

What is the impact and effectiveness of the 7 Day CNS service on palliative care patients and their families?

Included Studies:

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Excluded Studies:

A number of studies have been excluded due to various reasons including the following:
Lack of data to address the question

Additional materials available upon request:

- Critical appraisal / data extraction forms
- Search strategies
- List of excluded studies
- Logic model

This report should be cited as follows:

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