Grey Matters: a practical tool for searching health-related grey literature

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Introduction

BACKGROUND

The Canadian Agency for Drugs and Technologies in Health (CADTH) provides Canada’s federal, provincial, and territorial health care decision makers with credible, impartial advice and evidence-based information about the effectiveness and efficiency of drugs and other health technologies. To achieve its mandate, CADTH produces a variety of publications that range from comprehensive systematic reviews and economic evaluations to more concise bulletins and updates.

In order to search for and retrieve the evidence base required to produce CADTH reports, the Information Services team has developed a grey literature checklist. Grey literature includes reports and documents that are not published commercially and that are inaccessible via bibliographic databases. The checklist is used to:

- ensure the retrieval of relevant health technology assessment (HTA), government, and evidence-based agency reports that may not be indexed in bibliographic databases such as MEDLINE
- help document the grey literature search process, thereby increasing transparency and the potential for reproducibility
- ensure that grey literature searching is done in a standardized and comprehensive way.

DESCRIPTION

This checklist includes national and international HTA web sites, clinical practice guideline producers, drug and device regulatory agencies, health economics resources, drug class reviews, clinical trials registries, Canadian health prevalence or incidence databases, drug formulary web sites, statistics, Internet search web sites, and both free and subscription-based databases.

Organized by category, the checklist includes tips on navigating the web sites. Although the web sites are usually assigned to only one category, in many cases an individual web site may have relevancy in additional categories. The checklist does not supply background information on the agencies. If available, however, the name of the web site is a hyperlink to a brief description of the agency.

This checklist is meant to be used to document all aspects of the search process. This includes the documentation of all keywords used in the search and information about the availability of each web site as well as the use of a drop-down box beside each web site to indicate the success or relevancy of the retrieval.
SCOPE

The CADTH grey literature checklist is not exhaustive, but it does strive to be comprehensive regarding Canadian and international HTA agencies. To compensate for the focused characteristics of the checklist, supplemental keyword searches on two search engines are part of the process.

Commercial bibliographic databases, such as MEDLINE, EMBASE, and The Cochrane Library, are also searched for CADTH reports. Because this checklist focuses on grey literature, most of these bibliographic databases are not listed here (although we have included a few free databases that contain commercially published literature; for example, PubMed).

This publication is provided only online because it is a tool for evidence-based searching on the Internet. The checklist is updated regularly to reflect changes in web site addresses. Nevertheless, CADTH cannot be held responsible for occasional inaccuracies due to web site changes or due to the changing nature of the Internet.

AUDIENCE

This checklist is intended for the use of information specialists or researchers who are producing systematic reviews, HTAs, or economic evaluations.

SUMMARY

CADTH Information Specialists play an integral part in the production of evidence-based publications and products at CADTH. With the growing importance of grey literature in evidence-based medicine and in an effort to ensure systematic and comprehensive grey literature searching, we decided to develop this search tool. Calibrated over the years, it is now a useful tool for anyone engaged in searching for HTAs or drug assessments.
Grey Literature Checklist

Use the drop-down boxes that appear beside each web site in the checklist to indicate one of the following:

- searched; nothing found
- not searched; not relevant
- searched; results found
- results may be of peripheral interest.

*Include the search terms that were used in your search:*

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Health Technology Assessment (HTA) Agencies

**CANADA**

**PLEASE SELECT**

- [The Alberta College of Family Physicians](http://www.acfp.ca/WhatWeDo/ToolsforPractice.aspx) (ACFP). Tools for Practice
  - Filter by "year" or "category" using options in the left-hand menu.
  - [Language: English]

**PLEASE SELECT**

- [Alberta Health and Wellness](http://www.health.alberta.ca/initiatives/AHTDP-reviews.html) Decision Process provincial reviews – ongoing and complete
  - [Language: English]

**PLEASE SELECT**

- [Canadian Agency for Drugs and Technologies in Health](https://www.cadth.ca/search?keywords) (CADTH). Search
  - Can limit by product line, result type, publication date, etc. in the bar at the left side of the page. Includes projects in progress as well as completed projects.
  - [Languages: English, French]
PLEASE SELECT

Health Quality Council of Alberta (HQCA). Completed Reviews
http://hqca.ca/studies-and-reviews/completed-reviews/
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

Health Quality Ontario (HQO). Publications and OHTAC Recommendations
http://www.hqontario.ca/evidence/publications-and-ohtac-recommendations
Search all publications by entering keywords in the top right-hand search box or browse each of the different report types linked to in the left-hand menu (i.e. “Ontario Health Technology Assessment Series,” “OHTAC Recommendations,” “Rapid Reviews,” etc.) separately.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

The Hospital for Sick Children (SickKids). Technology Assessment at SickKids (TASK)
http://www.sickkids.ca/Research/TASK/Reports/index.html
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

Institut national d’excellence en santé et en services sociaux (INESSS)
[formerly AETMIS]. Publications
If not browsing, may wish to also consider French keywords especially for indications. To search with keywords enter them into search box located under the "Publications" heading.
[Languages: French, English]

PLEASE SELECT

Institute of Health Economics (IHE). Publications Library
http://www.ihe.ca/index.php/?/publications
Browse by year of publication, topic, etc. in left-hand menu or use publications search engine.
[Language: English]
PLEASE SELECT

**Manitoba Centre for Health Policy** (MCHP). Deliverables
http://mchp-appserv.cpe.umanitoba.ca/deliverablesList.html
For publications in progress, see also the "Upcoming MCHP Reports" link in the left menu.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

**McGill University Health Centre** (MUHC). Technology Assessment Unit
http://www.mcgill.ca/tau/publications/
Search by date or using search box. See "work in progress" tab in left-hand menu for ongoing reports.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

Completed CHRSP projects
http://www.nlcahr.mun.ca/CHRSP/CompletedCHRSP.php
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

**Ottawa Hospital Research Institute** (OHRI). Knowledge Synthesis Group
http://www.ohri.ca/ksgroup/publications.asp
Formerly known as Chalmers Research Group, no longer being updated.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

