

Literature Search
ACR Appropriateness Criteria®
Neck Mass/Adenopathy

Literature Search Performed on: 3/30/2017

Beginning Date: January 2007

End Date: February 2017

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

Search Strategy:

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- 1 Neck/ (27591)
 - 2 exp Diagnostic Imaging/ (2372036)
 - 3 1 and 2 (7488)
 - 4 limit 3 to (abstracts and english language and humans and yr="2015 - 2017") (374)
 - 5 limit 4 to case reports (95)
 - 6 4 not 5 (279)
 - 7 remove duplicates from 6 (257)
 - 8 salivary glands/ or parotid gland/ or submandibular gland/ (35511)
 - 9 mass.mp. (958393)
 - 10 8 and 9 (1062)
 - 11 tumor.mp. (1404051)
 - 12 8 and 11 (2332)
 - 13 (10 or 12) and 2 (658)
 - 14 limit 13 to (abstracts and english language and humans and yr="2007 -Current") (247)
 - 15 limit 14 to case reports (131)
 - 16 14 not 15 (116)
 - 17 remove duplicates from 16 (114)
 - 18 7 or 17 (371)
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Summary

| Source | #Unique Refs | #Retained Refs |
|-----------------------|--------------|----------------|
| Old bibliography | 97 | 14 |
| Literature Search(es) | 371 | 37 |
| Author Added | 52 | 52 |
| Supporting Docs | 3 | 3 |
| Total | | 106 |

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.