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LITERATURE SEARCHING USING THE TRIP DATABASE



The Trip Database is available at **<https://www.tripdatabase.com/>** and is a clinical search engine designed to allow users to quickly and easily find and use high-quality research evidence to support their practice and/or care.

Trip includes:

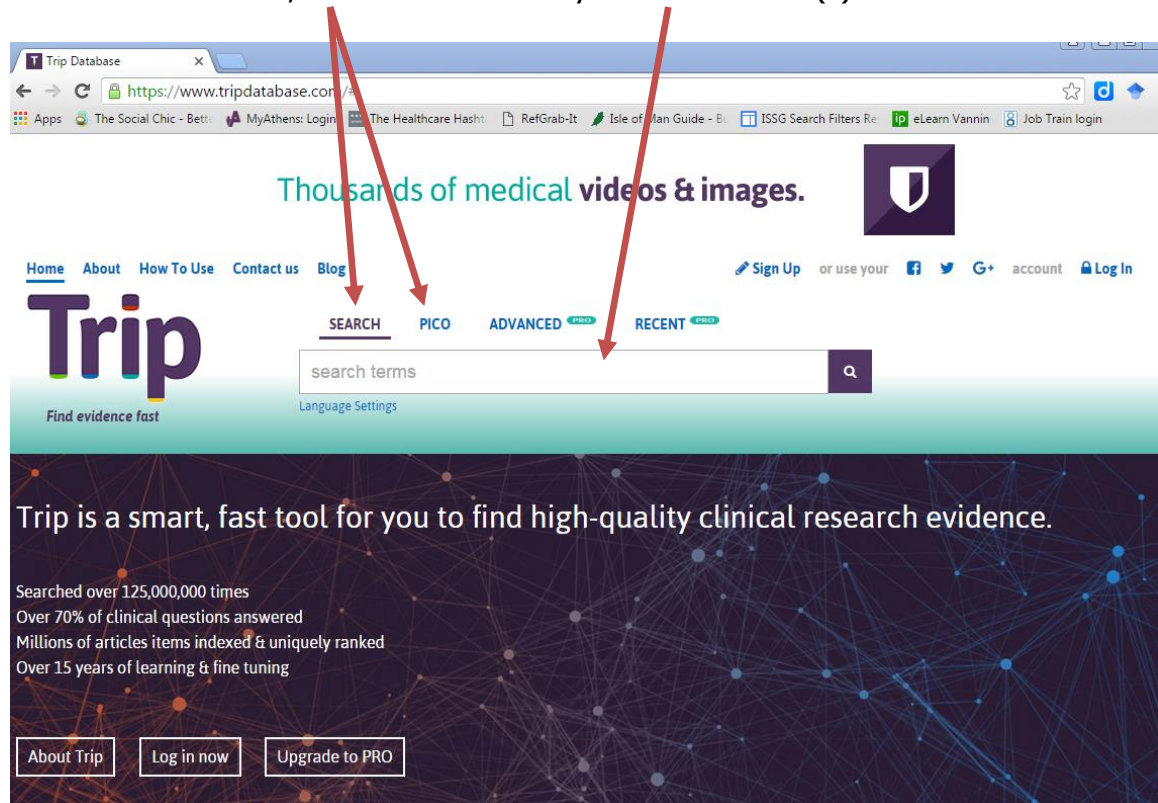
- Research Evidence
- Images
- Videos
- Patient Information Leaflets
- Educational Courses
- News

Information on the database is sourced from thousands of areas from NICE Guidelines, and the Cochrane Database, to textbooks. There are millions of documents available on the site.

