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Number	combined	Search term - Medline	MeSH	Keyword	total
3 or 7	2963804	(MH "Aged") OR (MH "Aged, 80 and Over")	yes		3076650
		OR			
	355786	"older adult" OR		yes	
		senior OR		yes	
		elder* OR		yes	
		geriatric OR		yes	
		"old* person*" OR		yes	
		AND			
1 or 2 or 4	6242	"intergenerational relation*" OR		yes	7854
		"intergenerational program*" OR		yes	
		"intergenerational activit*" OR		yes	
		"intergenerational practice" OR		yes	
		"intergenerational learning"		yes	
		OR			
	3734	intergenerational relations	yes		
		OR			
	6242	intergenerational		yes	
		AND			
5	44986	"social connect*" OR		yes	44986
		"social isolation" OR		yes	
		"social interact*" OR		yes	
		loneliness OR		yes	
		"social participation"		yes	
5 and 6 and 8				**TOTAL**	**105**
				Limited to english language	**93**

Number	combined	Search term -CINAHL	MeSH	Keyword	total
S1 OR S5	720418	(MH "Aged") OR (MH "Aged, 80 and Over")	yes		772260
		OR			
	162145	"older adult" OR		yes	
		senior OR		yes	
		elder* OR		yes	
		geriatric OR		yes	
		"old* person*" OR		yes	
		AND			
S2 OR S3	6242	"intergenerational relation*" OR		yes	6242
		"intergenerational program*" OR		yes	
		"intergenerational activit*" OR		yes	
		"intergenerational practice" OR		yes	
		"intergenerational learning"		yes	
		OR			
	6242	intergenerational		yes	
		AND			
S6	22543	"social connect*" OR		yes	22543
		"social isolation" OR		yes	
		"social interact*" OR		yes	
		loneliness OR		yes	
		"social participation"		yes	
S6 AND S12 AND S14		**TOTAL**			**143**
		Limited to age and english language			**139**

Number	combined	Search term -PsycINFO	MeSH	Keyword	total
1 or 6		(MH "Aged") OR (MH "Aged, 80 and Over")		yes	
		OR			
		"older adult" OR		yes	
		senior OR		yes	
		elder* OR		yes	
		geriatric OR		yes	
		"old* person*"		yes	
2 or 3 or 4		**AND**			
		"intergenerational relation*" OR		yes	
		"intergenerational program*" OR		yes	
		"intergenerational activit*" OR		yes	
		"intergenerational practice" OR		yes	
		"intergenerational learning"		yes	
		OR			
		intergenerational relations	yes		
		OR			
		intergenerational		yes	
5		**AND**			
		"social connect*" OR		yes	
		"social isolation" OR		yes	
		"social interact*" OR		yes	
		loneliness OR		yes	
		"social participation"		yes	
5 and 6 and 7		**TOTAL**			**144**
		Limited to english language			**133**

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older people or aged or senior AND "intergenerational program*" or intergenerational AND "social connectedness"	**73**

Search two	Added "adolescent" search term to each of the above search strategies in order to refine search by age limit of agreed 13-19 years