

Supplementary Material S2: search strategies

Search strategy PubMed	
# 1	"pressure ulcer*" [TIAB]
# 2	"pressure sore*" [TIAB]
# 3	"pressure injur*" [TIAB]
# 4	"pressure damage*" [TIAB]
# 5	"Pressure Ulcer" [mh]
# 6	"deep tissue injur*" [TIAB]
# 7	"skin ulcer*" [TIAB]
# 8	"bed sore*" [TIAB]
# 9	"superficial ulcer*" [TIAB]
# 10	decubitus [TIAB]
# 11	risk [TIAB]
# 12	„risk factors“ [mh]
# 13	exposure [TIAB]
# 14	cause
# 15	predict* [TIAB]
# 16	prognos* [TIAB]
# 17	epidemiology [TIAB]
# 18	etiology [TIAB]
# 19	aetiology [TIAB]
# 20	extrinsic [TIAB]
# 21	external [TIAB]
# 22	intrinsic [TIAB]
# 23	internal [TIAB]
# 24	OR #1 - #10
# 25	OR #11 - #23
# 26	AND #24 - #25

Search strategy Embase	
# 1	"pressure ulcer*":ab,ti
# 2	"pressure sore*":ab,ti
# 3	"pressure injur*":ab,ti
# 4	"pressure damage*":ab,ti
# 5	"deep tissue injur*":ab,ti
# 6	"skin ulcer*":ab,ti
# 7	"bed sore*":ab,ti
# 8	"superficial ulcer*":ab,ti
# 9	decubitus:ab,ti
# 10	risk:ab,ti
# 11	„risk factors”:ab,ti
# 12	exposure:ab,ti
# 13	cause:ab,ti
# 14	predict*:ab,ti
# 15	prognos*:ab,ti
# 16	epidemiology:ab,ti
# 17	etiology:ab,ti
# 18	aetiology:ab,ti
# 19	extrinsic:ab,ti

#	20	external:ab,ti
#	21	intrinsic:ab,ti
#	22	internal:ab,ti
#	23	[humans]/lim
#	24	[embase]/lim
#	25	OR #1 - #9
#	26	OR #10 - #22
#	27	AND #23 - #26

Search strategy Cochrane Library

#	1	pressure ulcer*
#	2	pressure sore*
#	3	pressure injur*
#	4	pressure damage*
#	5	deep tissue injur*
#	6	skin ulcer*
#	7	bed sore*
#	8	superficial ulcer*
#	9	decubitus
#	10	risk
#	11	risk factor
#	12	exposure
#	13	cause
#	14	predict*
#	15	prognos*
#	16	epidemiology
#	17	etiology
#	18	aetiology
#	19	extrinsic
#	20	external
#	21	intrinsic
#	22	internal
#	23	OR (#1 - #9):ti,ab,kw
#	24	OR (#10 - #22):ti,ab,kw
#	25	AND #23 - #24

Search strategy Web of Science

#	1	pressure ulcer*
#	2	pressure sore*
#	3	pressure injur*
#	4	pressure damage*
#	5	deep tissue injur*
#	6	skin ulcer*
#	7	bed sore*
#	8	superficial ulcer*
#	9	decubitus
#	10	risk
#	11	risk factor
#	12	exposure

#	13	cause
#	14	predict*
#	15	prognos*
#	16	epidemiology
#	17	etiology
#	18	aetiology
#	19	extrinsic
#	20	external
#	21	intrinsic
#	22	internal
#	23	OR TS=(#1 - #9)
#	24	OR TS=(#10 - #22)
#	25	AND #23 - #24

Search strategy CINAHL

#	1	MH "Pressure ulcer+"
#	2	TI pressure ulcer*
#	3	AB pressure ulcer*
#	4	TI pressure sore*
#	5	AB pressure sore*
#	6	TI pressure injur*
#	7	AB pressure injur*
#	8	TI pressure damage*
#	9	AB pressure damage*
#	10	TI deep tissue injur*
#	11	AB deep tissue injur*
#	12	TI skin ulcer*
#	13	AB skin ulcer*
#	14	TI bed sore*
#	15	AB bed sore*
#	16	TI superficial ulcer*
#	17	AB superficial ulcer*
#	18	TI decubitus
#	19	AB decubitus
#	20	TI risk
#	21	AB risk
#	22	TI risk factor
#	23	AB risk factor
#	24	TI exposure
#	25	AB exposure
#	26	TI cause
#	27	AB cause
#	28	TI predict*
#	29	AB predict*
#	30	TI prognos*
#	31	AB prognos*
#	32	TI epidemiology
#	33	AB epidemiology
#	34	TI etiology
#	35	AB etiology
#	36	TI aetiology
#	37	AB aetiology

#	38	TI extrinsic
#	39	AB extrinsic
#	40	TI external
#	41	AB external
#	42	TI intrinsic
#	43	AB intrinsic
#	44	TI internal
#	45	AB internal
#	46	OR #1 - 19
#	47	OR #20 - #45
#	25	AND #46 - #47