**Pan-Canadian HTA Collaborative.** HTA Database Canadian Search Interface
http://www.crd.york.ac.uk/PanHTA/
Canadian interface for searching Canadian reports within the HTA database (see Centre for Reviews and Dissemination – HTA Database).
[Language: English]
**PLEASE SELECT**

Programs for Assessment of Technology in Health (Canada) (PATH).
Reports
http://www.path-hta.ca/Publications-Presentations/Publications/Reports.aspx
To browse, search by year in the right-hand side of the screen or use Ctrl-F to search keywords on each page of main “Reports” section. May also use the Google Advanced Search option to search keywords by limiting to the following domain: "http://www.path-hta.ca/publications-presentations/publications/reports." Some overlap with OHTAC and CADTH reports (also on checklist).
[Language: English]

**PLEASE SELECT**

Therapeutics Initiative, Therapeutics Letter
http://www.ti.ubc.ca/TherapeuticsLetter
For more evidence-based drug information, click on the "Drug Assessments" tab in the top menu (drug assessments section has not been updated since 2010).
[Language: English]

**PLEASE SELECT**

University of British Columbia, Centre for Health Services and Policy Research
http://chspr.ubc.ca/pubs/pub-search
This site has a health policy orientation. Click on "Search" at the top of the page for a search box, and on "Show only items where" to limit by publication type, year of publication, keywords, etc.
[Language: English]

**INTERNATIONAL**

**PLEASE SELECT**

EuroScan Secretariat, International Information Network on New and Emerging Health Technologies (EUROSCAN)
http://www.euroscan.org/
It is possible to search this site with or without a membership. Use the search box for keyword searching or browse by selecting the specialty of interest, author HTA agency, etc.
[Language: English]
PLEASE SELECT
INAHTA Secretariat, International Network of Agencies for Health Technology Assessment (INAHTA)
http://www.inahta.org/publications/
Search by keyword or browse by product type or authoring agency.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT
World Health Organization Regional Office for Europe, Health Evidence Network (WHO HEN)
In site search box, phrases may be searched using quotes " ". A list of evidence reports can be found at: http://www.euro.who.int/en/data-and-evidence/evidence-informed-policy-making/publications/evidence-reports/evidence-reports
[Languages: English, French, German, Russian]

AUSTRALIA
PLEASE SELECT
Australian Government, Department of Health and Ageing, Australia and New Zealand Horizon Scanning Network (ANZHSN)
Search box can be used to search horizon scanning sites only or all Australian Government web sites. If browsing is preferable, scroll down page and click on each report type (i.e. Horizon scanning, Prioritising summaries, and Emerging Technology Bulletins).
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT
Australian Government Department of Health and Ageing, Medical Services Advisory Committee (MSAC). Completed Assessments and Reviews
Search box can be used to search MSAC sites only or all Australian Government web sites. If browsing is preferable scan the "Recently Completed" MSAC assessment application list. Contains 2011-onward; for older items scroll down and click on "Historical Resources" for both MSAC Assessments and MSAC References. For assessments in progress, click on "Current Assessments" in the left-hand menu.
[Language: English]
Subscription required for full-text database, available through both JBI COnNECT and OVID interfaces. Able to limit by subject area and publication type.
[Language: English]

If older reports are desired, click the link to “Archived evidence reviews” found at the top of the page or in the left sidebar.
[Language: English]

For drug searches only. Use Ctrl-F to search keywords on this page.
[Language: English]

Use the search box at the top left of the page, or browse by medical specialty or date of secretariat meeting.
[Language: English]

[Language: English]

AUSTRIA

PLEASE SELECT Institute of Technology Assessment (ITA). http://www.oeaw.ac.at/ita/en/projects
[Languages: German, English]
PLEASE SELECT

Ludwig Boltzmann Institut für Health Technology Assessment (LBI).
Ludwig Boltzmann Institute of Health Technology Assessment
http://eprints.hta.lbg.ac.at/
Most articles in German with English summaries. Can also browse by subject using the left-hand menu.
[Languages: German, English]

BELGIUM

PLEASE SELECT

Kenniscentrum voor de Gezondheidszorg / Le Centre d'expertise des soins de santé. Belgian Health Care Knowledge Centre (KCE)
This site contains many English reports (as well as Dutch and French). To browse by topic click "Browse reports by domains" in left-hand menu.
[Languages: English, French, Dutch]

DENMARK

PLEASE SELECT

Sundhedsstyrelsen, Danish Health and Medicines Authority (DHMA).
Publications
http://sundhedsstyrelsen.dk/en/publications
Reports in Danish, but include English summaries.
[Languages: Danish, English summaries]

FRANCE

PLEASE SELECT

Comité d'Evaluation de Diffusion des Innovations Technologiques (CEDIT). CEDIT Recommendations and Reports
http://cedit.aphp.fr/cedit-hospital-based-hta-agency/recommendations-reports/
Most reports in French only but recommendations are translated into English.
[Languages: French, English]
PLEASE SELECT

**Haute Autorité de santé/ French National Authority for Health** (HAS).
Haute Autorité de santé

*This site is also listed in the "Clinical practice guidelines" section of this checklist. Formerly Agence Nationale d’Accréditation et d’Évaluation en Santé. Many reports are translated to English.*

[Languages: French, English]

**GERMANY**

PLEASE SELECT

**Deutsches Institut für Medizinische Dokumentation und Information** (DIMDI). German Institute of Medical Documentation and Information

*See "Current topics" in left-hand menu for in-process reports. Reports in German with English abstracts and summaries.*

[Languages: German, English]

**IRELAND**

PLEASE SELECT

**Health Information and Quality Authority.** Health Technology Assessments
[http://www.higa.ie/healthcare/health-technology-assessment/assessments](http://www.higa.ie/healthcare/health-technology-assessment/assessments)

[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

**Health Service Executive.** Irish Health Repository (Lenus)
[http://www.lenus.ie/hse/](http://www.lenus.ie/hse/)

*Use advanced search at the top right of the page (results can be filtered on the results page) or use the browse tab to browse by collection, subject, etc.*

