Literature Search

ACR Appropriateness Criteria®

Palpable Breast Masses

Literature Search Performed on: 07/31/2020

Beginning Date: January 2016

End Date: June 2020

Database: Ovid MEDLINE(R) ALL <1946 to July 28, 2020>

Search Strategy

1 breast cancer.mp. or *Breast Neoplasms/ (341785)

2 (palpable breast mass or palpable breast masses).mp. [mp=title, abstract, original title, name of substance word, subject heading word, floating sub-heading word, keyword heading word, organism supplementary concept word, protocol supplementary concept word, rare disease supplementary concept word, unique identifier, synonyms] (344)

3 breast mass*.mp. [mp=title, abstract, original title, name of substance word, subject heading word, floating sub-heading word, keyword heading word, organism supplementary concept word, protocol supplementary concept word, rare disease supplementary concept word, unique identifier, synonyms] (3284)

4 *Biopsy, Fine-Needle/ (3866)

5 exp Diagnostic Imaging/ (2637764)

6 Palpation/ or PALPABLE.mp. (24875)

7 1 or 2 or 3 (342750)

8 6 and 7 (4765)

9 4 or 5 (2639922)

10 8 and 9 (2614)

11 limit 10 to "all child (0 to 18 years)" (174)

12 10 not 11 (2440)

13 limit 12 to (abstracts and english language and humans and yr="2016 -Current") (169)

14 limit 13 to case reports (21)

15 13 not 14 (148)

16 remove duplicates from 15 (148)

Summary

Source	**#Unique Refs**	**#Retained Refs**
Old bibliography	84	45
Literature Search(es)	148	7
Author Added	3	2
Supporting Docs	5	1
Total		55

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.