Table S1. Search Strategy

Ovid MEDLINE(R) and Ovid OLDMEDLINE(R) 1980 to March Week 4, 2011

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| **#** | **Searches** |  |
| 1 | exp "Conflict of Interest"/ |  |
| 2 | (conflict adj3 interest$).mp. [mp=title, original title, abstract, name of substance word, subject heading word, unique identifier] |  |
| 3 | Drug Industry/es, lj [Ethics, Legislation & Jurisprudence] |  |
| 4 | Research Support as Topic/es, lj, st [Ethics, Legislation & Jurisprudence, Standards] |  |
| 5 | exp guidelines as topic/ |  |
| 6 | (practice adj3 guideline$).mp. [mp=title, original title, abstract, name of substance word, subject heading word, unique identifier] |  |
| 7 | (clinical adj guideline$).mp. [mp=title, original title, abstract, name of substance word, subject heading word, unique identifier] |  |
| 8 | or/1-4 |  |
| 9 | or/5-7 |  |
| 10 | 8 and 9 |  |
| 11 | limit 10 to (humans and yr="1980 -Current") |  |