[Language: English]
THE NETHERLANDS

PLEASE SELECT

De Gezondheidsraad (GR). Health Council of the Netherlands
http://www.gezondheidsraad.nl/en/publications
Use filters on right side of the page to narrow by topic, date, etc., or use search box in upper-right corner to search the entire site. Most articles in Dutch with English summaries.
[Languages: Dutch, English]

PLEASE SELECT

Zorginstituut Nederland. National Health Care Institute Netherlands
http://www.zorginstituutnederland.nl/publications+in+english
Formerly College voor zorgverzekeringen (CVZ).
[Language: Dutch]

NORWAY

PLEASE SELECT

Nasjonalt kunnskapssenter for helsetjenesten. Norwegian Knowledge Centre for the Health Services. Publications
http://www.kunnskapssenteret.no/en/publications
[Languages: Norwegian, English]

SPAIN

PLEASE SELECT

Agencia de Evaluación de Tecnologías Sanitarias, Instituto de Salud “Carlos III”. Institute of Health Carlos III
http://publicaciones.isciii.es/
This online publications portal includes reports from the HTA agency “Agencia de Evaluación de Tecnologías Sanitarias (AETS)." Reports in Spanish, occasionally in English.
[Languages: Spanish, English]
PLEASE SELECT

Agència de Qualitat i Avaluació Sanitàries de Catalunya (AQuAS). Agency for Health Quality and Assessment of Catalonia
http://aquas.gencat.cat/ca/publicacions/
Browse by medical specialty, year, or type of publication. Reports in Catalan and Spanish but some have English summaries within the full-text publications.
[Languages: Catalan, Spanish]

SWEDEN
PLEASE SELECT

Sahlgrenska Universitetssjukhuset. Sahlgrenska University Hospital.
Regional activity-based HTA
https://www2.sahlgrenska.se/sv/SU/Forskning/HTA-centrum/Hogerkolumn-undersidor/Publicerade-rapporter/
[Languages: Swedish, English]

PLEASE SELECT

Swedish Council on Health Technology Assessment (SBU).
http://www.sbu.se/en/
Browse both the "Reports" and "Project" tabs. Contains some English reports and others in which only the summaries have been translated.
[Languages: Swedish, English]

UK
PLEASE SELECT

Healthcare Improvement Scotland
http://www.healthcareimprovementscotland.org
Under "Access our reports, publications and tools," browse page by subject in right-hand "Healthcare area" box, or use "Keywords" search box to enter keywords. Some overlap with NICE reports (also on checklist).
[Language: English]
PLEASE SELECT  
**National Institute for Health and Care Excellence** (NICE). NHS National Institute for Health and Care Excellence  
*To browse select “Continue” to the right of “Find guidance,” then choose “Conditions and diseases.” Use keywords and top-left search box for most recent reports and to search for specific terms. For full guidelines/overviews, click on the “Tools and resources” tab of the individual guideline’s page, then on “Evidence” in the left-hand menu.*  
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT  
**National Institute for Health and Care Excellence** (NICE). Advice List. Published evidence summaries  
*New product line for NICE, drug advice. Use Ctrl-F and search by drug name.*  
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT  
**National Institute for Health and Care Research, Horizon Scanning Centre** (NHSC). Outputs by Specialty  
[http://www.hsric.nihr.ac.uk/search?search=&specialty=&year=](http://www.hsric.nihr.ac.uk/search?search=&specialty=&year=)  
*Browse by selecting the specialty of interest or use the search box for keyword searching.*  
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT  
**NHS Purchasing and Supply Agency.** Centre for Evidence-based Purchasing (CEP)  
[http://nhscep.useconnect.co.uk/CEPProducts/Catalogue.aspx](http://nhscep.useconnect.co.uk/CEPProducts/Catalogue.aspx)  
*As of March 31, 2010, the Center has been decommissioned but older reports are still found at the Department of Health (UK) web site.*  
[Language: English]
PLEASE SELECT

NIHR Evaluation, Trials and Studies Coordinating Centre (NETSCC). Project Portfolio
http://www.nets.nihr.ac.uk/projects?collection=netscc&meta_P_sand=Project
Use general search box in right-hand menu for keyword searching; both phrase and Boolean searches are supported. Unpublished reports can be searched separately via the “Research in progress” tab but are also included in general search engine results.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

UK Department of Health (NHS). International Resource for Infection Control (iNRIC)
http://www.nric.org.uk/resources
Search by keyword or browse by condition. Use the filters on the left side of the page to narrow down further.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

National Health Service UK (NHS). NHS England
http://www.england.nhs.uk/
Contains funding decisions and clinical policies for drugs. Use main site search box.
[Language: English]
US

PLEASE SELECT

Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ).
- Technology Assessments
  http://www.ahrq.gov/research/findings/ta/
  Use Ctrl-F to search keywords on this page or use top right-hand search box for less common keywords in order to search the whole site. If older reports (1990-2010) are needed scroll down to the bottom of the screen and click on the "Technology assessment archive."
- Evidence-based Practice
  http://www.ahrq.gov/research/findings/evidence-based-reports/search.html
- Effective Health Care Reports
  http://effectivehealthcare.ahrq.gov/index.cfm/search-for-guides-reviews-and-reports/
  Browse using "Search by health condition" topics or use the "Search by keyword" search box located in mid-page for keyword searching.
  [Languages: English, Spanish]

PLEASE SELECT

Blue Cross and Blue Shield Association, Technology Evaluation Center (TEC)
http://www.bcbs.com/blueresources/tec/topic.html
Best for devices and procedures but does have pharmaceutical reports as well. See also unpublished reports by clicking on both "TEC assessments in progress" and "TEC assessments in press."
  [Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

California Technology Assessment Forum (CTAF). Assessments
http://www.ctaf.org/reports
Does not include pharmaceutical technologies.
  [Language: English]
PLEASE SELECT **Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services** (CMS). Technology Assessments  
Some duplication with AHRQ site.  
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT **ECRI Institute**.  
http://www.ecri.org/  
Subscription only: includes evidence reports, guidance, product alerts, technology forecasts, and other resources. After searching, filter the results by information type listed in left-hand menu.  
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT **Institute for Clinical and Economic Review** (ICER).  
http://www.icer-review.org/index.php/Table/Appraisals/  
Search both "completed" and "ongoing" appraisals.  
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT **Washington State Health Care Authority** (HCA). Health Technology Assessment Findings  
http://www.hca.wa.gov/hta/Pages/Forms/HTA_Findings.aspx  
[Language: English]

