

Supplementary Material

Is there a role for traditional and complementary medicines in managing chronic fatigue? a systematic literature review of randomized controlled trials

Yuxiao Li^{1,†}, Jingya Yang^{1,†}, Chi Ian Chau¹, Junnan Shi¹, Xianwen Chen¹, Hao Hu^{1,2}, Carolina Oi Lam Ung^{1,2*}

*** Correspondence:** Carolina Oi Lam Ung: carolinaung@um.edu.mo

1 Supplementary Tables

Supplementary Table. 1 Pubmed-Search history

Number	Query	Sort By	Filters	Search Details	Results
1	fatigue[MeSH Terms]	Most Recent	/	"fatigue"[MeSH Terms]	36417
2	fatigue[Title/Abstract]	Most Recent	/	"fatigue"[Title/Abstract]	119144
3	Lassitude[Title/Abstract]	Most Recent	/	"Lassitude"[Title/Abstract]	458
4	((fatigue[MeSH Terms]) OR (Lassitude[Title/Abstract])) OR (fatigue[Title/Abstract])	Most Recent	/	"fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Lassitude"[Title/Abstract] OR "fatigue"[Title/Abstract]	129124
5	fatigue syndromes	Most Recent	/	("fatiguability"[All Fields] OR "fatiguable"[All Fields] OR "fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "fatigue"[All Fields] OR "fatigued"[All Fields] OR "fatigues"[All Fields] OR "fatiguing"[All Fields] OR "fatigueability"[All Fields]) AND ("syndrom"[All Fields] OR "syndromal"[All Fields] OR "syndromally"[All Fields] OR "syndrome"[MeSH Terms] OR "syndrome"[All Fields] OR "syndromes"[All Fields] OR "syndrome s"[All Fields] OR "syndromic"[All Fields] OR "syndroms"[All Fields])	20019
6	chronic fatigue[MeSH Terms]	Most Recent	/	("chronic"[All Fields] OR "chronical"[All Fields] OR "chronically"[All Fields] OR "chronicities"[All Fields] OR "chronicity"[All Fields] OR "chronicization"[All Fields] OR "chronics"[All Fields]) AND "fatigue"[MeSH Terms]	4949
7	chronic fatigue[Title/Abstract]	Most Recent	/	"chronic fatigue"[Title/Abstract]	8113

8	(Fatigue Syndrome*[MeSH Terms]) OR (Chronic Fatigue Syndrome*[MeSH Terms]) OR (Chronic Fatigue Fibromyalgia Syndrome*[MeSH Terms]) OR (Fatigue Disorder*[MeSH Terms]) OR (Postviral Fatigue Syndrome*[MeSH Terms]) OR (Chronic Fatigue and Immune Dysfunction Syndrome*[MeSH Terms])	Most Recent	/	"fatigue syndrome*[MeSH Terms] OR (("chronic"[All Fields] OR "chronical"[All Fields] OR "chronically"[All Fields] OR "chronicities"[All Fields] OR "chronicity"[All Fields] OR "chronicization"[All Fields] OR "chronics"[All Fields]) AND "fatigue syndrome*[MeSH Terms]) OR (((("chronic"[All Fields] OR "chronical"[All Fields] OR "chronically"[All Fields] OR "chronicities"[All Fields] OR "chronicity"[All Fields] OR "chronicization"[All Fields] OR "chronics"[All Fields]) AND ("fatiguability"[All Fields] OR "fatiguable"[All Fields] OR "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fatigue"[All Fields] OR "fatigued"[All Fields] OR "fatigues"[All Fields] OR "fatiguing"[All Fields] OR "fatigueability"[All Fields]) AND ("fibromyalgia"[MeSH Terms] OR "fibromyalgia"[All Fields] OR "fibromyalgias"[All Fields])) AND "syndrome*[MeSH Terms]) OR ((("fatiguability"[All Fields] OR "fatiguable"[All Fields] OR "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fatigue"[All Fields] OR "fatigued"[All Fields] OR "fatigues"[All Fields] OR "fatiguing"[All Fields] OR "fatigueability"[All Fields] OR "disorder*[MeSH Terms]) OR ("Postviral"[All Fields] AND "fatigue syndrome*[MeSH Terms]) OR (((("chronic"[All Fields] OR "chronical"[All Fields] OR "chronically"[All Fields] OR "chronicities"[All Fields] OR "chronicity"[All Fields] OR "chronicization"[All Fields] OR "chronics"[All Fields]) AND ("fatiguability"[All Fields] OR "fatiguable"[All Fields] OR "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fatigue"[All Fields] OR "fatigued"[All Fields] OR "fatigues"[All Fields] OR "fatiguing"[All Fields] OR "fatigueability"[All Fields]) AND ("immune system diseases"[MeSH Terms] OR ("immune"[All Fields] AND "system"[All Fields] AND "diseases"[All Fields]) OR "immune system diseases"[All Fields] OR ("immune"[All Fields] AND "dysfunction"[All Fields]) OR "immune dysfunction"[All Fields])) AND "syndrome*[MeSH Terms])	7041
9	(Fatigue Syndrome*[Title/Abstract]) OR (Chronic Fatigue Syndrome*[Title/Abstract]) OR (Chronic Fatigue Fibromyalgia Syndrome*[Title/Abstract]) OR (Fatigue Disorder*[Title/Abstract]) OR (Postviral Fatigue Syndrome*[Title/Abstract]) OR (Chronic Fatigue and Immune Dysfunction Syndrome*[Title/Abstract])	Most Recent	/	"fatigue syndrome*[Title/Abstract] OR "chronic fatigue syndrome*[Title/Abstract] OR "chronic fatigue fibromyalgia syndrome*[Title/Abstract] OR "fatigue disorder*[Title/Abstract] OR "postviral fatigue syndrome*[Title/Abstract] OR "chronic fatigue and immune dysfunction syndrome*[Title/Abstract]	6864

