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Concepts in Columns

Single Database

Concept 1:	Concept 2:	Concept 3:
Keywords:	Keywords:	Keywords:
Subject Headings:	Subject Headings:	Subject Headings:

Multiple Databases

Concept 1:	Concept 2:	Concept 3:
Keywords:	Keywords:	Keywords:
MeSH Terms:	MeSH Terms:	MeSH Terms:
CINAHL Subject Headings (MH):	CINAHL Subject Headings (MH):	CINAHL Subject Headings (MH):
APA Index Terms:	APA Index Terms:	APA Index Terms:

Concepts in Rows

Single Database

	Keywords	Subject Headings
Concept 1		
Concept 2		
Concept 3		

Multiple Databases

	Keywords	MeSH Terms (PubMed)	CINAHL Subject Headings	APA Index Terms (PsycINFO)
Concept 1				
Concept 2				
Concept 3				

Example Table

	<i>Keywords</i>	<i>MeSH Terms (PubMed)</i>	<i>CINAHL Subject Headings</i>	<i>APA Index Terms (PsycINFO)</i>
Concept 1: cancer	cancer	Neoplasms[MeSH]	(MH "Cancer Patients") OR (MH "Cancer Survivors") OR (MH "Neoplasms")	{Terminal Cancer} OR {Neoplasms}
Concept 2: palliative care	survivor* OR "end-of-life care" OR "terminal care" OR palliative OR hospice	Survivorship [MeSH] OR "Terminal Care" [MeSH] OR "Palliative Care" [MeSH] OR "Palliative Medicine" [MeSH] OR "Hospice Care" [MeSH] OR Hospices [MeSH] OR "Hospice and Palliative Care Nursing" [MeSH]	(MH "Hospice and Palliative Nursing") OR (MH "Terminal Care") OR (MH "Terminally Ill Patients")	{Palliative Care} OR {Survivors} OR {Hospice}
Concept 3: immigrants	immigrant*	"Emigrants and Immigrants"[MeSH]	(MH "Immigrants") OR (MH "Emigration and Immigration")	{Immigration}

Example Search Queries

PubMed:

(cancer OR Neoplasms[MeSH])

AND

(immigrant* OR Emigrants and Immigrants[MeSH])

AND

(survivor* OR "end-of-life care" OR "terminal care" OR palliative OR Survivorship OR Terminal Care OR Palliative Care OR Palliative Medicine[MeSH Terms] OR "Hospice Care"[MeSH Terms] OR "Hospices"[MeSH Terms] OR "Hospice and Palliative Care Nursing"[MeSH Terms])

CINAHL:

((MH "Cancer Patients") OR (MH "Cancer Survivors") OR (MH "Neoplasms") OR "cancer")

AND

((MH "Palliative Care") OR (MH "Hospice and Palliative Nursing") OR (MH "Terminal Care") OR (MH "Terminally Ill Patients")) OR (survivor* OR "end-of-life care" OR "terminal care" OR palliative OR hospice))

AND

((MH "Immigrants") OR (MH "Emigration and Immigration") OR immigrant*)

PsycINFO via PsycNET

Any Field: cancer OR Index Terms: {Terminal Cancer} OR {Neoplasms}

AND

Any Field: survivor* OR "end-of-life care" OR "terminal care" OR palliative OR hospice OR Index Terms: {Palliative Care} OR {Survivors}

AND

Any Field: immigrant* OR Index Terms: {Immigration}