Literature Search
ACR Appropriateness Criteria®
Management of Uterine Fibroids

Literature Search Performed on: 02/17/2022
Beginning Date: January 2016
End Date: January 2022
Database: Ovid MEDLINE(R) ALL <1946 to February 16, 2022>

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1  High-Intensity Focused Ultrasound Ablation/ (1999)
2  Endometrial Ablation Techniques/ (446)
3  Uterine Artery Embolization/ or Embolization, Therapeutic/ (35858)
4  Uterine Myomectomy/ (1211)
5  Hysterectomy/ (30682)
6  magnetic resonance imaging, interventional/ or ultrasonography, interventional/ or magnetic resonance imaging/ or ultrasonography/ (650481)
7  Gonadotropin-Releasing Hormone/ (28635)
8  Contraceptives, Oral/ (19463)
9  Intrauterine Devices, Medicated/ and Levonorgestrel/ (1220)
10 Tranexamic Acid/ (4347)
11 Adenomyosis/ (982)
12 Postmenopause/ (26504)
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23 21 or 22 (14988)
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