Search strings

We retrieve data from EMBASE via OVID, MEDLINE via PubMed, BioRxiv and MedRxiv.

Search terms

When searches are updated, references that are identified that were not in the database before, are inserted by date (**date_entrez**) they were indexed in remote database, the date they are inserted in OUR database is formatted as the '**strategydate**' (raw data is available here).

30.10.2020

EMBASE:

(exp SARS-related coronavirus/ or severe acute respiratory syndrome/ or coronavirus disease 2019/ or (coronavir* or corona virus* or HCoV* or ncov* or 2019 cov or covid or covid19 or sars-cov* or sarscov* or sars-coronavirus* or Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome Coronavirus* or nCoV).mp.) and 20191101:20301231.(dc).

MEDLINE:

("severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2"[Supplementary Concept] OR "COVID-19" [Supplementary Concept] OR "coronavirus" OR "corona virus" OR "HCoV" OR "nCoV" OR "2019 CoV" OR "covid" OR "covid19" OR "Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome Coronavirus 2" OR "SARS-CoV2" OR "SARS-CoV 2" OR "SARS Coronavirus 2") AND (2019/11/01:3000/12/31[PDAT])

01.05.2021

EMBASE:

(SARS coronavirus/ or middle east respiratory syndrome/ or severe acute respiratory syndrome/ or (coronavirus* or corona virus* or HCoV* or ncov* or covid or covid19 or sars-cov* or sarscov* or Sars-coronavirus* or Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome Coronavirus*).mp.) and 20191201:20301231.(dc).

29.04.2020

MEDLINE:

("coronavirus"[MH] OR "coronavirus infections"[MH] OR "coronavirus"[TW] OR "corona virus"[TW] OR "HCoV"[TW] OR "nCov"[TW] OR "covid"[TW] OR "covid19"[TW] OR "Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome Coronavirus 2"[TW] OR "SARS-CoV2"[TW] OR "SARS-CoV 2"[TW] OR "SARS Coronavirus 2"[TW] OR "MERS- CoV"[TW]) AND (2019/1/1:3000[PDAT])

01.04.2020

From 01.04.2020, we retrieve the BioRxiv/MedRxiv dataset.

26.03.2020

MEDLINE:

("Wuhan coronavirus" [Supplementary Concept] OR "COVID-19" OR SARS-CoV-2 OR "2019 ncov"[tiab] OR (("novel coronavirus"[tiab] OR "new coronavirus"[tiab]) AND (wuhan[tiab] OR 2019[tiab])) OR 2019-nCoV[All Fields] OR (wuhan[tiab] AND coronavirus[tiab]))

EMBASE:

(nCoV or 2019-nCoV or ((new or novel or wuhan) adj3 coronavirus) or covid19 or covid-19 or SARS-CoV-2).mp.

BioRxiv/MedRxiv:

ncov or corona or wuhan or COVID or SARS-CoV-2

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01.01.2020

MEDLINE:

("Wuhan coronavirus" [Supplementary Concept] OR "COVID-19" OR "2019 ncov"[tiab] OR (("novel coronavirus"[tiab] OR "new coronavirus"[tiab]) AND (wuhan[tiab] OR 2019[tiab])) OR 2019-nCoV[All Fields] OR (wuhan[tiab] AND coronavirus[tiab])))))

EMBASE:

ncov OR (wuhan AND corona) OR COVID

BioRxiv/MedRxiv:

ncov or corona or wuhan or COVID

We retained publications that used the keywords listed below in the title or abstract.

"asymp" OR "pre-symp" OR "presymp" OR "preclinical" OR "pre-clinical" OR "without symptoms" OR "no symptoms" OR "free of symptoms" OR "non-symp" OR "nonsymp*" OR "symptom-free" OR "symptomfree"