

Appendix 1: Search strings

EMBASE

1. ("tubercul\$" or "mycobacter\$" or "TB").ti.
2. exp tuberculosis/
3. 1 or 2
4. MEDLINE.tw.
5. exp systematic review/ or systematic review.tw.
6. meta-analysis/
7. intervention\$.ti.
8. 4 or 5 or 6 or 7
9. 3 and 8

MEDLINE

1. tubercul\$.ti.
2. mycobacter\$.ti.
3. TB.ti.
4. tuberculosis.xm.
5. 1 or 2 or 3 or 4
6. MEDLINE.tw.
7. systematic review.tw.
8. meta-analysis.pt.
9. intervention\$.ti.
10. 6 or 7 or 8 or 9
11. 5 and 10

CINAHL

((tubercul*).ti OR (mycobacter*).ti OR (TB).ti OR exp "MYCOBACTERIUM INFECTIONS"/) AND ((MEDLINE).ti OR (MEDLINE).ab OR exp "LITERATURE REVIEW"/ OR (systematic review).ti OR (systematic review).ab OR exp "META ANALYSIS"/ OR (intervention*).ti)

Global Health

(TI tubercul* OR TI mycobacter* OR TI TB OR SU tuberculosis) AND (TI MEDLINE OR AB MEDLINE OR SU systematic review OR TI systematic review OR AB systematic review OR SU meta-analysis OR TI intervention*)

Scopus

(TITLE-ABS(tubercul*) OR TITLE-ABS(mycobacter*) OR TITLE-ABS(TB)) AND (TITLE-ABS(MEDLINE) OR TITLE-ABS(systematic review) OR TITLE(meta-analysis) OR TITLE(intervention*))

Trip

(tubercul* or mycobacter* or TB)