Appendix 1

Search terms

MEDLINE (n=2,175)

1. Gastrointestinal tuberculosis
2. Intestinal tuberculo*.mp.
3. Tuberculo* colitis.mp.
4. Tuberculo* ileitis.mp.
5. Colonic tuberculo*.mp.
6. Ileal tuberculo*.mp.
7. Diagnosis
8. Sensitivity and specificity
9. Predictive value of test
10. 1 or 2 or 3 or 4 or 5 or 6
11. 7 or 8 or 9
12. 10 and 11

EMBASE (n=2,164)

("gastrointestinal tuberculosis"/exp OR "gastrointestinal tuberculosis" OR "intestinal tuberculosis"/exp OR "intestinal tuberculosis" OR "intestinal tuberculosis"/exp OR "intestinal tuberculosis" OR "tuberculous ileitis" OR "colonic tuberculosis"' OR "ileal tuberculosis") AND ("diagnosis"/exp OR "diagnosis" OR "sensitivity and specificity"/exp OR "sensitivity and specificity" "predictive value"/exp OR "predictive value" OR "predictive value of test")