**Health Economics**

**CANADA**

PLEASE SELECT **Hospital for Sick Children [Toronto]**. Paediatric Economic Database Evaluation (PEDE)  
http://pede.ccb.sickkids.ca/pede/search.jsp  
This database contains over 2000 citations of full economic evaluations.  
[Language: English]
PLEASE SELECT

Institute of Health Economics (IHE). Publications
See above section “Health Technology Assessment (HTA) Agencies, Canada” for IHE linking information.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

McMaster University, Centre for Health Economics and Policy Analysis. Publications database (CHEPA)
http://www.chepa.org/research-products
Click on “Working papers” in the left-hand menu for reports not in traditional journal literature.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

Public Health Agency of Canada (PHAC). Economic Burden of Illness in Canada
Search only if burden of illness statistics required. Download the pdf document and perform a keyword search within.
[Languages: English, French]

PLEASE SELECT

Toronto Health Economics and Technology Assessment Collaborative (THETA). THETA Publications and Knowledge Translation to Policy (KT) Activities
http://theta.utoronto.ca/content.php?pid=411861&sid=3372336
To search this site click on the following sections and browse each page: “Publications” and “Reports.” The keyword search box in the upper left-hand margin does not retrieve all reports.
[Language: English]

INTERNATIONAL

PLEASE SELECT

Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ). National Quality Measures Clearinghouse
http://www.qualitymeasures.ahrq.gov/
Contains information on specific evidence-based health care quality measures and measure sets.
[Language: English]
PLEASE SELECT Australian Government Department of Health. Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme - Browse by Medicine Listing (PBS)
Browse alphabetical list for drug pricing.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, Economic Research Division. Ideas database (IDEAS)
http://ideas.repec.org/
To search click the "Advanced" search button in the top right-hand menu, and limit the search to "Papers," "Chapters," and "Books" (Articles are already captured in database searches). NEED TO SCROLL DOWN the page to see search results.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT International Society for Pharmacoeconomics and Outcomes Research (ISPOR). Value in Health: Journal of the International Society for Pharmacoeconomics and Outcomes Research
http://www.valueinhealthjournal.com/issues
Subscription required for some content; type in appropriate keywords in top menu. Includes abstracts from ISPOR's annual conferences. Duplication with EMBASE database which also indexes these conference abstracts.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT National Centre for Pharmacoeconomics [Ireland] (NCPE).
Pharmacoeconomic Evaluations
http://www.ncpe.ie/pharmacoeconomic-evaluations/
Select the technology type of interest (i.e. Drugs) and browse using the alphabetical listing.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT NHS Economic Evaluation Database (EED), economic evaluations of health care interventions
Searchable as part of the University of York NHS CRD databases. See the databases section.
[Language: English]
PLEASE SELECT

University of Aberdeen, Health Economics Research Unit (HERU)
http://www.abdn.ac.uk/heru/publications/publications/
Select publication types "HERU Briefing Papers" and "Reports" and browse by year within each category. Full-text links are not available for all reports.
[Language: English]

Clinical Practice Guidelines

CANADA

PLEASE SELECT

Alberta Medical Association, Toward Optimized Practice (TOP)
http://www.topalbertadoctors.org/cpgs.php?sid=1
Type keywords into the "CPG search" box located in the left-hand menu.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

British Columbia Ministry of Health, BC Guidelines
http://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/health/practitioner-professional-resources/bc-guidelines
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

Canadian Medical Association (CMA). CMA Infobase: Clinical Practice Guidelines
https://www.cma.ca/En/Pages/clinical-practice-guidelines.aspx
To search within guideline abstracts (not just title), use the "Advanced search" tab and select the "Include search in abstract" option. To browse guidelines by condition select the "Browse by" tab and then select the "Conditions" option.
[Languages: English, French]

PLEASE SELECT

Canadian Partnership Against Cancer Corporation, Cancer Guidelines Resource Centre. SAGE Directory
Only search for cancer topics. The search box defaults to searching "title" only unless another option is checked.
[Language: English]
PLEASE SELECT

**Canadian Standards Association** (CSA). Occupational Health and Safety
Languages: English, French

PLEASE SELECT

**The College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario** (CPSO). CPGs & Other Guidelines
[http://www.cpspo.on.ca/Policies-Publications/CPGs-Other-Guidelines](http://www.cpspo.on.ca/Policies-Publications/CPGs-Other-Guidelines)
Language: English

PLEASE SELECT

**Ontario Association of Medical Laboratories** (OAML)
Lab test guidelines; those marked with an asterisk are also in the CMA Infobase guideline repository.
Language: English

PLEASE SELECT

**Public Health Agency of Canada** (PHAC). Disease Prevention and Control Guidelines
Languages: English, French

PLEASE SELECT

**Registered Nurses’ Association of Ontario** (RNAO). Nursing Best Practice Guidelines
[http://rnao.ca/bpg](http://rnao.ca/bpg)
Language: English

PLEASE SELECT

**University of Ottawa. School of Rehabilitation Science**. Evidence-based Practice
Languages: English, French

PLEASE SELECT

**Winnipeg Regional Health Authority** (WRHA). Evidence Informed Practice Tools
[http://www.wrha.mb.ca/professionals/ebpt/](http://www.wrha.mb.ca/professionals/ebpt/)
Language: English
INTERNATIONAL

PLEASE SELECT

Academy of Medicine of Malaysia. Clinical Practice Guidelines
http://www.acadmed.org.my/index.cfm?&menuid=67
See also "General Guidelines" link in the left-hand menu.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

Aetna, Inc. Clinical Policy Bulletins
• http://www.aetna.com/healthcare-professionals/policies-guidelines/medical_clinical_policy_bulletins.html (medical)
  Scroll down the page for the CPB (Medical Clinical Policy Bulletin) search box or alternatively browse the "Alphabetical list" to see topics in alphabetical order.
• http://www.aetna.com/healthcare-professionals/policies-guidelines/pcpb_menu.html (pharmaceutical)
  See bottom of the page for the Pharmacy Clinical Policy Bulletins (PCPBs) search box. Only one year (most recent) is available.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