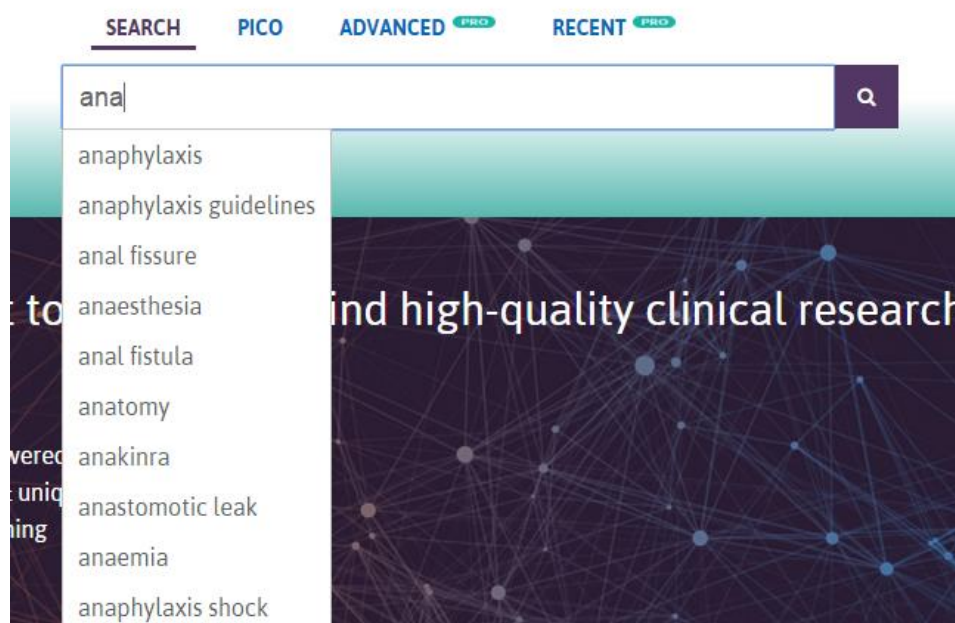
Finding Information – Basic Searching

Access to Trip's Basic Search and PICO search functions is free of charge. The search bar is available directly from the home page.

Select either search, or PICO and enter your search term(s).



Trip's search bar is predictive and will offer options to complete the word you are searching for:



Searches are returned with an indication of how many results there are, search suggestions for narrowing down your topic, and on the right of each result is an indication of what type of information it is

The screenshot shows a search interface for 'anaphylaxis'. At the top, there are tabs for 'SEARCH', 'PICO', 'ADVANCED', and 'RECENT'. A search bar contains 'anaphylaxis' and a search button. To the right, a dropdown menu shows '9 search suggestions': 'anaphylaxis guidelines', 'anaphylaxis shock', 'anaphylaxis treatment', 'anaphylaxis vaccines', and 'anaphylaxis anesthesia'. Below the search bar, there are tabs for 'Evidence', 'Images', 'Videos', and 'Explorer'. The main content area displays '8,170 results for "anaphylaxis", by quality'. There are buttons for 'Export', 'Order', and 'Add to automated search'. The results list includes:

- 1. **Hymenoptera-induced anaphylaxis: absence of urticaria/angioedema indicates severe anaphylaxis and possibly mastocytosis** (Allergy Notes blog 2015) - Blogs
- 2. **Anaphylaxis ? First Aid Management** (Australian Resuscitation Council 2016) - Aus & NZ Guidelines
- 3. **Anaphylaxis** (BMJ Best Practice 2015) - Evidence-based Synopses

On the right, there is a 'Refine by' section with 'Evidence type' and 'Clinical Area' filters. A 'Become a PRO' banner is also present, along with a table of evidence types:

Evidence type	Count
All Secondary Evidence	
Systematic Reviews	86 +82
Evidence-based Synopses	55
Guidelines	
Aus & NZ	8

Results are automatically organised by quality, but by clicking on the "order" drop down, you can select date, or relevant as a preferred method of organisation.

This screenshot shows the same search interface as above, but with the 'Order' dropdown menu open. The menu options are 'Quality' (selected), 'Date', and 'Relevance'. The first result is partially visible: '1. Hymenoptera-induced anaphylaxis: absence of urticaria/angioedema indicates severe anaphylaxis and possibly mastocytosis'.

The pane on the far right of the page allows you to search by evidence type

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Canada	28
UK	137
USA	
Other	1
Regulatory Guidance	11
Key Primary Research	35
Clinical Q&A	54
Controlled Trials	275
Primary Research	3,134
Ongoing systematic reviews	84
Ongoing clinical trials PRO	3,560
Open	875
Closed	2,670
Unknown	15
Patient decision aids	0
Patient information leaflets	66

The number of results for each are displayed beside the evidence classifications. Once you have selected your limiter, all the results will display it on their right hand side in the pyramid of evidence.