10	#4 OR #5 OR #6 OR #7 OR #8 OR #9	Most Recent	/	"Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Lassitude"[Title/Abstract] OR "Fatigue"[Title/Abstract] OR (("Chronic"[All Fields] OR "chronical"[All Fields] OR "chronically"[All Fields] OR "chronicities"[All Fields] OR "chronicity"[All Fields] OR "chronicization"[All Fields] OR "chronics"[All Fields]) AND "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms]) OR "chronic fatigue"[Title/Abstract] OR ("fatigue syndrome"[MeSH Terms] OR (("Chronic"[All Fields] OR "chronical"[All Fields] OR "chronically"[All Fields] OR "chronicities"[All Fields] OR "chronicity"[All Fields] OR "chronicization"[All Fields] OR "chronics"[All Fields]) AND "fatigue syndrome"[MeSH Terms]) OR (((("Chronic"[All Fields] OR "chronical"[All Fields] OR "chronically"[All Fields] OR "chronicities"[All Fields] OR "chronicity"[All Fields] OR "chronicization"[All Fields] OR "chronics"[All Fields]) AND ("fatiguability"[All Fields] OR "fatiguable"[All Fields] OR "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fatigue"[All Fields] OR "fatigued"[All Fields] OR "fatigues"[All Fields] OR "fatiguing"[All Fields] OR "fatigueability"[All Fields]) AND ("Fibromyalgia"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fibromyalgia"[All Fields] OR "fibromyalias"[All Fields])) AND "syndrome"[MeSH Terms]) OR ("fatiguability"[All Fields] OR "fatiguable"[All Fields] OR "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fatigue"[All Fields] OR "fatigued"[All Fields] OR "fatigues"[All Fields] OR "fatiguing"[All Fields] OR "fatigueability"[All Fields]) AND "disorder"[MeSH Terms]) OR ("Postviral"[All Fields] AND "fatigue syndrome"[MeSH Terms]) OR (((("Chronic"[All Fields] OR "chronical"[All Fields] OR "chronically"[All Fields] OR "chronicities"[All Fields] OR "chronicity"[All Fields] OR "chronicization"[All Fields] OR "chronics"[All Fields]) AND ("fatiguability"[All Fields] OR "fatiguable"[All Fields] OR "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fatigue"[All Fields] OR "fatigued"[All Fields] OR "fatigues"[All Fields] OR "fatiguing"[All Fields] OR "fatigueability"[All Fields]) AND ("immune system diseases"[MeSH Terms] OR ("Immune"[All Fields] AND "system"[All Fields] AND "diseases"[All Fields]) OR "immune system diseases"[All Fields] OR ("Immune"[All Fields] AND "Dysfunction"[All Fields]) OR "immune dysfunction"[All Fields])) AND "syndrome"[MeSH Terms])) OR ("fatigue syndrome"[Title/Abstract] OR "chronic fatigue syndrome"[Title/Abstract] OR "chronic fatigue fibromyalgia syndrome"[Title/Abstract] OR "fatigue disorder"[Title/Abstract] OR "postviral fatigue syndrome"[Title/Abstract] OR "chronic fatigue and immune dysfunction syndrome"[Title/Abstract]) OR ((("fatiguability"[All Fields] OR "fatiguable"[All Fields] OR "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fatigue"[All Fields] OR "fatigued"[All Fields] OR "fatigues"[All Fields] OR "fatiguing"[All Fields] OR "fatigueability"[All Fields]) AND ("syndrom"[All Fields] OR "syndromal"[All Fields] OR "syndromally"[All Fields] OR "syndrome"[MeSH Terms] OR "syndrome"[All Fields] OR "syndromes"[All Fields] OR "syndrome s"[All Fields] OR "syndromic"[All Fields] OR "syndroms"[All Fields]))	130349
11	Medicine, Traditional[MeSH Terms]	Most Recent	/	"medicine, traditional"[MeSH Terms]	44856
12	Complementary Therapies[MeSH Terms]	Most Recent	/	"complementary therapies"[MeSH Terms]	242059
13	Phytotherapy[MeSH Terms]	Most Recent	/	"phytotherapy"[MeSH Terms]	41874
14	Plant Extracts[MeSH Terms]	Most Recent	/	"plant extracts"[MeSH Terms]	203704
15	Plants, Medicinal[MeSH Terms]	Most Recent	/	"plants, medicinal"[MeSH Terms]	62060

