

Cochrane Search Filter: The Cochrane Highly Sensitive Search Strategies for identifying randomized trials in MEDLINE

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Medline via PubMed

Anmerkung: Diese Suchfilter wurden NUR für Medline (verschlagnwortete Artikel) entwickelt und validiert.

Box 6.4.a: Cochrane Highly Sensitive Search Strategy for identifying randomized trials in MEDLINE: sensitivity-maximizing version (2008 revision); PubMed format

```
#1 randomized controlled trial [pt]
#2 controlled clinical trial [pt]
#3 randomized [tiab]
#4 placebo [tiab]
#5 drug therapy [sh]
#6 randomly [tiab]
#7 trial [tiab]
#8 groups [tiab]
#9 #1 OR #2 OR #3 OR #4 OR #5 OR #6 OR #7 OR #8
#10 animals [mh] NOT humans [mh]
#11 #9 NOT #10
```

PubMed search syntax

[pt] denotes a Publication Type term;
[tiab] denotes a word in the title or abstract;
[sh] denotes a subheading;
[mh] denotes a Medical Subject Heading (MeSH) term ('exploded');
[mesh: noexp] denotes a Medical Subject Heading (MeSH) term (not 'exploded');
[ti] denotes a word in the title.

Box 6.4.b: Cochrane Highly Sensitive Search Strategy for identifying randomized trials in MEDLINE: sensitivity- and precision-maximizing version (2008 revision); PubMed format

```
#1 randomized controlled trial [pt]
#2 controlled clinical trial [pt]
#3 randomized [tiab]
#4 placebo [tiab]
#5 clinical trials as topic [mesh: noexp]
#6 randomly [tiab]
#7 trial [ti]
#8 #1 OR #2 OR #3 OR #4 OR #5 OR #6 OR #7
#9 animals [mh] NOT humans [mh]
#10 #8 NOT #9
```

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Medline via Ovid

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Box 6.4.c: Cochrane Highly Sensitive Search Strategy for identifying randomized trials in MEDLINE: sensitivity-maximizing version (2008 revision); Ovid format

```
1 randomized controlled trial.pt.  
2 controlled clinical trial.pt.  
3 randomized.ab.  
4 placebo.ab.  
5 drug therapy.fs.  
6 randomly.ab.  
7 trial.ab.  
8 groups.ab.  
9 1 or 2 or 3 or 4 or 5 or 6 or 7 or 8  
10 exp animals/ not humans.sh.  
11 9 not 10
```

Ovid search syntax

.pt. denotes a Publication Type term;

.ab. denotes a word in the abstract;

.fs. denotes a 'floating' subheading;

.sh. denotes a Medical Subject Heading (MeSH) term;

.ti. denotes a word in the title.

Box 6.4.d: Cochrane Highly Sensitive Search Strategy for identifying randomized trials in MEDLINE: sensitivity- and precision-maximizing version (2008 revision); Ovid format

1	randomized controlled trial.pt.
2	controlled clinical trial.pt.
3	randomized.ab.
4	placebo.ab.
5	clinical trials as topic.sh.
6	randomly.ab.
7	trial.ti.
8	1 or 2 or 3 or 4 or 5 or 6 or 7
9	exp animals/ not humans.sh.
10	8 not 9

Ovid search syntax

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.sh. denotes a Medical Subject Heading (MeSH) term;
.ti. denotes a word in the title.