

Appendix to Hallgeir Tveiten, Arne Broch Brantsæter, Anne Torunn Mengshoel. Non-tuberculous mycobacterial pulmonary infections. Tidsskr Nor Legeforen 2018; 138. doi: 10.4045/tidsskr.18.0077. This appendix is a supplement to the article and has not undergone editorial revision.

Article search:

Database: PubMed

Search string:

1. ("Mycobacterium Infections, Nontuberculous"[Mesh]) OR ("nontuberculous mycobacteria"[tiab] OR "nontuberculous mycobacteria"[tiab] OR NTM[tiab]) AND lung[tiab] AND (Review[ptyp] AND "last 10 years"[PDat])
2. ("Mycobacterium Infections, Nontuberculous"[Mesh] OR ((nontuberculous OR nontuberculosis OR non-tuberculous OR non-tuberculosis) AND (mycobacteria OR mycobacterial)) OR ntm[tiab]) AND (Lung Diseases[Mesh] OR Lung[mesh] OR lung OR pulmonary) Filters: Systematic Reviews, 10 years

Database: Embase Classic+Embase <1947 to 2017 September 28>

Search Strategy:

- 1 exp atypical mycobacteriosis/ (4300)
- 2 (nontubercul* or non-tubercul*).ti,ab. (8941)
- 3 ((nontubercul* or non-tubercul*) and mycobacteri*).ti. (2637)
- 4 (1 and 2) or 3 (3070)
- 5 exp lung disease/ (1238275)
- 6 exp lung/ (343517)
- 7 (lung* or pulmonary).ti. (626027)
- 8 5 and 6 or 7 (1562228)
- 9 4 and 8 (1458)
- 10 limit 9 to ("reviews (best balance of sensitivity and specificity)" and (Danish or English or Norwegian or Swedish) and last 10 years) (121)

Database: Cochrane

Search string:

ID	Search Hits	
#1	MeSH descriptor: [Mycobacterium Infections, Nontuberculous] explode all trees	116
#2	nontubercul* or non-tubercul*:ti,ab,kw (Word variations have been searched)	144
#3	mycobacteri*:ti,ab,kw (Word variations have been searched)	1557
#4	#2 and #3	116
#5	#1 or #4	212
#6	MeSH descriptor: [Lung Diseases] explode all trees	31550
#7	lung* or pulmonary:ti,ab,kw (Word variations have been searched)	63036
#8	#6 or #7	74149
#9	#5 and #8	79 (of which 2 Cochrane reviews)