Search strategy

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(((splenectomies[MeSH Terms]) OR splenectomy)) AND (((Hypertension, Pulmonary[MeSH Terms]) OR pulmonary hypertension) OR chronic thromboembolic pulmonary hypertension)

The Cochrane library

#1   MeSH descriptor: [Hypertension, Pulmonary] explode all trees

#2   (Chronic thromboembolic pulmonary hypertension):ti,ab,kw (Word variations have been searched)

#3   (pulmonary hypertension):ti,ab,kw (Word variations have been searched)

#4   MeSH descriptor: [Splenectomy] explode all trees

#5   (splenectomies):ti,ab,kw (Word variations have been searched)

#6   #1 OR #2 OR #3

#7   #4 OR #5

#8   #6 AND #7

Embase

#1.   'chronic thromboembolic pulmonary hypertension'/exp

#2.   'pulmonary hypertension':ab,ti,kw

#3.   'splenectomy'/exp

#4.   'splenectomies':ab,ti,kw

#5.   #1 OR #2

#6.   #3 OR #4

#7.   #5 AND #6