Literature Search
ACR Appropriateness Criteria®
Cerebrovascular Diseases-Stroke and Stroke-Related Conditions

Literature Search Performed on: 08/15/2022
Beginning Date: January 2020
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2  Stroke/ (123407)
3  transient ischemic attack/ (21493)
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6  Perfusion/ (51812)
7  Carotid Stenosis/ (17486)
8  Intraparenchymal hemorrhage.mp. (772)
9  exp Diagnostic Imaging/ (2859056)
10  1 or 2 or 3 or 4 or 5 or 6 or 7 or 8 (242428)
11  9 and 10 (49546)
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13  limit 12 to case reports (286)
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