

Methods of Limiting to United States Records in CINAHL Complete

There are basically two ways of limiting to United States records in CINAHL Complete. The first is to use the Geographic Subset limit on the original search screen.

The screenshot shows the search interface with various filters on the left and right. The 'Geographic Subset' dropdown menu is highlighted with a red arrow and set to 'USA'. Other filters include 'Journal Subset', 'Language', 'Sex', 'Outpatients', 'Special Interest', 'Image Quick View', 'Published Date', 'Publication', 'Peer Reviewed', 'Exclude Pre-CINAHL', 'Exclude MEDLINE records', 'Evidence Based Practice', 'Clinical Queries', 'First Author is Nurse', 'Randomized Controlled Trials', 'Publication Type', 'Pregnancy', 'Inpatients', 'Age Groups', and 'Number of Pages'.

This will limit your search to records that have USA in the Journal Subset Field. You can do the same search manually by using the SB Journal Subset field in the main search screen as below:

The screenshot shows the search results page. The search criteria are 'breast neoplasms AND mammography AND USA' with 'SB Journal Subset' selected for the USA filter. The results show 1-10 of 4,610 records. The first result is 'Automatic Detection of Pectoral Muscle Region for Computer-Aided Diagnosis Using MIAS Mammograms'. The second result is 'Near-Infrared Fluorescence-Enhanced Optical Tomography'. The third result is 'Patient Care, Communication, and Safety in the Mammography Suite'. The fourth result is 'Breast Cancer during the Childbearing Years'. The fifth result is 'A 40-Year-Old Woman With a New Triple-Negative Breast Mass, Shown on Biopsy to Be Metaplastic Carcinoma'. The sixth result is 'Worth the Wait?'. The 'Refine Results' sidebar on the left shows the search terms and filters applied.

Please note that the Geographic Subset limit doesn't preclude the search from returning results which have multiple geographic indicators (i.e. you can have multiple geographic indicators on one record such as USA, UK & Ireland, Australia, etc.). This is perhaps not the best way to limit to United States data. This limit typically speaks more to the provenance of the journal and/or the author affiliation than the country where the data was collected (although it can do that also). As you can see in the below record, despite using USA in the Journal Subset field, the search pulled up this record:

The screenshot shows the EBSCOhost search interface. The search criteria are: "breast neoplasms" (MH Exact Subject Heading), "mammography" (MH Exact Subject Heading), and "USA" (SB Journal Subset). The search results show 10 of 4,610 records. The selected record is titled "Knowledge, Attitudes, and Behaviors about Breast Self-Examination and Mammography among Female Primary Healthcare Workers in Diyarbakır, Turkey." The record details are as follows:

- Authors:** Erdem, Özgür; Toktaş, İzzettin
- Affiliation:** Kayapınar Family Health Centre Number 9, Diyarbakır, Turkey; Kayapınar Society Health Center, Diyarbakır, Turkey
- Source:** BioMed Research International (BIOMED RES INT), 3/30/2016; 2016: 1-6. (8p)
- Publication Type:** Article
- Language:** English
- Major Subjects:** Breast Self-Examination; Health Knowledge; Attitude of Health Personnel; Mammography; Breast Neoplasms -- Prevention and Control -- Turkey; Primary Health Care; Health Behavior
- Minor Subjects:** Human; Turkey; Female; Cross Sectional Studies; Descriptive Statistics; Questionnaires; Adult; Middle Age; Descriptive Research; Data Analysis Software; P-Value; Mann-Whitney U Test; Kruskal-Wallis Test; Post Hoc Analysis; Health Personnel
- Journal Subset:** Biomedical, Peer Reviewed, USA
- Special Interest:** Oncologic Care, Women's Health
- ISSN:** 2314-6133
- MEDLINE Info:** NLM UID: 101600173
- Entry Date:** 20160404
- Revision Date:** 20160404
- DOI:** http://dx.doi.org/10.1155/2016/6490156
- Accession Number:** 114108133

Note that "Turkey" is a subject heading in this record. That is the second way that you can search for articles with United States data, by using a United States subject search (MH Exact Subject Heading). See the below search screen.



Searching: CINAHL Complete Choose Databases

breast neoplasms MH Exact Subject He... Search Create Alert Clear

AND mammography MH Exact Subject He...

AND united states MH Exact Subject He... + -

Basic Search Advanced Search Search History



Refine Results

Current Search

Find all my search terms: MH breast neoplasms AND MH mammography AND MH united states

Limit To

- Full Text
- References Available
- Abstract Available

1989 Publication Date 2016

Show More

Source Types

- All Results
- Academic Journals (639)
- Magazines (60)
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Publisher

Language

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Gender

Search Results: 1 - 10 of 728

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1. Regulatory Compliance in Mammography.

it is in the 30000 second loopLoesch, Jennifer; Radiologic Technology, Mar/Apr2016; 87(4): 425M-444M. 20p. (Article) ISSN: 0033-8397

Subjects: Breast Neoplasms Radiography; Mammography Standards; Quality Control (Technology); Radiologic Technologists; Radiology Service; Professional Practice; Organizational Compliance; Professional Compliance; Accreditation; Certification

Academic Journal

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2. Differential Effects of Social Networks on Mammography Use by Poverty Status.