16	Plant Preparations[MeSH Terms]	Most Recent	/	"plant preparations"[MeSH Terms]	266122
17	"alternative medicine*"[Title/Abstract]	Most Recent	/	"alternative medicine*"[Title/Abstract]	11979
18	"folk remed*"[Title/Abstract] OR nutraceutical*[Title/Abstract] OR herb*[Title/Abstract] OR "medicinal plant*"[Title/Abstract] OR "pharmaceutical plant*"[Title/Abstract] OR "Chinese medicine*"[Title/Abstract]	Most Recent	/	"folk remed*"[Title/Abstract] OR "nutraceutical*"[Title/Abstract] OR "herb*"[Title/Abstract] OR "medicinal plant*"[Title/Abstract] OR "pharmaceutical plant*"[Title/Abstract] OR "chinese medicine*"[Title/Abstract]	193311

19 #10 OR #18

Most Recent

/

("Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Lassitude"[Title/Abstract] OR "Fatigue"[Title/Abstract] OR (("Chronic"[All Fields] OR "chronical"[All Fields] OR "chronically"[All Fields] OR "chronicities"[All Fields] OR "chronicity"[All Fields] OR "chronicization"[All Fields] OR "chronics"[All Fields]) AND "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms]) OR (("fatiguability"[All Fields] OR "fatiguable"[All Fields] OR "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fatigue"[All Fields] OR "fatigued"[All Fields] OR "fatigues"[All Fields] OR "fatiguing"[All Fields] OR "fatigueability"[All Fields]) AND ("syndrom"[All Fields] OR "syndromal"[All Fields] OR "syndromally"[All Fields] OR "syndrome"[MeSH Terms] OR "syndrome"[All Fields] OR "syndromes"[All Fields] OR "syndrome s"[All Fields] OR "syndromic"[All Fields] OR "syndroms"[All Fields])) OR "chronic fatigue"[Title/Abstract] OR "fatigue syndrome"[MeSH Terms] OR (("Chronic"[All Fields] OR "chronical"[All Fields] OR "chronically"[All Fields] OR "chronicities"[All Fields] OR "chronicity"[All Fields] OR "chronicization"[All Fields] OR "chronics"[All Fields]) AND "fatigue syndrome"[MeSH Terms]) OR (("Chronic"[All Fields] OR "chronical"[All Fields] OR "chronically"[All Fields] OR "chronicities"[All Fields] OR "chronicity"[All Fields] OR "chronicization"[All Fields] OR "chronics"[All Fields]) AND ("fatiguability"[All Fields] OR "fatiguable"[All Fields] OR "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fatigue"[All Fields] OR "fatigued"[All Fields] OR "fatigues"[All Fields] OR "fatiguing"[All Fields] OR "fatigueability"[All Fields]) AND ("Fibromyalgia"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fibromyalgia"[All Fields] OR "fibromyalgias"[All Fields]) AND "syndrome"[MeSH Terms] OR ("fatiguability"[All Fields] OR "fatiguable"[All Fields] OR "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fatigue"[All Fields] OR "fatigued"[All Fields] OR "fatigues"[All Fields] OR "fatiguing"[All Fields] OR "fatigueability"[All Fields]) AND "disorder"[MeSH Terms]) OR ("Postviral"[All Fields] AND "fatigue syndrome"[MeSH Terms] OR ("Chronic"[All Fields] OR "chronical"[All Fields] OR "chronically"[All Fields] OR "chronicities"[All Fields] OR "chronicity"[All Fields] OR "chronicization"[All Fields] OR "chronics"[All Fields]) AND ("fatiguability"[All Fields] OR "fatiguable"[All Fields] OR "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fatigue"[All Fields] OR "fatigued"[All Fields] OR "fatigues"[All Fields] OR "fatiguing"[All Fields] OR "fatigueability"[All Fields]) AND ("immune system diseases"[MeSH Terms] OR ("Immune"[All Fields] AND "system"[All Fields] AND "diseases"[All Fields]) OR "immune system diseases"[All Fields] OR ("Immune"[All Fields] AND "Dysfunction"[All Fields]) OR "immune dysfunction"[All Fields]) AND "syndrome"[MeSH Terms]) OR "fatigue syndrome"[Title/Abstract] OR "chronic fatigue syndrome"[Title/Abstract] OR "chronic fatigue fibromyalgia syndrome"[Title/Abstract] OR "fatigue disorder"[Title/Abstract] OR "postviral fatigue syndrome"[Title/Abstract] OR "chronic fatigue and immune dysfunction syndrome"[Title/Abstract]) AND ("medicine, traditional"[MeSH Terms] OR "complementary therapies"[MeSH Terms] OR "phytotherapy"[MeSH Terms] OR "plant extracts"[MeSH Terms] OR "plants, medicinal"[MeSH Terms] OR "plant preparations"[MeSH Terms] OR "drugs, chinese herbal"[MeSH Terms] OR "medicine, chinese traditional"[MeSH Terms] OR "complementary medicine"[Title/Abstract] OR "alternative medicine"[Title/Abstract] OR "chinese medicine"[Title/Abstract] OR "pharmaceutical plant"[Title/Abstract] OR "medicinal plant"[Title/Abstract] OR "herb"[Title/Abstract] OR "nutraceutical"[Title/Abstract] OR "folk remedy"[Title/Abstract] OR "folk medicine"[Title/Abstract])

