



Appendix

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Bilaga 3 Sökstrategier/Appendix 3 Search strategies

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CINAHL with Full Text via EBSCO 1 Mars 2001**Title: Lipedema**

Search terms		Items found
Population:		
1.	(MH "Lipedema")	26
2.	TX (lipedema* or lipo-lymphedema or lipodema* or lipoedema or lipolymphedema or lipodem or lympholipedema)	242
Combined sets		
3.	1 OR 2	242

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

MM = Major Concept

TI = Title

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

ZC = Methodology Index

* = Truncation

“ ” = Citation Marks; searches for an exact phrase

Cochrane Library via Wiley 1 Mars 2021 (CDSR, CENTRAL)

Title: Lipedema

Search terms		Items found
Population:		
1.	[mh Lipedema]	7
2.	(lipedema* or lipo-lymphedema or lipodema* or lipoedema or lipolymphedema or lipodem or lympholipedema) ¹	16
Combined sets		
3.	1 OR 2	CDSR/ 1 Central/ 15

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:au = Author

MeSH = Term from the Medline controlled vocabulary, including terms found below this term in the MeSH hierarchy

this term only = Does not include terms found below this term in the MeSH hierarchy

:ti = title

:ab = abstract

:kw = keyword

* = Truncation

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CDSR = Cochrane Database of Systematic Review

CENTRAL = Cochrane Central Register of Controlled Trials, “trials”

CRM = Method Studies

DARE = Database Abstracts of Reviews of Effects, “other reviews”

EED = Economic Evaluations

HTA = Health Technology Assessments

¹ No field code was used

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Title: Lipedema

	Search terms	Items found
Population:		
1.	'lipedema'/syn	573
2.	(lipedema* or lipo-lymphedema or lipodema* or lipoedema or lipolymphedema or lipodem or lympholipedema) ²	634
3.	1 OR 2	634
Combined sets/Limits		
4.	3 AND ([embase]/lim NOT [medline]/lim)	293

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

/de= Term from the EMTREE controlled vocabulary

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

/mj = Major Topic

:ab = Abstract

:au = Author

:ti = Article Title

:ti:ab = Title or abstract

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² No use of field code

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³ No use of field code

Medline via OvidSP 1 Mars 2021**Title: Lipedema**

Search terms		Items found
Population:		
1.	Lipedema/	109
2.	(lipedema* or lipo-lymphedema or lipodema* or lipoedema or lipolymphedema or lipodem or lympholipedema).af	355
Combined sets		
3.	1 OR 2	355

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.ab. =Abstract

.ab,ti. = Abstract or title

.af.= All fields

Exp= Term from the Medline controlled vocabulary, including terms found below this term in the MeSH hierarchy

.sh.= Term from the Medline controlled vocabulary

.ti. = Title

/ = Term from the Medline controlled vocabulary, but does not include terms found below this term in the MeSH hierarchy

* = Focus (if found in front of a MeSH-term)

* or \$= Truncation (if found at the end of a free text term)

.mp=text, heading word, subject area node, title