it is in the 30000 second loopYoonsok Yeo; American Journal of Health Behavior, Jan/Feb2016; 40(1): 144-154. 10p. (Article) ISSN: 1087-3244

Subjects: Social Networking; Mammography Utilization; Poverty; Adult: 19-44 years; Female

Academic Journal

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3. Is Availability of Mammography Services at Federally Qualified Health Centers Associated with Breast Cancer Mortality-to-Incidence Ratios? An Ecological Analysis.

it is in the 30000 second loopAdams, Swann Arp; Choi, Seul Ki; Eberth, Jan M.; Friedman, Daniela B.; Yip, Mei Po; Tucker-Seeley, Reginald D.; Wigfall, Lisa T.; Hébert, James R.; Journal of Women's Health (15409996), Nov2015; 24(11): 916-923. 8p. (Article) ISSN: 1540-9996 PMID: 26208105

Subjects: Mammography; Health Services Accessibility; Breast Neoplasms Epidemiology; Community Health Centers; Breast Neoplasms Mortality; Cancer Screening

Academic Journal

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Cited References: (47)

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4. Four Principles to Consider Before Advising Women on Screening Mammography.

it is in the 30000 second loopKeen, John D.; Jørgensen, Karsten J.; Journal of Women's Health (15409996), Nov2015; 24(11): 867-874. 8p. (Article) ISSN: 1540-9996 PMID: 26496048

Subjects: Mammography; Cancer Screening; Breast Neoplasms Diagnosis; Breast Neoplasms Prevention and Control

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See where United States appears in the subject headings of the below detailed record:



Searching: CINAHL Complete Choose Databases

breast neoplasms MH Exact Subject He... Search Create Alert Clear

AND mammography MH Exact Subject He...

AND united states MH Exact Subject He... + -

Basic Search Advanced Search Search History



Detailed Record

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Related Information

Cited References (47)

Find Similar Results using SmartText Searching.

Result List Refine Search 3 of 728

Is Availability of Mammography Services at Federally Qualified Health Centers Associated with Breast Cancer Mortality-to-Incidence Ratios? An Ecological Analysis.

Authors: Adams, Swann Arp; Choi, Seul Ki; Eberth, Jan M.; Friedman, Daniela B.; Yip, Mei Po; Tucker-Seeley, Reginald D.; Wigfall, Lisa T.; Hébert, James R.

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Source: Journal of Women's Health (15409996) (J WOMENS HEALTH (15409996)), Nov2015; 24(11): 916-923. (8p)

Publication Type: Article
Language: English

Major Subjects: Mammography
Health Services Accessibility
Breast Neoplasms -- Epidemiology -- United States
Community Health Centers
Breast Neoplasms -- Mortality -- United States
Cancer Screening

Minor Subjects: Human; United States; Incidence; Urban Areas; Whites; Race Factors; Blacks; Geographic Factors; Healthcare Disparities; Survival; One-Way Analysis of Variance; Post Hoc Analysis; Rural Areas; Data Analysis Software; Breast Neoplasms -- Prevention and Control; Funding Source

Journal Subset: Biomedical, Peer Reviewed, USA

ISSN: 1540-9996

MEDLINE Info: PMID: 26208105 NLM UID: 101159262

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Even this search is not 100% because you can have multiple countries or regions listed in the subject headings, but it is perhaps the better choice. You can also search by region (i.e. Midwestern United States, Southeastern United States, etc.) or by state. You will still need to carefully examine your results as some articles will be retrieved that may be comparison articles where data was taken from both the United States and other countries. Below is an example of a state search:

The screenshot shows the EBSCOhost search interface. The search criteria are: "breast neoplasms", "mammography", and "michigan", all selected from the "MH Exact Subject He..." dropdown menu. The search results page displays the following information for the article "Factors Associated with Breast Cancer Screening in Asian Indian Women in Metro-Detroit":

- Authors:** Boxwala FI; Bridgemohan A; Griffith DM; Soliman AS
- Affiliation:** Department of Health Behavior and Health Education, University of Michigan School of Public Health, 109 Observatory St, Ann Arbor, MI 48109, USA; derekmg@umich.edu
- Source:** Journal of Immigrant & Minority Health (J IMMIGRANT MINORITY HEALTH), Aug2010; 12(4): 534-543. (10p)
- Publication Type:** Journal Article - research, tables/charts
- Language:** English
- Major Subjects:** Breast Neoplasms -- Prevention and Control; Cancer Screening; Breast Neoplasms -- Ethnology -- Michigan; Mammography -- Utilization
- Minor Subjects:** Michigan; Health Belief Model; Cross Sectional Studies; Women's Health; India; Asians; Human; Questionnaires; Female; Self Report; Descriptive Statistics; Adult; Middle Age; Data Analysis Software; Chi Square Test; T-Tests; Logistic Regression; Odds Ratio; Confidence Intervals; Convenience Sample; Health Behavior

Red arrows point to "Michigan" in the Major Subjects and "Michigan" in the Minor Subjects.

As always, you will need to critically evaluate the articles you retrieve with these searches and filter out any foreign country items which may still appear in the results. There is no foolproof way to only retrieve articles that have only United States data, but the United States subject search is perhaps the best choice.