4524

20	#19	Most Recent	Randomized Controlled Trial	((("Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Lassitude"[Title/Abstract] OR "Fatigue"[Title/Abstract] OR ("Chronic"[All Fields] OR "chronical"[All Fields] OR "chronically"[All Fields] OR "chronicities"[All Fields] OR "chronicity"[All Fields] OR "chronicization"[All Fields] OR "chronics"[All Fields]) AND "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms]) OR ("fatiguability"[All Fields] OR "fatiguable"[All Fields] OR "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fatigue"[All Fields] OR "fatigued"[All Fields] OR "fatigues"[All Fields] OR "fatiguing"[All Fields] OR "fatigueability"[All Fields]) AND ("syndrom"[All Fields] OR "syndromal"[All Fields] OR "syndromally"[All Fields] OR "syndrome"[MeSH Terms] OR "syndrome"[All Fields] OR "syndromes"[All Fields] OR "syndrome s"[All Fields] OR "syndromic"[All Fields] OR "syndroms"[All Fields])) OR "chronic fatigue"[Title/Abstract] OR "fatigue syndrome"[MeSH Terms] OR ((("Chronic"[All Fields] OR "chronical"[All Fields] OR "chronically"[All Fields] OR "chronicities"[All Fields] OR "chronicity"[All Fields] OR "chronicization"[All Fields] OR "chronics"[All Fields]) AND "fatigue syndrome"[MeSH Terms]) OR (((("Chronic"[All Fields] OR "chronical"[All Fields] OR "chronically"[All Fields] OR "chronicities"[All Fields] OR "chronicity"[All Fields] OR "chronicization"[All Fields] OR "chronics"[All Fields]) AND ("fatiguability"[All Fields] OR "fatiguable"[All Fields] OR "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fatigue"[All Fields] OR "fatigued"[All Fields] OR "fatigues"[All Fields] OR "fatiguing"[All Fields] OR "fatigueability"[All Fields]) AND ("Fibromyalgia"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fibromyalgia"[All Fields] OR "fibromyalgias"[All Fields])) AND "syndrome"[MeSH Terms]) OR ((("fatiguability"[All Fields] OR "fatiguable"[All Fields] OR "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fatigue"[All Fields] OR "fatigued"[All Fields] OR "fatigues"[All Fields] OR "fatiguing"[All Fields] OR "fatigueability"[All Fields]) AND "disorder"[MeSH Terms]) OR ("Postviral"[All Fields] AND "fatigue syndrome"[MeSH Terms]) OR (((("Chronic"[All Fields] OR "chronical"[All Fields] OR "chronically"[All Fields] OR "chronicities"[All Fields] OR "chronicity"[All Fields] OR "chronicization"[All Fields] OR "chronics"[All Fields]) AND ("fatiguability"[All Fields] OR "fatiguable"[All Fields] OR "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fatigue"[All Fields] OR "fatigued"[All Fields] OR "fatigues"[All Fields] OR "fatiguing"[All Fields] OR "fatigueability"[All Fields]) AND ("immune system diseases"[MeSH Terms] OR ("Immune"[All Fields] AND "system"[All Fields] AND "diseases"[All Fields]) OR "immune system diseases"[All Fields] OR ("Immune"[All Fields] AND "Dysfunction"[All Fields]) OR "immune dysfunction"[All Fields])) AND "syndrome"[MeSH Terms]) OR "fatigue syndrome"[Title/Abstract] OR "chronic fatigue syndrome"[Title/Abstract] OR "chronic fatigue fibromyalgia syndrome"[Title/Abstract] OR "fatigue disorder"[Title/Abstract] OR "postviral fatigue syndrome"[Title/Abstract] OR "chronic fatigue and immune dysfunction syndrome"[Title/Abstract]) AND ("medicine, traditional"[MeSH Terms] OR "complementary therapies"[MeSH Terms] OR "phytotherapy"[MeSH Terms] OR "plant extracts"[MeSH Terms] OR "plants, medicinal"[MeSH Terms] OR "plant preparations"[MeSH Terms] OR "drugs, chinese herbal"[MeSH Terms] OR "medicine, chinese traditional"[MeSH Terms] OR "complementary medicine"[Title/Abstract] OR "alternative medicine"[Title/Abstract] OR "chinese medicine"[Title/Abstract] OR "pharmaceutical plant"[Title/Abstract] OR "medicinal plant"[Title/Abstract] OR "herb"[Title/Abstract] OR "nutraceutical"[Title/Abstract] OR "folk remedy"[Title/Abstract] OR "folk medicine"[Title/Abstract])) AND (randomized controlled trial[Filter])	1011
----	-----	-------------	-----------------------------	---	------

