Information sharing & exchange

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Accessing Information

• Sourcing, using, implementing evidence
• Rapidly growing evidence base
• Find key authors, publications, programs

• Search Filters:
  • Evidence-based literature search strategies
  • Standardised, systematic, subject-based
  • Known level of performance
What is the PHC Search Filter?

An efficient search strategy providing easy access to the PHC literature you need

- Developed by Flinders Filters
- Hosted on the PHCRIS Website
- Sources PHC literature through PubMed

www.phcris.org.au/phcsearchfilter/
Five Phases of Development

1. Gold standard set of PHC-specific articles
2. Index terms and textwords identified
3. Combinations of search terms tested
4. Assessed most effective search strategy
5. Filter translated for use in PubMed
Primary Health Care (PHC) Search Filter

To try the PHC Search Filter either:
1. Follow one of the One-Click search links for a topic, OR
2. Build-Your-Own search; see the Help section Quick Start Guide.

Grey Literature/Resources

- Unpublished material
- Not searchable or accessible through conventional search engines
- Policy Documents, Conference Papers, Reports, Blogs, Theses

www.phcris.org.au/guides/grey_literature

Introduction to...
Accessing the grey literature
PHCRIS Site Topic Searches

• Pre-prepared topic searches
• Common search terms
• Click on a topic or search topics

www.phcris.org.au/topics
PHC Search Filter
www.phcris.org.au/phcsearchfilter/

Grey Literature
Getting Started Guide
www.phcris.org.au/guides/grey_literature

PHCRIS Topic Searches
www.phcris.org.au/topics