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Workshop 1
Searching Biomedical databases worksheet

Scenario:

You are working on an acute geriatric unit where many patients are showing agitation as a symptom of dementia. You would like to know what types of activities are especially useful in decreasing agitation and other behavioral and psychological symptoms of dementia.

Question:

P:	Patients with dementia in acute geriatric care	Patient/Population
I:	Activities	Intervention/Indicator
C:		Comparison
O:	Reduction in agitation and other psychological symptoms of dementia	Outcome (patient focused)
Type of Question:	Therapy	Therapy, Diagnosis, Etiology, Prognosis/Harm, Cost etc?
Best Evidence:	RCT or Systematic Review of RCT's	Systematic review, RCT, Cohort, Comparison to Gold Standard etc?

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