21	#19	Most Recent	Clinical Trial, Randomized Controlled Trial ("Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Lassitude"[Title/Abstract] OR "Fatigue"[Title/Abstract] OR ("Chronic"[All Fields] OR "chronical"[All Fields] OR "chronically"[All Fields] OR "chronicities"[All Fields] OR "chronicity"[All Fields] OR "chronicization"[All Fields] OR "chronics"[All Fields]) AND "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms]) OR ("fatiguability"[All Fields] OR "fatiguable"[All Fields] OR "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fatigue"[All Fields] OR "fatigued"[All Fields] OR "fatigues"[All Fields] OR "fatiguing"[All Fields] OR "fatigueability"[All Fields]) AND ("syndrom"[All Fields] OR "syndromal"[All Fields] OR "syndromally"[All Fields] OR "syndrome"[MeSH Terms] OR "syndrome"[All Fields] OR "syndromes"[All Fields] OR "syndrome s"[All Fields] OR "syndromic"[All Fields] OR "syndroms"[All Fields])) OR "chronic fatigue"[Title/Abstract] OR "fatigue syndrome*"[MeSH Terms] OR ("Chronic"[All Fields] OR "chronical"[All Fields] OR "chronically"[All Fields] OR "chronicities"[All Fields] OR "chronicity"[All Fields] OR "chronicization"[All Fields] OR "chronics"[All Fields]) AND "fatigue syndrome*"[MeSH Terms]) OR (((("Chronic"[All Fields] OR "chronical"[All Fields] OR "chronically"[All Fields] OR "chronicities"[All Fields] OR "chronicity"[All Fields] OR "chronicization"[All Fields] OR "chronics"[All Fields]) AND ("fatiguability"[All Fields] OR "fatiguable"[All Fields] OR "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fatigue"[All Fields] OR "fatigued"[All Fields] OR "fatigues"[All Fields] OR "fatiguing"[All Fields] OR "fatigueability"[All Fields]) AND ("Fibromyalgia"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fibromyalgia"[All Fields] OR "fibromyalgias"[All Fields])) AND "syndrome*"[MeSH Terms]) OR ((("fatiguability"[All Fields] OR "fatiguable"[All Fields] OR "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fatigue"[All Fields] OR "fatigued"[All Fields] OR "fatigues"[All Fields] OR "fatiguing"[All Fields] OR "fatigueability"[All Fields]) AND "disorder*"[MeSH Terms]) OR ("Postviral"[All Fields] AND "fatigue syndrome*"[MeSH Terms]) OR (((("Chronic"[All Fields] OR "chronical"[All Fields] OR "chronically"[All Fields] OR "chronicities"[All Fields] OR "chronicity"[All Fields] OR "chronicization"[All Fields] OR "chronics"[All Fields]) AND ("fatiguability"[All Fields] OR "fatiguable"[All Fields] OR "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fatigue"[All Fields] OR "fatigued"[All Fields] OR "fatigues"[All Fields] OR "fatiguing"[All Fields] OR "fatigueability"[All Fields]) AND ("immune system diseases"[MeSH Terms] OR ("Immune"[All Fields] AND "system"[All Fields] AND "diseases"[All Fields]) OR "immune system diseases"[All Fields] OR ("Immune"[All Fields] AND "Dysfunction"[All Fields]) OR "immune dysfunction"[All Fields])) AND "syndrome*"[MeSH Terms]) OR "fatigue syndrome*"[Title/Abstract] OR "chronic fatigue syndrome*"[Title/Abstract] OR "chronic fatigue fibromyalgia syndrome*"[Title/Abstract] OR "fatigue disorder*"[Title/Abstract] OR "postviral fatigue syndrome*"[Title/Abstract] OR "chronic fatigue and immune dysfunction syndrome*"[Title/Abstract]) AND ("medicine, traditional"[MeSH Terms] OR "complementary therapies"[MeSH Terms] OR "phytotherapy"[MeSH Terms] OR "plant extracts"[MeSH Terms] OR "plants, medicinal"[MeSH Terms] OR "plant preparations"[MeSH Terms] OR "drugs, chinese herbal"[MeSH Terms] OR "medicine, chinese traditional"[MeSH Terms] OR "complementary medicine*"[Title/Abstract] OR "alternative medicine*"[Title/Abstract] OR "chinese medicine*"[Title/Abstract] OR "pharmaceutical plant*"[Title/Abstract] OR "medicinal plant*"[Title/Abstract] OR "herb*"[Title/Abstract] OR "nutraceutical*"[Title/Abstract] OR "folk remed*"[Title/Abstract] OR "folk medicine*"[Title/Abstract])) AND (clinicaltrial[Filter] OR randomizedcontrolledtrial[Filter])	1214
----	-----	-------------	---	------

