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**Literature Search**

ACR Appropriateness Criteria®

Suspected Pulmonary Hypertension

Literature Search Performed on: 11/03/2020
Beginning Date: January 2015
End Date: October 2020
Database: Ovid MEDLINE(R) ALL <1946 to November 02, 2020>

**Search Strategy**

1  *Hypertension, Pulmonary/ (26993)
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3  1 and 2 (5752)
4  *Hypertension, Pulmonary/ and (Ultrasonography/ or Radiography/ or Radionuclide Imaging/ or Classification/) (917)
5  3 or 4 (5764)
6  limit 5 to "all child (0 to 18 years)" (1268)
7  5 not 6 (4496)
8  limit 7 to (abstracts and english language and humans and yr="2015 -Current") (966)
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