Appendix 1. Draft MEDLINE search strategy

1. exp Peritoneal Dialysis, Continuous Ambulatory/ or exp Dialysis/ or exp Renal Dialysis/ or exp Peritoneal Dialysis/ or dialysis.tw,kf.
2. kidney failure, chronic/ or renal insufficiency, chronic/
3. (end-stage kidney failure or endstage kidney failure or end-stage kidney disease or endstage kidney disease).tw,kf.
4. (end-stage renal failure or endstage renal failure or end-stage renal disease or endstage renal disease).tw,kf.
5. 1 or 2 or 3 or 4
6. (strategy or strateg* or protocol or risk stratification or optimization or monitoring).tw,kf.
7. (surgery or surgical or operative or operation or perioperative or peri-operative or preoperative or preoperative or procedur*).tw,kf.
8. (care pathway or care bundle or pathway or bundle or intervention or guideline or recommendation* or best practice*).tw,kf.
9. 6 or 8
10. 7 and 9
11. (hemodialysis or haemodialysis or HD or dialysis).tw,kf.
12. (renal replacement therapy or RRT).tw,kf.
13. 5 or 11 or 12
14. 10 and 13
15. limit 14 to animals
16. 14 not 15
17. limit 16 to ("all infant (birth to 23 months)" or "preschool child (2 to 5 years)" or "child (6 to 12 years")
18. 16 not 17