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Supplementary information: Search strategy

Search strings

(((isolation OR isolating OR confin* OR quarantin*) AND (infection* OR infected OR infectious OR ill OR diseased))
OR
(contact tracing AND contact*)
OR
((travel OR cruise OR flight OR train OR bus OR coach) AND (ban* OR restrict* OR limit*))
OR
(curfew* OR distancing OR ((gather* OR mass OR group) AND (ban OR restrict OR curb*))
OR ((school OR creche OR daycare OR kindergarten OR pre-school OR nursery) AND
(closing OR closure OR close)) OR ((work* OR office OR firm OR factory) AND (non-
attendance OR absenteeism OR closing OR closure OR close)) OR work* from home)
OR
((screen* OR scan*) AND (point of entry OR point-of-entry OR entry OR exit))
OR
((face mask OR facemask OR n95 OR n99) OR (glove OR gloves) OR (saniti?er) OR
(disinfect* AND contaminat* AND (surface* OR door handle OR door knob OR area)) OR
(hand-washing OR washing hands OR hand hygiene))
OR
(lockdown* OR (quarantin* AND (population OR community OR country OR nation OR state)
AND (entire OR whole OR blanket OR everyone))))
AND
(cost* OR pric* OR econom* OR financ* OR ((econom* OR soci* OR financ*) AND (los* OR
impact* OR effect* OR cost* OR consequence* OR burden*))
AND
(outbreak* OR epidemic* or pandemic*)

Databases

- Medline
- EMBASE

Restrictions

- Published on or after 1990
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