



Literature search

PubMed via NLM 2018-10-18	
Ketamine for chronic pain	
Search terms	Items found
Population:	
1. ((pain[MeSH] OR pain[Title/Abstract]) AND (chronic[Title/Abstract] OR persistent[Title/Abstract])) OR ("chronic pain"[Mesh])	113 749
Intervention:	
2. (ketamine[Title/Abstract] OR ketamine[All Fields]) OR (ketanest[Title/Abstract] OR ketanest[All Fields]) OR (ketalar[Title/Abstract] OR ketalar[All Fields]) OR (esketamine[Title/Abstract] OR esketamine[All Fields]) OR ("(RS)-2-(2-Chlorophenyl)-2-(methylamino)cyclohexanone"[All Fields])	18144
Limits:	
3. (animals [mh] NOT humans [mh])	4508299
Combined sets	
4. #1 AND #2	544
5. #4 NOT #3	456
Final	456

The search result, usually found at the end of the documentation, forms the list of abstracts

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[MeSH:NoExp] = Does not include terms found below this term in the MeSH hierarchy

[MAJR] = MeSH Major Topic

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[AU] = Author

[TW] = Text Word

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CDSR = Cochrane Database of Systematic Review

CENTRAL = Cochrane Central Register of Controlled Trials, “trials”

CRM = Method Studies

DARE = Database Abstracts of Reviews of Effects, “other reviews”

EED = Economic Evaluations

HTA = Health Technology Assessments