SUPPLEMENTARY FILE 3

Tentative search strategy: PubMed

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Question 2: How is the condition of frailty described by key stakeholders in long-term care?

PubMed	Search block: Older people (P)		
Search #	Query	Search string	Results
#1	Aged	"aged"[MeSH Terms] OR "aged"[All Fields]	5,765,926
#2	Elderly	"aged"[MeSH Terms] OR "aged"[All Fields] OR "elderly"[All Fields] OR "elderlies"[All Fields] OR "elderlys"[All Fields]	5,823,455
#3	Older	"older"[All Fields] OR "olders"[All Fields]	496,898
#4	Combination:	#1 OR #2 OR #3	5,978,243

PubMed	Search block: Significant others (P)		
Search #	Query	Search string	Results
#5	Significant others	"significant"[All Fields] AND "other*"[All Fields]	763,016
#6	Informal caregivers	"caregivers" [MeSH Terms] OR "caregiver*" [All Fields] OR ("informal" [All Fields] AND "caregiver*" [All Fields])	92,958
#7	Family	"family"[MeSH Terms] OR "family"[All Fields] OR "families"[All Fields] OR "family s"[All Fields] OR "familys"[All Fields]	1,542,673
#8	Relatives	"relative"[All Fields] OR "relatives"[All Fields] OR "relative s"[All Fields]	984,365
#9	Family caregivers	"caregivers"[MeSH Terms] OR "caregiver*"[All Fields] OR ("family"[All Fields] AND "caregiver*"[All Fields])	92,958
#10	Spouses	"spouse s"[All Fields] OR "spouses"[MeSH Terms] OR "spouses"[All Fields] OR "spouse"[All Fields]	34,339
#11	Husbands	"husband s"[All Fields] OR "husband"[All Fields] OR "husbands"[All Fields]	14,379
#12	Wives	"wife"[All Fields] OR "wives"[All Fields] OR "wife s"[All Fields]	11,491
#13	Next-of-kin	"Next-of-kin"[All Fields]	1,920
#14	Combination:	#5 OR #6 OR #7 OR #8 OR #9 OR #10 OR #11 OR #12 OR #13	3,174,444

PubMed	Search block: Nursing staff (P)		19. Jan 2022
Search #	Query	Search string	Results
#15	Nurse	"nurse s"[All Fields] OR "nurses"[MeSH Terms] OR "nurses"[All Fields] OR "nurse"[All Fields] OR "nurses s"[All Fields]	408,405

#16	Nursing personnel	"nursing staff" [MeSH Terms] OR ("nursing" [All Fields] AND "staff" [All Fields]) OR "nursing staff" [All Fields] OR ("nursing" [All Fields] AND "personnel" [All Fields]) OR "nursing personnel" [All Fields] OR "nurses" [MeSH Terms] OR "nurses" [All Fields] OR ("nursing" [All Fields] AND "personnel" [All Fields])	365,108
#17	Healthcare assistants	"allied health personnel"[MeSH Terms] OR ("allied"[All Fields] AND "health"[All Fields] AND "personnel"[All Fields]) OR "allied health personnel"[All Fields] OR ("healthcare"[All Fields] AND "assistants"[All Fields]) OR "healthcare assistants"[All Fields]	56,879
#18	Healthcare aides	("delivery of health care" [MeSH Terms] OR ("delivery" [All Fields] AND "health" [All Fields] AND "care" [All Fields]) OR "delivery of health care" [All Fields] OR "healthcare" [All Fields] OR "healthcare s" [All Fields] OR "healthcares" [All Fields]) AND "aides" [All Fields]	1,248
#19	Nursing assistants	"nursing assistants" [MeSH Terms] OR ("nursing" [All Fields] AND "assistants" [All Fields]) OR "nursing assistants" [All Fields]	8,416
#20	Nursing aides	("nursing" [MeSH Terms] OR "nursing" [All Fields] OR "nursings" [All Fields]) AND "aides" [All Fields]	1,843
#21	Formal caregivers	("formal"[All Fields] OR "formalized"[All Fields]) AND ("caregiver s"[All Fields] OR "caregivers"[MeSH Terms] OR "caregivers"[All Fields] OR "caregiver"[All Fields] OR "caregiving"[All Fields])	2,921
#22	Combination:	#15 OR #16 OR #17 OR #18 OR #19 OR #20 OR #21	526,064

PubMed	Search block: Frailty (I)		19. Jan 2022
Search #	Query	Search string	Results
#23		"frail"[All Fields] OR "frails"[All Fields] OR "frailty"[MeSH Terms] OR "frailty"[All Fields] OR "frailness"[All Fields]	34,147

PubMed	Search block: Long-te	erm care (C)	19. Jan 2022
Search #	Query	Search string	Results
#24	Long-term care	"long term care"[MeSH Terms] OR ("long term"[All Fields] AND "care"[All Fields]) OR "long term care"[All Fields] OR ("long"[All Fields] AND "term"[All Fields] AND "care"[All Fields]) OR "long term care"[All Fields]	158,645
#25	Primary care	"primary health care"[MeSH Terms] OR ("primary"[All Fields] AND "health"[All Fields] AND "care"[All Fields]) OR "primary health care"[All Fields] OR ("primary"[All Fields] AND "care"[All Fields]) OR "primary care"[All Fields]	519,348
#26	•	"community health services" [MeSH Terms] OR ("community" [All Fields] AND "health" [All Fields] AND "services" [All Fields]) OR "community health services" [All Fields] OR ("community" [All Fields] AND "healthcare" [All Fields]) OR "community healthcare" [All Fields]	453,397
#27	Community dwelling	"independent living"[MeSH Terms] OR ("independent"[All Fields] AND "living"[All Fields]) OR "independent living"[All Fields] OR ("community"[All Fields] AND "dwelling"[All Fields]) OR "community dwelling"[All Fields]	55,793
#28	Community nursing	("community"[All Fields] AND "nursing"[All Fields]) OR "community nursing"[All Fields]	85,995
#29	Home healthcare	("home environment" [MeSH Terms] OR ("home" [All Fields] AND "environment" [All Fields]) OR "home environment" [All Fields] OR "home" [All Fields]) AND ("delivery of health care" [MeSH Terms] OR ("delivery" [All Fields] AND "health" [All Fields] AND "care" [All Fields]) OR "delivery of health care" [All Fields] OR "healthcare" [All Fields] OR "healthcare s" [All Fields]) OR "healthcare s" [All Fields])	68,971
#30	Home nursing	"home nursing"[MeSH Terms] OR ("home"[All Fields] AND "nursing"[All Fields]) OR "home nursing"[All Fields]	72,058

#31	0	"nursing homes"[MeSH Terms] OR ("nursing"[All Fields] AND "homes"[All Fields]) OR "nursing homes"[All Fields] OR	99,292
		("nursing"[All Fields] AND "home"[All Fields]) OR "nursing home"[All Fields]	
#32	Combination:	#24 OR #25 OR #26 OR #27 OR #28 OR #29 OR 30 OR #31	1,155,165

PubMed	Combination of blocks		19. Jan 2022
Search #	Query	Search string	Results
#33	Combination (P):	#4 OR #14 OR #22	8,752,419
#34	Combination (PIC):	#23 AND #32 AND #33	11,877