Table. Full Search Terms for Databases

CINAHL Subject headings	Emtree	Ovid MeSH terms	Cochrane MeSH terms	Free terms
Palliative Medicine, Palliative Care, Palliative Care Nursing, Terminal Care, Hospice Care, Life Support Care	Palliative therapy, Terminal care, Long term care,	Palliative care, Hospice care, Terminal care, Patient comfort, Hospices, Life support care, Hospice and palliative care nursing	Palliative care, Hospice care, Terminal care, Patient comfort, Hospices, Life Support care, Hospice and Palliative care nursing	Palliative care*, Palliative therap*, Palliative treatment*, Supportive care*, Hospice*, End of life care*, Comfort care*, Palliative nurs*, Palliative care nurs*, EOL care*, Terminal care*
Decision-making, Judgment, Patient participation, Patient preference	Decision making, Patient participation	Decision making, Judgment, Choice behavior, Patient participation, Patient preference	Decision making, Judgment, Choice behavior, Patient participation, Patient preference	Decision making, Decision process, Patient decision*, Judgement, Judgment, Patient choice*, Choice making, Choice behavior*, Patient participation, Patient preference*
Terminally ill patients	Terminally ill patients	Terminally ill	Terminally ill	End stage, End of life, Terminally ill*
Community health nursing, Home health care, Home health nursing, Nursing homes, Home nursing	Community care, Home care, Visiting nursing services	Community Health services, Nursing homes, Long-term care, Home care services, Home health nursing, Home nursing	Community health services, Nursing homes, Long-term care, Home care services, Home health nursing, Home nursing	Community health service*, Community health care*, Community healthcare*, Community health nurs*, Community based, Nursing home*, Long term care*, Home care*, Homecare*, Home based, Home nurs*, Home service*, Home treatment*, Home visit nurs*, Visiting nurs* service*, Home health*, Home healthcare, Home health care, Homehealth, Homehealth care