
("pilot study"):ti,ab,kw (word variations have been searched)

AND

("randomized control trial"):ti,ab,kw (word variations have been searched)

AND

("surgery"):ti,ab,kw (word variations have been searched)

Supplemental Table 2. Complete search strategy (CENTRAL database example) *limited to studies published between January 1, 2011 and December 31, 2011, and January 1, 2021 and December 31, 2021