A Searching Algorithm to Find the Evidence Fast

First, search TRIP [tripdatabase.com] for filtered information:

1. Filter by: Systematic Reviews

2. Under Medline articles: Systematic Reviews [searches PubMed Clinical Queries]

3. Filter by: Evidence Based Synopses

4. Filter by: Guidelines

5. Under Medline Articles, select: Diagnosis, Therapy, Etiology or Prognosis [searches PubMed Clinical Queries]

6. Use “Limits” (in PubMed’s Advanced Search) to modify your search [e.g., age groups]

Next, if the filtered information doesn’t answer your question, do your search in regular PubMed; apply appropriate limits in Advanced Search

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