Content is used here to mean the quality of the information presented. The WebEval Form is a checklist, and uses markers that can be used to indicate either quality information or warning signs. The markers are intended to measure such characteristics as the expertise of the author (authority) and whether the information is up-to-date (currency), protected by copyright (information status), useful (value), and accurate (quality). Always remember that quality can never truly be measured by the sort of tangible criteria used here—if your instincts differ from the score, ask more questions or ask an expert or health care professional for an opinion of the site.

FRIAR Form (Health Search Strategy Development Worksheet, Internet Version)

Frame: What Is Your Health Question?

Relevant and Searchable Search Concepts: (Break your question into its 2-4 most important concepts. PRIORITIZE!)

(1)
(2)
(3)
Other:

Irrelevant or Non-Searchable Search Concepts:

(1)
(2)
(3)
Other:

Alternate Terms or Aliases for Relevant Concepts: (Can you describe these important ideas other ways or with other words?)

(1)
(2)
(3)
Other:

Review/Repeat (Has working through this process given you any new ideas for approaching your question?)

FRIAR = Frame, Relevance, Irrelevance, Alternates/Aliases, Review
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