

The retrieval formula of this study:

TS = (CAR-NK OR CAR-NK cell OR CAR NK cell OR CAR-engineered NK cell OR CAR-expressing NK cell OR CAR-transduced natural killer cell OR CAR-expressing natural killer cell OR chimeric antigen receptor natural killer-cell OR chimeric antigen receptor-expressing NK cell OR chimeric antigen receptor-transduced natural killer cell OR chimeric antigen receptor-engineered NK cell OR chimeric antigen receptor (CAR)-engineered NK cell OR chimeric antigen receptor (CAR)-transduced natural killer cell).

Inclusion criteria were as follows:

- (1) timespan: January 1, 2010 to May 1, 2022;
- (2) language: English;
- (3) publication type: article or review.

Since the bibliometric analysis required collecting as much relevant literature as possible, the Exclusion criteria were set rather broadly, as follows:

- (1) language: non-English;
- (2) publication type: non-article or non-review.

These retrieved documents were exported in the form of “Full Record and Cited References” and saved as “Plain Text”. Finally, these files were named “download_*.txt”.