22	#19	Most Recent	Clinical Study, Clinical Trial, Randomized Controlled Trial ("Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Lassitude"[Title/Abstract] OR "Fatigue"[Title/Abstract] OR ("Chronic"[All Fields] OR "chronical"[All Fields] OR "chronically"[All Fields] OR "chronicities"[All Fields] OR "chronicity"[All Fields] OR "chronicization"[All Fields] OR "chronics"[All Fields]) AND "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms]) OR ("fatiguability"[All Fields] OR "fatiguable"[All Fields] OR "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fatigue"[All Fields] OR "fatigued"[All Fields] OR "fatigues"[All Fields] OR "fatiguing"[All Fields] OR "fatigueability"[All Fields]) AND ("syndrom"[All Fields] OR "syndromal"[All Fields] OR "syndromally"[All Fields] OR "syndrome"[MeSH Terms] OR "syndrome"[All Fields] OR "syndromes"[All Fields] OR "syndrome s"[All Fields] OR "syndromic"[All Fields] OR "syndroms"[All Fields])) OR "chronic fatigue"[Title/Abstract] OR "fatigue syndrome*"[MeSH Terms] OR ("Chronic"[All Fields] OR "chronical"[All Fields] OR "chronically"[All Fields] OR "chronicities"[All Fields] OR "chronicity"[All Fields] OR "chronicization"[All Fields] OR "chronics"[All Fields]) AND "fatigue syndrome*"[MeSH Terms]) OR (((("Chronic"[All Fields] OR "chronical"[All Fields] OR "chronically"[All Fields] OR "chronicities"[All Fields] OR "chronicity"[All Fields] OR "chronicization"[All Fields] OR "chronics"[All Fields]) AND ("fatiguability"[All Fields] OR "fatiguable"[All Fields] OR "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fatigue"[All Fields] OR "fatigued"[All Fields] OR "fatigues"[All Fields] OR "fatiguing"[All Fields] OR "fatigueability"[All Fields]) AND ("Fibromyalgia"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fibromyalgia"[All Fields] OR "fibromyalgias"[All Fields])) AND "syndrome*"[MeSH Terms]) OR ((("fatiguability"[All Fields] OR "fatiguable"[All Fields] OR "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fatigue"[All Fields] OR "fatigued"[All Fields] OR "fatigues"[All Fields] OR "fatiguing"[All Fields] OR "fatigueability"[All Fields]) AND "disorder*"[MeSH Terms]) OR ("Postviral"[All Fields] AND "fatigue syndrome*"[MeSH Terms]) OR (((("Chronic"[All Fields] OR "chronical"[All Fields] OR "chronically"[All Fields] OR "chronicities"[All Fields] OR "chronicity"[All Fields] OR "chronicization"[All Fields] OR "chronics"[All Fields]) AND ("fatiguability"[All Fields] OR "fatiguable"[All Fields] OR "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fatigue"[All Fields] OR "fatigued"[All Fields] OR "fatigues"[All Fields] OR "fatiguing"[All Fields] OR "fatigueability"[All Fields]) AND ("immune system diseases"[MeSH Terms] OR ("Immune"[All Fields] AND "system"[All Fields] AND "diseases"[All Fields]) OR "immune system diseases"[All Fields] OR ("Immune"[All Fields] AND "Dysfunction"[All Fields]) OR "immune dysfunction"[All Fields])) AND "syndrome*"[MeSH Terms]) OR "fatigue syndrome*"[Title/Abstract] OR "chronic fatigue syndrome*"[Title/Abstract] OR "chronic fatigue fibromyalgia syndrome*"[Title/Abstract] OR "fatigue disorder*"[Title/Abstract] OR "postviral fatigue syndrome*"[Title/Abstract] OR "chronic fatigue and immune dysfunction syndrome*"[Title/Abstract]) AND ("medicine, traditional"[MeSH Terms] OR "complementary therapies"[MeSH Terms] OR "phytotherapy"[MeSH Terms] OR "plant extracts"[MeSH Terms] OR "plants, medicinal"[MeSH Terms] OR "plant preparations"[MeSH Terms] OR "drugs, chinese herbal"[MeSH Terms] OR "medicine, chinese traditional"[MeSH Terms] OR "complementary medicine*"[Title/Abstract] OR "alternative medicine*"[Title/Abstract] OR "chinese medicine*"[Title/Abstract] OR "pharmaceutical plant*"[Title/Abstract] OR "medicinal plant*"[Title/Abstract] OR "herb*"[Title/Abstract] OR "nutraceutical*"[Title/Abstract] OR "folk remedy*"[Title/Abstract] OR "folk medicine*"[Title/Abstract])) AND (clinical study[Filter] OR clinical trial[Filter] OR randomized controlled trial[Filter])	1309
----	-----	-------------	---	------

