Supplemental file 1

Search strategy

Newspaper articles on advance care planning and COVID-19¹:

(Advance-care-planning AND (COVID-19 OR Corona OR COVID19 OR 2019-ncov OR 2019ncov OR nCoV-2019 OR 2019-novel-coronavirus* OR Coronavirus-Disease-2019 OR Corona-virus-Disease-2019 OR Coronavirus-Disease-19 OR Corona-virus-Disease-19 OR SARS-CoV-2 OR sars2 OR sars-2 OR severe-acute-respiratory-syndrome-cov-2 OR severe-acute-respiratory-syndrome-cov2))

Total number of newspaper articles on advance care planning in 2019 vs. 2020²:

(Advance-care-planning)

¹Search performed in LexisNexis Uni from 1 January 2020 to 4 November 2020.

²Search performed in LexisNexis Uni from 1 January 2019 to 31 December 2019 and from 1

January 2020 to 4 November 2020.

Link to LexisNexis Uni: https://advance.lexis.com/bisacademicresearchhome?crid=fb55e0bd-

55e8-4a55-962e-0deb838ace3f&pdmfid=1516831&pdisurlapi=true