**Literature Search**

**ACR Appropriateness Criteria®**

**Postpartum Hemorrhage**

Literature Search Performed on: 08/31/2016
Beginning Date: January 2006
End Date: August 2016

Database: Epub Ahead of Print, In-Process & Other Non-Indexed Citations, Ovid MEDLINE(R) Daily and Ovid MEDLINE(R) <1946 to Present>

Search Strategy:

1. Postpartum Hemorrhage/ or postpartum bleeding.mp. (5782)
2. postpartum complication.mp. (60)
3. cesarean delivery bleeding.mp. (1)
4. cesarean delivery hemorrhage.mp. (2)
5. cesarean delivery complication.mp. (0)
6. vaginal delivery bleeding.mp. (1)
7. Postpartum Hemorrhage/ and Delivery, Obstetric/ (561)
8. vaginal delivery hemorrhage.mp. (2)
9. vaginal delivery complication.mp. (0)
10. delayed postpartum hemorrhage.mp. (40)
11. (uterine atony and bleeding).mp. [mp=title, abstract, original title, name of substance word, subject heading word, keyword heading word, protocol supplementary concept word, rare disease supplementary concept word, unique identifier] (179)
12. bladder flap hematoma.mp. (11)
13. early postpartum hemorrhage.mp. (26)
14. uterine arteriovenous malformation.mp. (129)
15. Uterus/ and Arteriovenous Malformations/ (143)
16. 1 or 2 or 3 or 4 or 5 or 6 or 7 or 8 or 9 or 10 or 11 or 12 or 13 or 14 or 15 (6110)
17. exp Diagnostic Imaging/ (193364)
18. 16 and 17 (407)
19. limit 18 to (abstracts and english language and yr="2006 -Current") (165)
20. limit 19 to case reports (76)
21. 19 not 20 (89)
22. remove duplicates from 21 (88)

**Summary**

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References from the literature search that were not retained had a poor study design, were not relevant to the topic, or had unclear or biased results.