23	#19 AND (clinical study[Filter] OR clinical trial[Filter] OR randomized controlled trial[Filter])	Most Recent	Clinical Study, Clinical Trial, Randomi zed Controlle d Trial	((("Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Lassitude"[Title/Abstract] OR "Fatigue"[Title/Abstract] OR ((("Chronic"[All Fields] OR "chronical"[All Fields] OR "chronically"[All Fields] OR "chronicities"[All Fields] OR "chronicity"[All Fields] OR "chronicization"[All Fields] OR "chronics"[All Fields]) AND "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms]) OR ((("fatiguability"[All Fields] OR "fatiguable"[All Fields] OR "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fatigue"[All Fields] OR "fatigued"[All Fields] OR "fatigues"[All Fields] OR "fatiguing"[All Fields] OR "fatigueability"[All Fields]) AND ("syndrom"[All Fields] OR "syndromal"[All Fields] OR "syndromally"[All Fields] OR "syndrome"[MeSH Terms] OR "syndrome"[All Fields] OR "syndromes"[All Fields] OR "syndrome s"[All Fields] OR "syndromic"[All Fields] OR "syndroms"[All Fields])) OR "chronic fatigue"[Title/Abstract] OR "fatigue syndrome"[MeSH Terms] OR ((("Chronic"[All Fields] OR "chronical"[All Fields] OR "chronically"[All Fields] OR "chronicities"[All Fields] OR "chronicity"[All Fields] OR "chronicization"[All Fields] OR "chronics"[All Fields]) AND "fatigue syndrome"[MeSH Terms]) OR (((("Chronic"[All Fields] OR "chronical"[All Fields] OR "chronically"[All Fields] OR "chronicities"[All Fields] OR "chronicity"[All Fields] OR "chronicization"[All Fields] OR "chronics"[All Fields]) AND ("fatiguability"[All Fields] OR "fatiguable"[All Fields] OR "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fatigue"[All Fields] OR "fatigued"[All Fields] OR "fatigues"[All Fields] OR "fatiguing"[All Fields] OR "fatigueability"[All Fields]) AND ("Fibromyalgia"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fibromyalgia"[All Fields] OR "fibromyalgias"[All Fields])) AND "syndrome"[MeSH Terms]) OR ((("fatiguability"[All Fields] OR "fatiguable"[All Fields] OR "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fatigue"[All Fields] OR "fatigued"[All Fields] OR "fatigues"[All Fields] OR "fatiguing"[All Fields] OR "fatigueability"[All Fields]) AND "disorder"[MeSH Terms]) OR ("Postviral"[All Fields] AND "fatigue syndrome"[MeSH Terms]) OR (((("Chronic"[All Fields] OR "chronical"[All Fields] OR "chronically"[All Fields] OR "chronicities"[All Fields] OR "chronicity"[All Fields] OR "chronicization"[All Fields] OR "chronics"[All Fields]) AND ("fatiguability"[All Fields] OR "fatiguable"[All Fields] OR "Fatigue"[MeSH Terms] OR "Fatigue"[All Fields] OR "fatigued"[All Fields] OR "fatigues"[All Fields] OR "fatiguing"[All Fields] OR "fatigueability"[All Fields]) AND ("immune system diseases"[MeSH Terms] OR ("Immune"[All Fields] AND "system"[All Fields] AND "diseases"[All Fields]) OR "immune system diseases"[All Fields] OR ("Immune"[All Fields] AND "Dysfunction"[All Fields]) OR "immune dysfunction"[All Fields])) AND "syndrome"[MeSH Terms]) OR "fatigue syndrome"[Title/Abstract] OR "chronic fatigue syndrome"[Title/Abstract] OR "chronic fatigue fibromyalgia syndrome"[Title/Abstract] OR "fatigue disorder"[Title/Abstract] OR "postviral fatigue syndrome"[Title/Abstract] OR "chronic fatigue and immune dysfunction syndrome"[Title/Abstract]) AND ("medicine, traditional"[MeSH Terms] OR "complementary therapies"[MeSH Terms] OR "phytotherapy"[MeSH Terms] OR "plant extracts"[MeSH Terms] OR "plants, medicinal"[MeSH Terms] OR "plant preparations"[MeSH Terms] OR "drugs, chinese herbal"[MeSH Terms] OR "medicine, chinese traditional"[MeSH Terms] OR "complementary medicine"[Title/Abstract] OR "alternative medicine"[Title/Abstract] OR "chinese medicine"[Title/Abstract] OR "pharmaceutical plant"[Title/Abstract] OR "medicinal plant"[Title/Abstract] OR "herb"[Title/Abstract] OR "nutraceutical"[Title/Abstract] OR "folk remed"[Title/Abstract] OR "folk medicine"[Title/Abstract]) AND ("clinical study"[Publication Type] OR "clinical trial"[Publication Type] OR "randomized controlled trial"[Publication Type])) AND (clinical study[Filter] OR clinical trial[Filter] OR randomized controlled trial[Filter])	1309
----	--	-------------	--	--	------

