

Appendix 1. Systematic search in MEDLINE, EMBASE, PUBMED.

- #1 reliability: ab, ti
- #2 repeatability: ab, ti
- #3 validity: ab, ti
- #4 #1 OR #2 OR #3
- #5 'work related': ab, ti
- #6 'work-related': ab, ti
- #7 #5 OR #6
- #8 neck: ab, ti
- #9 shoulder*: ab, ti
- #10 cervical: ab, ti
- #11 #8 OR #9 OR #10
- #12 stiff*: ab, ti
- #13 discomfort*: ab, ti
- #14 tight*: ab, ti
- #15 tender: ab, ti
- #16 strain: ab, ti
- #17 sore*: ab, ti
- #18 tens: ab, ti
- #19 katakori: ab, ti
- #20 #7 AND #11
- #21 #12 AND #11
- #22 #13 AND #11
- #23 #14 AND #11

#24 #15 AND #11

#25 #16 AND #11

#26 #17 AND #11

#27 #18 AND #11

#28 #19 OR #20 OR #21 OR #22 OR #23 OR #24 OR #25 OR #26 OR #27

#29 #4 AND #28