | Tympanostomy /tw        |   | Allergy and immunology  |
|                  |   | Tympanotomy /tw         |   | Breast feeding          |
|                  |   | Myringotomy /tw         |   | Siblings                |
|                  |   | Transmyringeal tube /tw |   | Socioeconomic factors   |

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(("otitis media"[MeSH Terms] OR "otitis media"[Text Word]) AND ("middle ear ventilation"[MeSH Terms] OR "grommet"[Text Word] OR "grommets"[Text Word] OR "ventilation tubes"[Text Word] OR "tympanostomy"[Text Word] OR "tympanotomy"[Text Word] OR "myringotomy"[Text Word] OR "transmyringeal tube"[Text Word])) AND ("ethnic groups"[MeSH Terms] OR "smoking"[MeSH Terms] OR "tobacco smoke pollution"[MeSH Terms] OR "day care"[MeSH Terms] OR "allergy and immunology"[MeSH Terms] OR "breast feeding"[MeSH Terms] OR "siblings"[MeSH Terms] OR "socioeconomic factors"[MeSH Terms] OR "sex"[MeSH Terms])

## Sökstrategi för frågeställningen om effekt vid SOM

### PubMed (april 2007), Cochrane Library (maj 2006)

|              |             |   |             |   |             |   |
|--------------|-------------|---|-------------|---|-------------|---|
| Otitis media | A<br>N<br>D | Effusion /tw<br><br>Secretory /tw<br><br>Glue ear /tw | A<br>N<br>D | Middle ear ventilation<br><br>Grommet /tw<br><br>Grommets /tw<br><br>Ventilation tubes /tw<br><br>Tympanic tube /tw | A<br>N<br>D | Quality of life<br><br>Quality of life /tw<br><br>Hearing<br><br>Audiometry<br><br>Language<br><br>Language /tw<br><br>Behavior<br><br>Behavior /tw |
|--------------|-------------|---|-------------|---|-------------|---|

Limits (PubMed): English, Danish, Norwegian, Swedish

(quality of life[MeSH Terms] OR "quality of life"[Text Word] OR "hearing"[Text Word] OR "audiometry"[Text Word] OR "hearing"[MeSH Terms] OR "audiometry"[MeSH Terms] OR "language"[MeSH Terms] OR "language"[Text Word] OR "behavior"[Text Word] OR "behavior"[MeSH Terms]) AND ((("effusion"[Text Word] OR "secretory"[Text Word] OR "glue ear"[Text Word])) AND ("otitis media"[MeSH Terms] AND ("middle ear ventilation"[MeSH Terms] OR "grommet"[Text Word] OR "grommets"[Text Word] OR "ventilation tubes"[Text Word] OR "tympanic tube"[Text Word])))

Limits: English, Danish, Norwegian, Swedish

## Sökstrategier för frågeställningen om komplikationer till rörbehandling

### PubMed (april 2007), Cochrane Library (maj 2006)

|                     |             |                            |             |  |             |                       |
|---------------------|-------------|----------------------------|-------------|--|-------------|-----------------------|
| Otitis Media        | A<br>N<br>D | Middle ear ventilation     | A<br>N<br>D | Middle ear ventilation/<br>adverse effects | N<br>O<br>T | Laser<br>sur-<br>gery |
| Otitis Media<br>/tw |             | Grommet /tw                |             | Treatment<br>outcome                       |             |                       |
|                     |             | Grommets /tw               |             | Sequelae /tw                               |             |                       |
|                     |             | Ventilation tubes /tw      |             | Complication<br>/tw                        |             |                       |
|                     |             | Tympanostomy /tw           |             | Adverse<br>outcome /tw                     |             |                       |
|                     |             | Tympanotomy /tw            |             |  |             |                       |
|                     |             | Myringotomy /tw            |             |  |             |                       |
|                     |             | Transmyringeal tube<br>/tw |             |  |             |                       |

Limits (PubMed): English, Danish, Norwegian, Swedish, Randomized Controlled Trials  
 Från 1999 dessutom Case Reports, Controlled Clinical Trial, Systematic Reviews  
 (separat sökstrategi nedan)

("otitis media"[MeSH Terms] OR "otitis media"[Text Word]) AND ("middle ear ventilation"[MeSH Terms] OR "grommet"[Text Word] OR "grommets"[Text Word] OR "ventilation tubes"[Text Word] OR "tympanostomy"[Text Word] OR "tympanotomy"[Text Word] OR "myringotomy"[Text Word] OR "transmyringeal tube"[Text Word]) AND ("sequelae"[Text Word] OR "complication"[Text Word] OR "adverse outcome"[Text Word] OR "middle ear ventilation/adverse effects"[MeSH Terms] OR "treatment outcome"[MeSH Terms]) NOT "laser surgery"[MeSH Terms]  
 Limit: English, Danish, Norwegian, Swedish, randomized controlled trials  
 Limit: 1999 to 2006, English, Danish, Norwegian, Swedish, Clinical Trial, Case Reports, controlled clinical trial

## Sökstrategi för systematiska översiktsartiklar

|            |             |  |
|------------|-------------|--|
| Review /PT | A<br>N<br>D | Systematic /tw<br>Medline /tw<br>Embase /tw<br>Database /tw<br>Databases /tw |
|------------|-------------|--|

("review"[Publication Type] AND ("systematic"[Text Word] OR "medline"[Text Word] OR "embase"[Text Word] OR "database"[Text Word] OR "databases"[Text Word]))

## Sökstrategi för frågeställningen om etiska aspekter på rörbehandling

### PubMed (maj 2006)

|                  |             |  |             |             |
|------------------|-------------|--|-------------|-------------|
| Otitis Media     | A<br>N<br>D | Middle ear ventilation   | A<br>N<br>D | /psychology |
| Otitis Media /tw |             | Grommet /tw<br>Grommets /tw<br>Ventilation tubes /tw<br>Tympanostomy /tw<br>Tympanotomy /tw<br>Myringotomy /tw<br>Transmyringal tube /tw |             |             |

("otitis media"[MeSH Terms] OR "otitis media"[Text Word]) AND ("middle ear ventilation"[MeSH Terms] OR "grommet"[Text Word] OR "grommets"[Text Word] OR "ventilation tubes"[Text Word] OR "tympanostomy"[Text Word] OR "tympanotomy"[Text Word] OR "myringotomy"[Text Word] OR "transmyringal tube"[Text Word]) AND "psychology"[MeSH Subheading]

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**Cinahl, PsycInfo (maj 2006)**

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|------------------|-------------|---|-------------|---|
| Otitis media /af | A<br>N<br>D | Middle ear ventilation /af<br>Grommet* /af<br>Ventilation tube* /af<br>Tympanostomy /af<br>Tympanotomy /af<br>Myringotomy /af<br>Transmyringal tube /af | A<br>N<br>D | Ethics /af<br>Ethical /af<br>Psychology /af |
|------------------|-------------|---|-------------|---|

af = All fields; tw = Text word