Literature Search
ACR Appropriateness Criteria®
Staging of Renal Cell Carcinoma

Literature Search Performed on: 02/03/2022
Beginning Date: January 2020
End Date: January 2022
Database: Ovid MEDLINE(R) ALL <1946 to February 02, 2022>

Search Strategy
1  Carcinoma, Renal Cell/dg (3026)
2  Kidney Neoplasms/dg (8519)
3  exp diagnostic imaging/ (2810559)
4  (1 or 2) and 3 (8445)
5  limit 4 to (abstracts and english language and yr="2020 -Current") (416)
6  limit 5 to "all child (0 to 18 years)" (27)
7  limit 6 to "all adult (19 plus years)" (16)
8  (5 or 7) not 6 (389)

Literature Search Performed on: 10/20/2020
Beginning Date: January 2014
End Date: September 2020
Database: Ovid MEDLINE(R) ALL <1946 to October 19, 2020>

Search Strategy
1  Carcinoma, Renal Cell/ (33587)
2  Neoplasm Staging/ (175508)
3  1 and 2 (3418)
4  exp diagnostic imaging/ (2657371)
5  3 and 4 (604)
6  limit 5 to (guideline or meta analysis or practice guideline) (5)
7  limit 5 to "all adult (19 plus years)" (444)
8  6 or 7 (448)
9  limit 8 to (abstracts and english language and humans and yr="2014 -Current") (139)
10 limit 9 to case reports (20)
11 9 not 10 (119)

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.