137 results for "anaphylaxis", by quality

Refine by

Evidence type Clinical Area **PRO**

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NICE Clinical Knowledge Summaries	98
British Committee for Standards in Haematology	12

1. **Anaphylaxis with or without angio-oedema**
NICE Clinical Knowledge Summaries 2014
Uk Guidelines

2. **Angio-oedema without anaphylaxis**
NICE Clinical Knowledge Summaries 2014
Uk Guidelines

3. **Anaphylaxis: assessment and referral after emergency treatment**
National Institute for Health and Clinical Excellence - Clinical Guidelines 2011
Uk Guidelines

4. **Specific Treatment Options - anaphylaxis/allergic reactions in adults**
Joint Royal Colleges Ambulance Liaison Committee 2007
Uk Guidelines

5. **Paediatric - anaphylaxis/allergic reactions in children**
Joint Royal Colleges Ambulance Liaison Committee 2007
Uk Guidelines

You can switch to another type of evidence by selecting it from the side pane.

7. **Anaphylaxis / allergic reactions in adults**
Joint Royal Colleges Ambulance Liaison Committee 2006
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8. **Meningitis (bacterial)/meningococcal septicaemia: Non-blanching rash or meningococcal septicaemia**
NICE Clinical Knowledge Summaries 2016
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9. **Meningitis (bacterial)/meningococcal septicaemia: Without non-blanching rash**
NICE Clinical Knowledge Summaries 2016
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USA	91
Other	1
Regulatory Guidance	11
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All of the links provide you with a title, source and year, and when clicked will open the relevant evidence.

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Each result also has a button to allow you to tweet and star the results.

2. **Angio-oedema without anaphylaxis**
NICE Clinical Knowledge Summaries 2014
Tweet this ☆ Star this

Tweeting will allow you to immediately share a link to the information with your Twitter followers. Once you select the option you will be prompted to log into your Twitter account, and then be given an opportunity to edit your tweet before you send it.

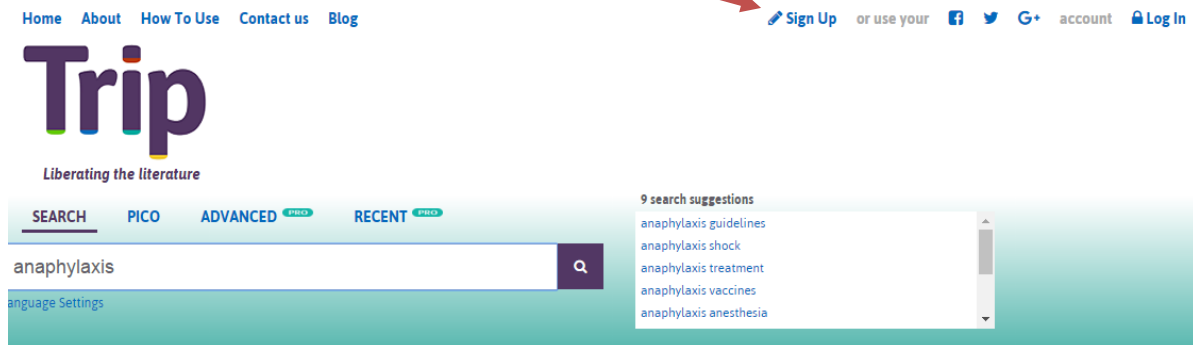
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Anaphylaxis with or without angio-oedema <http://bit.ly/2ilmGGn> via @tripdatabase

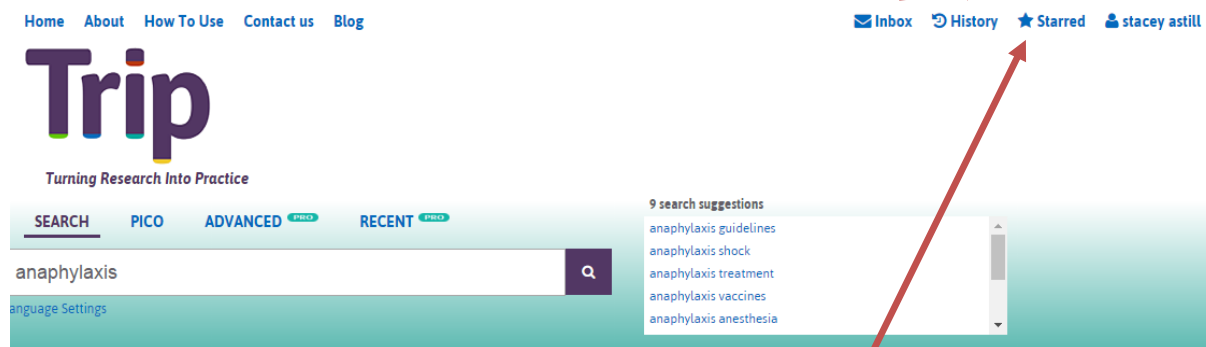
58 **Tweet**

To star a result, you must be logged in – making an account allows you to save your search history, view saved sources, and arrange for automated searches (which run monthly and send all new results to you).

