

*Search strategy in MEDLINE (via PubMed) from inception up to March 2012.*

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|-----|------------------------------------------------|------------|
| #1  | Search delayed prescribing[tiab]               | 21         |
| #2  | Search wait-and-see-prescription*[tiab]        | 6          |
| #3  | Search delayed antibiotic*[tiab]               | 56         |
| #4  | Search delayed antibiotic prescription[tiab]   | 4          |
| #5  | Search "deferred prescribing"                  | 6          |
| #6  | Search "delay of antibiotic prescription*"     | 35         |
| #7  | <b>Search #5 OR #4 OR #3 OR #2 OR #1 OR #6</b> | <b>112</b> |
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| #2  | Search "deferred prescribing"                  |            |
| #3  | Search delayed antibiotic*[tiab]               | 56         |
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| #6  | Search delayed antibiotic prescription[tiab]   | 4          |
| #7  | Search #6 OR #5 OR #4 OR #3 OR #2 OR #1        | 112        |
| #8  | Search Questionnaire*[tiab]                    | 245943     |
| #9  | Search Survey[tiab]                            | 269467     |
| #10 | Search #9 OR #8                                | 466887     |
| #11 | <b>Search #7 AND #10</b>                       | <b>8</b>   |