American Association for Clinical Chemistry (AACC). Practice Guidelines
https://www.aacc.org/science-and-research/practice-guidelines#
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

Best Practice Advocacy Centre New Zealand (bpacNZ). bpacNZ better medicine
Especially useful for laboratory tests.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). Genetic Testing: Guidelines, Policies and Recommendations in Genomics
http://www.cdc.gov/genomics/gtesting/guidelines.htm
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

Guidelines & Audit Implementation Network (GAIN). Guidelines
http://gain-ni.org/index.php/audits/guidelines
[Language: English]
PLEASE SELECT

Haute Autorité de santé/ French National Authority for Health (HAS). Practice Guidelines
Search box on top right-hand side will retrieve all reports (not just guidelines); to limit results to guidelines click the “Refine by content type” tab in the left-hand menu then limit to “Practice guidelines and other guides.” This site is also searched in the “HTA Agency International” section of this checklist. Many reports are translated into English.
[Languages: French, English]

PLEASE SELECT

Institute for Clinical Systems Improvement (ICSI). Guidelines & More
https://www.icsi.org/guidelines__more/
Browse all ICSI guidelines by clicking "Guidelines A to Z" in left menu or use "Site search" box in top right-hand menu for keyword searching. The "Search by keyword" box is not recommended as it searches title only and can miss guidelines.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

National Guideline Clearinghouse (NGC)
http://www.guideline.gov/
Either use basic search (supports Boolean and truncation) or use advanced search to limit by age group, publication year, medical specialty, etc.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

National Health and Medical Research Council (NHMRC). Australia’s Clinical Practice Guidelines Portal
Typing keywords into the “Text search” box at top of the page provides the best retrieval.
[Language: English]
PLEASE SELECT

**National Institute for Health and Care Excellence (NICE)**

Guidelines

http://www.nice.org.uk/guidance

*This site is also searched in the HTA International section of this checklist. Browse by condition or enter keywords into the search box located in the top left-hand corner and then limit search results by “Guidance” in the left-hand menu. For full guidelines/overviews, click on the “Tools and resources” tab of the individual guideline's page, then on “Evidence” in the left-hand menu.*

[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

**Scottish Intercollegiate Guidelines Network (SIGN)**

http://www.sign.ac.uk/guidelines/index.html

*Search for completed guidelines by subject or number. Click "Current work programme" in the left-hand menu for guidelines in development.*

[Language: English]

### Drug and Device Regulatory Approvals

**CANADA**

PLEASE SELECT

**Health Canada, Drugs**

- Drugs and Health Products: Drug Product Database
  http://webprod5.hc-sc.gc.ca/dpd-bdpp/index-eng.jsp
  Contains drug product monographs for drugs approved for sale in Canada.

- Drugs and Health Products: Notice of Compliance Database
  http://webprod5.hc-sc.gc.ca/noc-ac/index-eng.jsp
  To verify if a drug has been approved in Canada.

- Drugs and Health Products: Patent Register
  Listing of medicinal ingredients, their associated patents, and the Canadian patent expiry dates.

- Summary Basis of Decision (SBD) Documents: Phase 1: Drugs
  For summaries on Health Canada pharmaceutical approval decisions; use Ctrl-F and search by drug name.

[Languages: English, French]
PLEASE SELECT

Health Canada. Devices
- Medical Devices Active Licence Listing (MDALL)
  http://webprod5.hc-sc.gc.ca/mdll-limh/index-eng.jsp
  Select “Active Licence Search” for class 2 or higher medical devices approved for sale in Canada.
- Summary Basis of Decision (SBD) Documents: Medical Devices
  Use Ctrl-F and search by device name.
[Languages: English, French]

INTERNATIONAL

PLEASE SELECT

[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

Australian Government Department of Health. Therapeutic Goods Administration. Australian Public Assessment Reports for Prescription Medicines (AusPARs)
Scroll down the page to browse by active ingredient, product name, or sponsor.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

Department of Health (UK). Medicines and Healthcare Products Regulatory Agency (MHRA)
[Language: English]
PLEASE SELECT

**European Medicines Agency** (EMA).
- European Public Assessment Reports (EPAR)
  *For keyword searching, click on the "Keyword search" tab at the bottom of the page.*
- Pending EC Decisions
  *For keyword searching, click on the "Keyword search" tab at the bottom of the page.*

[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

**NHS Scotland**, Scottish Medicines Consortium (SMC)


[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

**Pharmaceutical Management Agency of New Zealand**, PHARMAC


*Search both the online pharmaceutical schedule at the bottom of the page and the site search box.*

[Language: English]
PLEASE SELECT

US Food and Drug Administration (FDA). Devices

- 510(k) Premarket Notification Database Search
  http://www.accessdata.fda.gov/scripts/cdrh/cfdocs/cfPMN/pmncfm
  US device approval notification site. To find what has been approved for a device class, find the product code in the below "FDA Product Classification Database" and search by product code.

- Product Classification Database
  Search device type (i.e. Endoscope) to obtain product codes for the 510K database (above) or click on the TPLC (total product life cycle) report for safety issues and recalls.

- Devices@FDA
  http://www.accessdata.fda.gov/scripts/cdrh/devicesatfda/index.cfm
  Devices@FDA searches the PMN-510(k) Premarket Notification and PMA-Premarket Approval FDA databases. This database includes all approved in vitro diagnostic products, such as lab tests.

[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

US Food and Drug Administration (FDA). Drugs

- Advisory Committees
  http://www.fda.gov/oc/advisory/default.htm
  Type drug name in search box (located in the middle of the page), take note of any relevant Advisory Committee names and dates, then go back to homepage and browse by that particular meeting minutes to find relevant documents.

- Drugs@FDA: FDA approved drug products
  http://www.accessdata.fda.gov/scripts/cder/drugsatfda/
  Search drug name, select the appropriate route of administration (if applicable), click on approval history, then link to review for medical and/or statistical information, etc.

