Literature Search

ACR Appropriateness Criteria®

Clinically Suspected Adnexal Mass, No Acute Symptoms

Literature Search Performed on: 01/19/2022
Beginning Date: January 2015
End Date: December 2021
Database: Ovid MEDLINE(R) ALL <1946 to January 18, 2022>

Search Strategy

1 Adnexal Diseases/ or Ovarian Neoplasms/ or adnexal mass.mp. (88367)
2 fallopian tube diseases/ or fallopian tube neoplasms/ (6243)
3 ovarian cysts/ (6980)
4 adnexal.mp. (10206)
5 4 and (1 or 2 or 3) (4545)
6 ovarian/ or adnexal/ or fallopian tube/ (12543)
7 cyst/ or lesion/ or cystic lesion/ or mass/ or neoplasm/ (499728)
8 6 and 7 (211)
9 borderline tumor.mp. and 6 (21)
10 pregnancy/ (933603)
11 10 and 8 (26)
12 exp diagnostic imaging/ (2805097)
13 12 and (4 or 5 or 8 or 9 or 11) (2457)
14 limit 13 to (abstracts and english language and humans and yr="2015 -Current") (530)
15 limit 14 to "all child (0 to 18 years)" (135)
16 14 not 15 (395)
17 limit 16 to case reports (148)
18 16 not 17 (247)
19 limit 13 to "practice guideline" (22)
20 18 or 19 (266)
21 adnexal masses.tw. (1506)
22 limit 21 to (abstracts and english language and humans and yr="2016 -Current") (244)
23 20 or 22 (422)
24 adnexal cysts.tw. (142)
25 limit 24 to (abstracts and english language and humans and yr="2016 -Current") (26)
26 23 or 25 (436)

Summary

Source	#Unique Refs	#Retained Refs
Old bibliography	63	23
Literature Search(es)	432	30
Author Added	69	59
Supporting Docs	6	2
Total		114

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.