Literature Search

ACR Appropriateness Criteria®
Resectable Stomach Cancer

Literature Performed on: 11/17/2011
Beginning Date: January 1948
End Date: October 2011

Database: Ovid MEDLINE(R) <1948 to November Week 2 2011>
Search Strategy:

1     Gastric Cancer.mp. (28328)
2     Stomach Neoplasms/ (68456)
3     1 or 2 (72436)
4     Radiotherapy/ (33141)
5     Combined Modality Therapy/ (130686)
6     chemoradiation therapy.mp. (982)
7     3 and (4 or 5 or 6) (2218)
8     Preoperative Care/ (47187)
9     Postoperative Care/ (49305)
10     7 and (8 or 9) (151)

Notes:
.mp = multi-purpose (retrieves results that have this keyword in several fields)

Literature Search Performed on: 12/15/2014
Beginning date: January 2012
End Date: November 2014

Database: Ovid MEDLINE(R) In-Process & Other Non-Indexed Citations, Ovid MEDLINE(R) Daily, Ovid MEDLINE(R) and Ovid OLDMEDLINE(R) <1946 to Present>
Search Strategy:

1     gastric cancer.mp. or Stomach Neoplasms/ (84320)
2     Radiotherapy, Intensity-Modulated/ or Radiotherapy/ (41474)
3     Combined Modality Therapy/ (144626)
4     Drug Therapy/ (28330)
5     Preoperative Care/ (52027)
6     Postoperative Care/ (52572)
7     1 and (2 or 3 or 4 or 5 or 6) (3511)
8     limit 7 to (abstracts and english language and humans and yr="2012 - 2014") (271)
9     limit 8 to case reports (30)
10     8 not 9 (241)
11     remove duplicates from 10 (237)

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Literature Search Summary

A literature search was conducted in November 2011 and updated in December 2014 to identify evidence for the ACR Appropriateness Criteria® Resectable Stomach Cancer topic. Using the search strategies described above, a total of 388 articles were found. Four articles were used in the topic. Three-hundred eighty-four articles were not used in the topic due to either poor study design, the articles were not relevant or generalizable to the topic, or the results were unclear, misinterpreted, or biased.

The author added 42 citations from bibliographies, websites, or books that were not found in the literature search.