- Guidances (Drugs)
  Contains FDA guidance documents on drugs. Choose from category on the left, or click "Search All FDA Guidances" and change "Product" drop-down box to drugs.

[Language: English]
Advisories and Warnings

CANADA

PLEASE SELECT

**Canadian Pharmacists Association (CPhA). e-CPS**
https://www.e-therapeutics.ca/
*This database contains approved Canadian pharmaceutical product monographs. Requires a paid subscription to RxTx; RxTx also includes access to the publication Therapeutic Choices and some external resources.*

[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

**Health Canada.**
- Healthy Canadians – Search recalls and safety alerts
  *Click advanced search option and then choose "Health Products" in the category drop-down menu.*
- Health Product InfoWatch
  *Scroll down to read the latest issue or search the index of past issues. Formerly the Canadian Adverse Reaction Newsletter (CARN).*
- Canada Vigilance Adverse Reaction Online Database
  *To search the database, fill in the appropriate criteria and then scroll down to click the "search" button. There is an option to "Export results" from the report page.*

[Languages: English, French]
INTERNATIONAL

PLEASE SELECT

**Australian Government Department of Health. Therapeutic Goods Administration (TGA).**
- Australian Adverse Drug Reactions Bulletin
  Has been replaced by the Medicines Safety Update, but still has reports from 1982-2009.
- Medical device incident reporting & investigation scheme (IRIS) articles
  Has been replaced by the Medical Devices Safety Update, but still has reports from 2001-2012.
- Medical Devices Safety Update
  Replaces the Medical device incident reporting & investigation scheme.
- Medicines Safety Update
  Use Ctrl-F to search page. Replaces the Australian Adverse Drug Reactions Bulletin.

[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

**European Medicines Agency (EMA).**
- European Database of Suspected Adverse Drug Reaction Reports
  Summarized adverse event reports. Flash must be installed to view summaries.
- Patient Safety
  Use Ctrl-F and search by drug name. Contains last two years only, older safety information in EPAR documents.
- Withdrawn Applications
  Browse alphabetical list or use the "Keyword search" tab to type in a drug name.

[Language: English]
**PLEASE SELECT**

Medicines and Healthcare Products Regulatory Agency (MHRA). Drug Safety Update
https://www.gov.uk/drug-safety-update

Enter keywords into search box on left-hand side of the page or limit by therapeutic area and date.
[Language: English]

**PLEASE SELECT**

http://www.england.nhs.uk/ourwork/patientsafety/psa/

Scroll down to browse alerts. Alerts prior to 2013 are archived at http://www.nrls.npsa.nhs.uk/alerts/
[Language: English]

**PLEASE SELECT**

New Zealand Medicines and Medical Devices Safety Authority.

- Medsafe: Medical Devices
  This page provides information on current safety issues related to medical devices in New Zealand. Click on the "Archived Medical Devices Issues" link for older safety issues concerning medical devices.

- Medsafe: Prescriber Update Articles
  Use Ctrl-F in your browser to locate safety issues on a particular medicine or class.

[Language: English]

**PLEASE SELECT**

US Food and Drug Administration (FDA).

- MAUDE - Manufacturer and User Facility Device Experience
  http://www.accessdata.fda.gov/scripts/cdrh/cfdocs/cfmaude/search.cfm
  To find what safety issues have been reported for a device class, find the product code in the "FDA Product Classification Database" (see Regulatory Approvals) and search by product code.

- MedWatch: FDA Safety Information and Adverse Event Reporting Program
  http://www.fda.gov/Safety/MedWatch/default.htm
  Enter keywords in "Search MedWatch" box (middle of page) in order to search only contents of the MedWatch site and not all FDA Web pages.

[Language: English]
Drug Class Reviews

PLEASE SELECT

Department of Veterans Affairs (US). Pharmacy Benefits Management Services. Drug Class Reviews
http://www.pbm.va.gov/clinicalguidance/drugclassreviews.asp
Browse the drug class reviews list or type a keyword into the search box on the top right-hand menu.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

Oregon Health & Science University. Center for Evidence-based Policy. Drug Effectiveness Review Project (DERP)
Scroll down to browse the drug class reviews list or type a keyword into the “Search this series” search box at the top.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

Saskatoon Health Region. RxFiles: objective comparisons for optimal drug therapy
http://www.rxfiles.ca/rxfiles/modules/druginfoindex/druginfo.aspx
Subscription required.
[Language: English]

Clinical Trials (ongoing)

PLEASE SELECT

Biomed Central. ISRCTN Registry
http://www.isrctn.com/
Browse by medical topic or use the advanced search at the top right of the screen to search in specific fields such as funder, country, or participant gender.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

Canadian Partnership Against Cancer Corporation. Canadian Cancer Trials
http://www.canadiancancertrials.ca/
For cancer topics only; most trials also in Clinicaltrials.gov.
[Language: English]
PLEASE SELECT
National Institute of Medical Statistics, Indian Council of Medical Research. Clinical Trials Registry - India (CTRI)
http://ctri.nic.in/ClinicalTrials/advancesearchmain.php
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT
Thomson CenterWatch. CenterWatch Clinical Trials Listing Service
http://www.centerwatch.com/clinical-trials/listings/
Search by therapeutic area or medical condition.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT
US National Institutes of Health. ClinicalTrials.gov
http://clinicaltrials.gov/ct/screen/AdvancedSearch
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT
UK Department of Health. UK Clinical Research Network Study Portfolio (UKCRN)
http://public.ukcrn.org.uk/search/
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT
World Health Organization. International Clinical Trials Registry Platform search portal (ICTRP)
http://www.who.int/trialsearch/
Use “Advanced search” screen to limit results. Ignore trials with ID numbers beginning with “NCT,” if you have already searched for trials from ClinicalTrials.gov.
[Language: English]

Canadian Drug Formularies

PLEASE SELECT
Plasmid Biocommunications. DrugCoverage.ca
http://www.drugcoverage.ca/
Portal to Canadian drug plans; this site can be used to access different provincial / territorial and federal drug benefit programs (see “Federal Plans” or “Provincial Coverage” in left-hand margin). It also gives a good overview of the Canadian drug plans available as well as instructions for who is eligible for which plan.
[Languages: English, French]
Databases (free)

These databases are not limited to the retrieval of grey literature. Many, such as PubMed, retrieve traditional commercially published literature.

