

APPENDIX I – MEDLINE search strategy (Ovid SP)

1. osteoporosis/ or osteoporosis, postmenopausal/
2. osteoporos#s.mp.
3. 1 or 2
4. prompt\$.mp.
5. education, medical/ or education, medical, continuing/ or education, nursing/ or education, nursing, continuing/ or education, pharmacy/ or education, pharmacy, continuing/
6. health education/ or patient education as topic/
7. health promotion/
8. education.mp.
9. "Referral and Consultation"/
10. Reminder Systems/
11. reminder\$.mp.
12. intervention\$.mp.
13. risk assessment/ or (risk\$1 adj3 assessment\$).mp. or (risk\$1 adj3 estimat\$).mp.
14. audit\$.mp.
15. feedback/ or feedback\$.mp.
16. alert\$.mp.
17. Mass Screening/ or screening*.mp.
18. academic detailing\$.mp.
19. workshop\$.mp.
20. ((improv\$ or increas\$) and (rate\$ adj4 (testing or treatment or care))).mp.
21. ((improv\$ or increas\$) adj5 diagnos\$).mp.
22. or/4-21
23. Physician's Practice Patterns/
24. health personnel/ or exp allied health personnel/ or health educators/ or exp nurses/ or exp nursing staff/ or pharmacists/ or physicians/ or physicians, family/ or family practice.mp.
25. (physician\$ or nurs\$ or pharmac\$ or primary care or (care adj3 provider\$)).mp.
26. Patients/
27. ((patient\$ or participant\$ or wom#n or men or man) and educat\$).mp.
28. pharmacies/ or Community Pharmacy Services/
29. or/23-28
30. 3 and 22 and 29
31. limit 30 to "middle aged (45 plus years)"
32. limit 31 to yr="1985 -Current"
33. randomized controlled trial.pt.
34. random\$.tw.
35. control\$.tw.
36. intervention\$.tw.
37. evaluat\$.tw.
38. or/33-37
39. animal/
40. human/
41. 39 not (39 and 40)
42. 38 not 41
43. 32 and 42