

Appendix II: Example search strategy for MEDLINE.

#	Search syntax
1	*Attitude to Health/
2	*Patient Participation/
3	preference*.ti,ab.
4	*Patient Preference/
5	choice.ti.
6	choices.ti.
7	value*.ti.
8	health state values.ti,ab.
9	valuation*.ti.
10	expectation*.ti,ab.
11	attitude*.ti,ab.
12	knowledge.ti,ab.
13	point of view.ti,ab.
14	user participation.ti,ab.
15	users participation.ti,ab.
16	users' participation.ti,ab.
17	users' participation.ti,ab.
18	user's participation.ti,ab.
19	patient participation.ti,ab.
20	patients' participation.ti,ab.
21	patients participation.ti,ab.
22	patient's participation.ti,ab.
23	patient perspective*.ti,ab.
24	patients perspective*.ti,ab.
25	patients' perspective*.ti,ab.
26	patient's perspective*.ti,ab.
27	patient perce*.ti,ab.
28	patients perce*.ti,ab.
29	patients' perce*.ti,ab.
30	patient's perce*.ti,ab.
31	health perception*.ti,ab.
32	user view*.ti,ab.
33	users view*.ti,ab.
34	users' view*.ti,ab.
35	user's view*.ti,ab.
36	patient view*.ti,ab.
37	patients view*.ti,ab.
38	patients' view*.ti,ab.
39	patient's view*.ti,ab.
40	or/1-39
41	patient*.ti.
42	user*.ti.
43	men.ti.
44	women.ti.
45	or/41-44
46	exp *Decision Making/
47	decision mak*.ti,ab.
48	decisions mak*.ti,ab.
49	decision*.ti.
50	mak*.ti.

51	49 and 50
52	avoidance behavior/
53	46 or 47 or 48 or 51 or 52
54	45 and 53
55	discrete choice.ti,ab.
56	decision board*.ti,ab.
57	decision analy*.ti,ab.
58	decision-support.ti,ab.
59	decision tool*.ti,ab.
60	decision aid*.ti,ab.
61	discrete-choice*.ti,ab.
62	decision*.ti,ab.
63	55 or 56 or 57 or 58 or 59 or 60 or 61 or 62
64	45 and 63
65	54 or 64
66	decision support techniques/
67	(health and utilit*).ti.
68	gamble*.ti,ab.
69	prospect theory.ti,ab.
70	preference score.ti,ab.
71	preference elicitation.ti,ab.
72	health utilit*.ti,ab.
73	(utility and (value* or score* or estimate*)).mp.
74	health state.ti,ab.
75	feeling thermometer*.ti,ab.
76	best-worst scaling.ti,ab.
77	best worst scaling.mp.
78	best worst.ti,ab.
79	TTO.ti,ab.
80	time trade-off.ti,ab.
81	probability trade-off.ti,ab.
82	or/66-81
83	Choice Behavior/
84	or/66-83
85	decision support system/
86	decision making/
87	patient decision making/
88	family decision making/
89	or/66-88
90	preference based.ti,ab.
91	preference score.ti,ab.
92	multiattribute.ti,ab.
93	multi attribute.mp.
94	EuroQoL 5D.mp.
95	EuroQoL5D.ti,ab.
96	EQ5D.mp.
97	EQ 5D.ti,ab.
98	SF6D.ti,ab.
99	SF 6D.ti,ab.
100	HUI.ti,ab.
101	15D.ti,ab.
102	or/90-101
103	SF36.ti,ab.

104	SF 36.ti,ab.
105	SF12.ti,ab.
106	SF 12.mp.
107	HRQoL.ti,ab.
108	QoL.ti,ab.
109	quality of life.ti,ab.
110	exp "quality of Life"/
111	or/103-110
112	40 or 65 or 89 or 102 or 111
113	prostat*.ti,ab,hw.
114	cancer*.ti,ab,hw.
115	113 and 114
116	Prostate Tumor/
117	115 or 116
118	screen*.ti,ab,hw.
119	112 and 117 and 118