Subject-specific databases, as well as databases that focus on a particular product type (e.g., guidelines, health technology assessments), are listed under the relevant categories (see Table of Contents).

PLEASE SELECT

**Health Canada, First Nations and Inuit Health Branch.** Non-Insured Health Benefits, Drug Benefit List
[Languages: English, French]

**Bandolier.** Bandolier Knowledge
[http://www.medicine.ox.ac.uk/bandolier/knowledge.html](http://www.medicine.ox.ac.uk/bandolier/knowledge.html)
[Language: English]

**Latin-American and Caribbean Center on Health Sciences Information (LILACS)**
[http://bases.bireme.br/cgi-bin/wxislind.exe/iah/online/?IsisScript=iah/iah.xis&base=LILACS&lang=l](http://bases.bireme.br/cgi-bin/wxislind.exe/iah/online/?IsisScript=iah/iah.xis&base=LILACS&lang=l)
LILACS is searched via the “Virtual Health Library” (VHL) portal and contains documents in Spanish, Portuguese, and English.
[Languages: English, Portuguese, Spanish]

**McMaster University, McMaster Health Forum.** Health Systems Evidence
[http://www.healthsystemsevidence.org](http://www.healthsystemsevidence.org)
Registration is free to access this database. Contents include research evidence as well as Canadian health policy documents from: Canada's Evidence-Informed Healthcare Renewal (EIHR) Portal, Intergovernmental Organizations' Health Systems Documents Portal, and the Ontario Health System Documents Portal.
[Language: English]
PLEASE SELECT
National Center for Biotechnology Information (NCBI). Bookshelf
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT
National Institute for Health and Care Excellence (NICE). Evidence Search: Health and Social Care
http://www.evidence.nhs.uk/
Some overlap with National Institute for Health and Care Excellence (NICE) and other UK NHS sites including Cochrane Library. Focus on results in the “guidance” tab for evidence.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT
TRIP Database (TRIP). Trip Database - Clinical Search Engine
http://www.tripdatabase.com/
Free sign up required to access most results, paid membership required to access full content. On results page, use filters on right-hand side to refine initial search; those items highlighted with green colour are considered higher quality evidence. Significant overlap with other evidence-based web sites.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT
Centre for Reviews and Dissemination. HTA Database
http://www.crd.york.ac.uk/crdweb/SearchPage.asp
Also has access to Database of Abstracts of Reviews of Effects (DARE) and NHS EED-Economic evaluations of health care interventions. However, these two databases are no longer updated as of January 2015.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT
University of York. PROSPERO: International prospective register of systematic reviews
http://www.crd.york.ac.uk/prospero/search.asp
Registry of incomplete, ongoing systematic reviews.
[Language: English]
PLEASE SELECT
*Biggest biomedical database in the world, not considered grey literature.*
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT
PubMed Central
http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/
*Duplicate of articles retrieved through PubMed but allows for full-text searching for those articles indexed within PubMed Central.*
[Language: English]

**Databases (subscription-based)**

PLEASE SELECT
BMJ Publishing Group. Clinical Evidence
http://clinicalevidence.bmj.com/x/index.html
*To browse by condition click "Show conditions" link above the search box.*
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT
Wiley InterScience. Cochrane Library
http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/o/cochrane/cochrane_search_fs.html
*Library of Cochrane Systematic Reviews can be searched for free but requires a subscription for the full-text reports (some jurisdictions may provide free access to residents). Can also search University of York CRD databases through this portal (see CRD databases in “Databases (free)” section).*
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT
UpToDate. UpToDate.com
http://www.uptodate.com/online/login.do
*Database of evidence based medicine information.*
[Language: English]
Health Statistics

CANADA

PLEASE SELECT

Canadian Institute for Health Information (CIHI). Quick Stats
http://www.cih.i.ca/CIHI-ext-portal/internet/EN/Quick_Stats/quick+stats/quick_stats_main?pageNumber=1&resultCount=10
Filter by topic, or search entire web site using the search box in the top right-hand corner.
[Languages: English, French]

PLEASE SELECT

Health Canada. Health Canada: Advanced Search
http://recherche-search.gc.ca/rGs/s_r?as_q=&as_epq=&as_og=&as_eq=&1s_f3I2typ2=&a s_nlo=&as_nlh&as_occt=&1s_s3t2s21rch=&1s_s4rt=&st1rt=0&st=a&num =10&langs=eng&cdn=health
Contains some statistical information on health in Canada.
[Languages: English, French]

PLEASE SELECT

Heart and Stroke Foundation. Statistics
http://www.heartandstroke.com/site/c.ikIQLcMWJtE/b.3483991/k.34A8/Statistics.htm
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

IMS/Brogan. IMS Health
http://www.imshealth.com/portal/site/imshealth
IMS/Brogan will provide customized statistics for a fee.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

Institute for Clinical Evaluative Sciences (ICES). Publications
http://www.ices.on.ca/Publications.aspx
Use search box in top right-hand corner of the screen or use sidebar on right side of the page to limit by publication type, topic, and date.
[Language: English]
PLEASE SELECT

Institute of Health Economics (IHE). Database of Online Health Statistics
http://www.ihe.ca/health-statistics-database

This database covers freely available web-based health statistics. Current focus is on Canadian and American statistics, but there is some international coverage.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

New Brunswick Ministry of Health, Office of the Chief Medical Officer of Health. Epidemiology and Surveillance
http://www2.gnb.ca/content/gnb/en/departments/ocmoh/epidemiology_surveillance.html

[Languages: English, French]

PLEASE SELECT

Public Health Agency of Canada (PHAC).

- Chronic Disease Infobase
  Archived material.

- Notifiable Diseases On-Line
  Click on “Notifiable Diseases” or “Charts” to get Canadian statistics on tracked (notifiable) diseases.

- Reports & Publications
  Browse alphabetical listing of PHAC publications or use Ctrl-F and search by keyword.

