



## Search Tags & Field Qualifiers

<http://pubmed.gov> (public access)

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Search Fields follow search terms in square brackets.

For example, to search diabetes as a MeSH term:

Type diabetes mellitus[MH] in the search box in PubMed.

FIELD NAME	[TAG]	SEARCHES
Author Affiliation	[AD]	First listed author's institutional affiliation
Author	[AU]	Author name
Corporate Name as Author	[CN]	Corporate names as authors
EC/RN Number	[RN]	CAS Registry Number or Enzyme Commission Number
Entrez Date	[EDAT]	Date citation was added to database
Journal Title	[TA]	Title of journal
Language	[LA]	Language of the article (not the abstract)
MeSH Major Topic	[MAJR]	Main topic of an article
MeSH Subheading	[SH]	MeSH Subheading
MeSH Term	[MH]	MeSH Term
Personal Name as Subject	[PS]	Person as the subject of an article, not as an author
Publication Type	[PT]	Format of an article (letter, clinical trial, etc) rather than content
Subset	[SB]	Subject and citation subsets
Substance Name	[NM]	Chemical and substance names discussed in an article
Text Word	[TW]	Textual fields of PubMed records
Title	[TI]	Article title
Title or Abstract	[TIAB]	Words in an article title or an abstract

### Searching Journal/Citation Subsets:

Enter the following in the search box: `jsubsetLetterofSubset AND search term`  
Ex: `jsubsetk AND diabetes`

**Search Tip:** Always type the Boolean Operators AND, OR & NOT in capital letters

**Note:** Other subsets are available that do not use this tag. Use LIMITS.

### Journal/Citation Subsets:

<b>Aim</b>	abridged index medicus
<b>d</b>	dentistry journals
<b>e</b>	citations from the bioethics journals
<b>h</b>	health administration journals
<b>k</b>	consumer health journals
<b>n</b>	nursing journals
<b>q</b>	history of medicine journals
<b>s</b>	citations from space life sciences journals
<b>t</b>	health technology assessment journals, non-Index Medicus
<b>x</b>	AIDS/HIV journals (selected citations from other journals 1980-2000)

### Full text in PubMed:

Free full text[*sb*] – links to free full-text article

Full text[*sb*] – links to full-text article (not free)

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