

**Literature Search**  
**ACR Appropriateness Criteria®**  
**Radiologic Management of Urinary Tract Obstruction**

Literature Search Performed on: 10/10/2017

Beginning Date: January 2008

End Date: October 2017

Database: Ovid MEDLINE(R) Epub Ahead of Print, In-Process & Other Non-Indexed Citations, Ovid MEDLINE(R) Daily and Ovid MEDLINE(R) <1946 to Present>

**Search Strategy**

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- 1 Urinary Diversion/ (10055)
- 2 Pyelonephritis/ (14795)
- 3 Pyonephrosis/ (177)
- 4 Ureteral Obstruction/ or obstructive uropathy.mp. or Urethral Obstruction/ (17673)
- 5 percutaneous nephrolithotomy.mp. or Nephrostomy, Percutaneous/ (6043)
- 6 1 or 2 or 3 or 4 (41059)
- 7 5 and 6 (914)
- 8 limit 7 to (abstracts and english language and humans and yr="2008 -Current") (142)
- 9 limit 8 to case reports (36)
- 10 8 not 9 (106)

**Summary**

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Source	#Unique Refs	#Retained Refs
Old bibliography	86	60
Literature Search(es)	88	20
Author Added	11	6
Supporting Docs	5	5
Total		91

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.