- Surveillance
  Browse to see if a surveillance program on topic exists. The following sources are duplicates: "Canada Communicable Disease Report (CCDR) Weekly" is indexed in PubMed, and both "Chronic Disease Infobase" and "Notifiable Disease Surveillance On-Line" are searched separately in this checklist.

[Languages: English, French]
PLEASE SELECT

Statistics Canada.
- Canadian Cancer Registry (CCR)
  For data click on “Summary tables” or “Publications” in the left-hand menu.
- Diseases and Health Conditions
  [http://cansim2.statcan.ca/cgi-win/cnsmcgi.pgm?Lang=E&SP_Action=SubT&SP_ID=1887&SP_Portal=5](http://cansim2.statcan.ca/cgi-win/cnsmcgi.pgm?Lang=E&SP_Action=SubT&SP_ID=1887&SP_Portal=5)
  Browse links under “Resources” section for statistics on diseases and health conditions in Canada. For other health related statistics see “Other subtopics” in the left-hand menu.
  [Languages: English, French]

US

PLEASE SELECT

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)
- FastStats A to Z
- Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report (MMWR)
  [http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/](http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/)
  Also indexed in PubMed.
- National Center for Health Statistics
  Scroll down the page to find Surveys and Data Collection Systems, Data Access, and a search page for all publications (click on “View All Publications”).
  [Languages: English and various others]

PLEASE SELECT

National Cancer Institute. Surveillance, Epidemiology, and End Results Program (SEER)
[Languages: English]
INTERNATIONAL

PLEASE SELECT

Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD).
OECD Data
https://data.oecd.org/
Search or browse for appropriate health statistics.
Languages: English, French, Dutch, Italian, Japanese, Russian

PLEASE SELECT

World Health Organization (WHO). Global Health Observatory (GHO)
http://www.who.int/gho/en/
Find health data on 193 WHO members by browsing the navigational links. Supersedes WHO Statistical Information System (WHOSIS).
Languages: English, French, Spanish, Russian, and various others

Internet Search

SEARCH ENGINES

For most topics a comprehensive Internet search is impossible. For systematic searches we recommend reviewing the top 50 to 100 hits in a search engine such as Google.

PLEASE SELECT

Google
http://www.google.com
If no results, try another search engine.
Language: English

PLEASE SELECT

Google Scholar,
http://scholar.google.ca/schhp?hl=en&as_sdt=0,5
For advanced search option, click the down arrow at the right of the main search box.
Language: English

PLEASE SELECT

Professional Associations/Manufacturers’ Sites (if applicable)
OPEN ACCESS JOURNALS

PLEASE SELECT

Lund University Libraries. Directory of Open Access Journals (DOAJ)
http://www.doaj.org/
Click on "Advanced Search" to search by specific fields such as title or abstract; can also browse by subject, language, etc.
[Language: English]

Miscellaneous

BEHAVIOURAL CHANGE

PLEASE SELECT

Canadian Agency for Drugs and Technologies in Health (CADTH). Rx for Change
https://www.cadth.ca/resources/rx-for-change/database/browse
[Language: English]

DENTISTRY

PLEASE SELECT

Aetna Inc. Aetna Dental Clinical Policy Bulletins
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

Faculty of Dentistry, University of Toronto. Evidence Based Reports
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

ADA. Center for Evidence-Based Dentistry. Evidence Database
Choose a topic to see systematic reviews, guidelines, or summaries.
[Language: English]
DIAGNOSTIC TESTS

PLEASE SELECT

American Association for Clinical Chemistry (AACC). Practice Guidelines
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). Genetic Testing:
Guidelines, Policies and Recommendations in Genomics
http://www.cdc.gov/genomics/gtesting/guidelines.htm
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

Ontario Association of Medical Laboratories (OAML). Practitioners
http://www.oaml.com/res_pract.html
Lab test guidelines; those marked with an asterisk are also in the CMA
Infobase guideline repository (see Clinical Practice Guidelines section of
this checklist).
[Language: English]

MENTAL HEALTH

PLEASE SELECT

Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA).
SAMHSA’s National Registry of Evidence-based Programs and Practices
(NREPP)
http://www.nrepp.samhsa.gov/
Online database of mental health and substance abuse
interventions/programs that have been reviewed and rated.
[Language: English]

NATURAL MEDICINE AND ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

PLEASE SELECT

United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). Health &
Environmental Research Online (HERO)
http://hero.epa.gov/index.cfm/search/main
[Language: English]
PLEASE SELECT

Alternative Medicine Foundation. HerbMed®
http://www.herbmed.org/
Subscription required for full access.
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT

Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center. About Herbs
https://www.mskcc.org/cancer-care/treatments/symptom-management/integrative-medicine/herbs/search
[Language: English]

NURSING

PLEASE SELECT

Canadian Nurses Association (CNA). Download/Buy
https://www.cna-aiic.ca/en/download-buy
See sidebar on the left of the page for resources such as position statements and backgrounders on a range of topics.
[Languages: English, French]

PLEASE SELECT

Registered Nurses’ Association of Ontario (RNAO). Publications & Resources
http://rnao.ca/resources
Includes best practice guidelines, position statements, reports, and other publications. Use the search bar in the middle of the page to search within publications.
[Language: English]

PHYSIOTHERAPY/REHABILITATION

PLEASE SELECT

Centre of Evidence-Based Physiotherapy (CEBP). Physiotherapy Evidence Database: PEDro
Click "Begin an advanced search" to find information.
[Languages: English, French, Chinese, German, Spanish, Portuguese, Italian, Japanese, Korean, Turkish, Tamil]
PLEASE SELECT
National Rehabilitation Information Center (NARIC). REHABDATA database
http://www.naric.com/?q=en/SearchRehabdata
[Language: English]

PLEASE SELECT
University of Ottawa, School of Rehabilitation Sciences. Evidence-based Practice
[Languages: English, French]

PLEASE SELECT
University of Queensland. OTseeker
http://www.otseeker.com/
Contains abstracts of systematic reviews and randomized controlled trials relevant to occupational therapy. Trials have been critically appraised and rated for validity and interpretability.
[Language: English]