

Cinahl via EBSCO 19 August 2013 –Updated Search Diabetic Foot Ulcers: prevention		
	Search terms	Items found
<b>Population: elderly</b>		
1.	(MH "Aged" OR MH "Aged, 80 and Over" OR MH "Aged, Hospitalized" OR MH "Frail Elderly" OR MH "Geriatrics" OR MH "Aging") OR (TI "older patient*" OR "older adult*" OR "older people" OR geriatric OR elderly OR elders OR senior OR seniors) OR (TX "In old age")	342,559
<b>Population: persons with diabetic foot ulcers</b>		
2.	(MH "Diabetic Foot" OR "Foot Ulcer") OR (( TI Diabet*) AND (TI foot OR feet OR "lower extremity" OR "lower extremities")) OR (TI "Charcot" OR "heel pressure" OR "heel ulcer")	5,842
<b>Intervention: education</b>		
3.	(MH "Education") OR (MH "Patient Education") OR (MH "Vocational Education") OR (MH "Vocational Guidance") OR (MH "Education, Continuing") OR (MH "Learning Environment, Clinical") OR (MH "Learning Laboratories") OR (MH "Staff Development") OR (MH "Staff Development") OR (MH "Medical Staff, Hospital/ED/OG") OR (MH "Nursing Staff, Hospital/ED/OG") OR (MH "Medical Staff/ED/OG") OR (MH "Hospitalists/ED/OG") OR (MH "Staff Nurses/ED/OG") OR (MH "Health Personnel/ED/OG") OR (MH "Caregivers/ED") OR (MH "Caregiver Support") OR MH "Community Health Nursing Education" OR MH "Patient Centered Care" OR (MH "Diabetic Foot/ED") OR (MH "Foot Ulcer/ED") OR ((TI Education*) AND (TI nurse OR nurses OR "nursing assistant" OR staff OR "health care assistant" OR family OR patient OR client OR caregiver)) OR (TX "foot-care knowledge" OR "podiatric care group")	97,517
<b>Intervention: preventive interventions (compression)</b>		
4.	(MH "Diabetic Foot/PC") OR (MH "Foot Ulcer/PC") OR (MH "Foot Orthoses") OR (MH "Orthoses") OR MH "Shoes" OR MH "Podiatry Practice" OR MH "Casts" OR (TX Footwear OR "Foot orthos*" OR "Leg orthos*" OR orthoses OR insoles OR "offloading intervention*" OR "offloading device*" OR "podiatric care" OR "podiatrist care") OR (TI cast*)	14,776
<b>Combined sets</b>		
5.	3 OR 4	111,710
6.	1 AND 2 AND 5	337
7.	6 AND (MH "Prospective Studies" OR MH "Concurrent Prospective Studies" OR MH "Program Evaluation" OR MH "Random Assignment" OR MH "Quasi-Experimental Studies" OR MH "Control Group" OR MH "Multicenter Studies" OR MH "Concurrent Prospective Studies" OR MH "Comparative Studies" OR MH "Clinical Trials+" OR MH "Nonrandomized Trials" OR ZT "clinical trial" or ZT "randomized controlled trial" OR MH "Nonexperimental Studies+") Limiters - Published Date from: 20080101- Language: Danish, English, Norwegian, Swedish	47

The search result, usually found at the end of the documentation, forms the list of abstracts

AB = Abstract

AU = Author

DE = Term from the thesaurus

MH = Term from the "Cinahl Headings" thesaurus

MM = Major Concept

TI = Title

TX = All Text. Performs a keyword search of all the □database's searchable fields

ZC = Methodology Index

\* = Truncation

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Embase via Embase.com 19 August 2013 –Updated Search Diabetic Foot Ulcers: prevention		
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<b>Population: elderly</b>		
1.	'aged'/de OR 'aged hospital patient'/de OR 'frail elderly'/de OR 'very elderly'/de OR 'geriatric patient'/de	2,130,387
<b>Population: persons with diabetic foot ulcers</b>		
2.	'diabetic foot'/mj OR 'foot ulcer'/mj	6,654
<b>Intervention: education</b>		
3.	'in service training'/exp OR 'medical education'/exp OR 'staff training'/exp OR 'continuing education'/exp OR 'interdisciplinary education'/exp OR 'teamwork'/exp OR 'patient education'/exp OR 'self help'/exp OR 'health education'/de OR 'caregiver support'/exp OR (Education*:ti AND (nurse:ti OR nurses:ti OR "nursing assistant":ti OR staff:ti OR "health care assistant":ti OR family:ti OR patient:ti OR client:ti OR caregiver:ti))	454,268
<b>Intervention: preventive interventions</b>		
4.	'shoe'/de OR 'orthopedics'/de OR 'podiatry'/de OR 'orthotics'/exp OR 'brace'/exp OR 'plaster cast'/de OR 'diabetic foot'/exp/dm_pc OR Footwear:ti:ab OR "Foot orthos":ti:Ab OR "Leg orthos":ti:ab OR orthoses:ti:ab OR insoles:ti:ab OR "offloading intervention":ti:ab OR "offloading device":ti:ab OR cast*:ti OR "podiatric care":ti:ab OR "podiatrist care":ti:ab	70,270
<b>Combined sets</b>		
5.	3 OR 4	521,674
6.	1 AND 2 AND 5	339
7.	6 AND (('controlled clinical trial'/de OR 'randomized controlled trial'/de OR 'clinical trial'/de OR 'multicenter study'/de OR 'intervention study'/de OR 'longitudinal study'/de OR 'prospective study'/de OR 'comparative study'/de OR 'controlled study'/de OR 'pretest posttest control group design'/de OR 'major clinical study'/de) AND ([danish]/lim OR [english]/lim OR [norwegian]/lim OR [swedish]/lim) AND [embase]/lim AND [2008-2014]/py	33

/de= Term from the EMTREE controlled vocabulary

/exp= Includes terms found below this term in the EMTREE hierarchy

/mj = Major Topic

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:au = Author

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