To create an account, select the “Sign Up” option at the top of the site



Once you have completed the sign up (including sections allowing you to select specialisms relevant to your interests) the site will now provide you with your inbox where you can find information on topics of interest, a history section where you can see your previous searches, and a starred button to show you evidence you have previously chosen to star.



When you star results they are saved for future access

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Within your Inbox you will be able to see articles relevant to the clinical areas and interests which you have registered, which are also listed.

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Below are links to articles and searches, generated on the basis of your Clinical Areas and Interests.

- Dental Implants: microthreads in crestal area and marginal bone loss. (The Dental Elf)
- Root canal treatment: single or multiple visits? (The Dental Elf)
- Gingival recession: long term outcomes of no treatment (The Dental Elf)
- Secondary caries: limited evidence from in-situ studies (The Dental Elf)
- CBCT Appears To Be More Accurate than Intraoral Radiographs in Detecting Artificially Created Recurrent Caries (UTHSCSA Dental School CAT Library)

	Secondary Reviews	Primary Research	Other
Dentistry	14	163	8
Hematology	4	184	5

Configure your Clinical Areas and Interests

When you click on a clinical area or interest which you have registered, Trip will run a search on that topic.

[Evidence](#) [Images](#) [Videos](#) [Explorer](#)

160 results for "area:Dentistry", by quality

Export Order

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You can also choose to add items to your automated searches, this will run your search every month and provide you with any updates since the last results were sent. By selecting the "Add to automated search" button you will be able to amend your user settings to include your new search term.

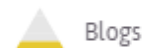
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The Dental Elf 2016

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Clicking the button will take you to your settings,

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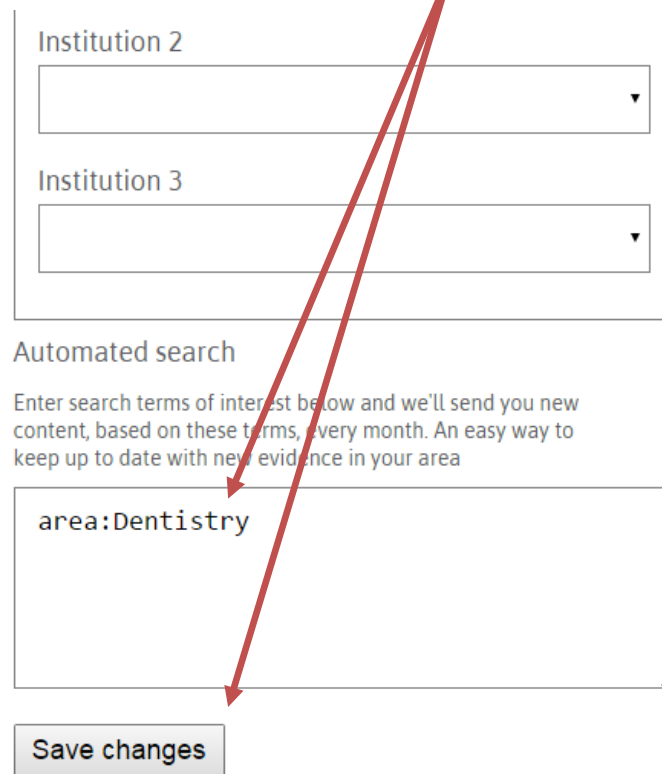
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Your country:

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Your clinical areas:

From here you can scroll down and enter your term(s) into the automated search box at the bottom of the page, then select "save changes"



The screenshot shows a web form with two dropdown menus labeled "Institution 2" and "Institution 3". Below these is a section titled "Automated search" with a text box containing "area:Dentistry" and a "Save changes" button. Two red arrows point from the top of the page down to the search box and the "Save changes" button.

Institution 2

Institution 3

Automated search

Enter search terms of interest below and we'll send you new content, based on these terms, every month. An easy way to keep up to date with new evidence in your area

area:Dentistry

Save changes

We hope you found this online guide useful. Please take a moment to complete this short survey to enable us to gather feedback:

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Thank you – Keyll Darree Library team