Supplementary Table.2 Web of Science (WOS)-Search history

#Number	Search queries	Database	Result	Running date
11	#9 AND #8 AND #7 and Article (Document Types)	Web of Science core collection	272	Sun Dec 25 2022 15:07:02 GMT+0800 (China Standard Time)
10	#9 AND #8 AND #7	Web of Science core collection	413	Sun Dec 25 2022 15:07:02 GMT+0800 (China Standard Time)
9	TS=("clinical trial*" OR "clinical stud*")	Web of Science core collection	654430	Sun Dec 25 2022 15:07:02 GMT+0800 (China Standard Time)
8	TS=("traditional medicine*" OR "complementary medicine*" OR "complementary therap*" OR "phytotherapy" OR "plant extract*" OR "herb*" OR "chinese medicine*" OR "alternative medicine*" OR "pharmaceutical plant*" OR "medicinal plant*" OR "nutraceutical*" OR "folk")	Web of Science core collection	478313	Sun Dec 25 2022 15:07:02 GMT+0800 (China Standard Time)
7	#6 OR #5	Web of Science core collection	302532	Sun Dec 25 2022 15:07:02 GMT+0800 (China Standard Time)
6	TS=("Fatigue Syndrome*" OR "Chronic Fatigue Syndrome*" OR "Chronic Fatigue Fibromyalgia Syndrome*" OR "Fatigue Disorder*" OR "Postviral Fatigue Syndrome*" OR "Chronic Fatigue and Immune Dysfunction Syndrome*")	Web of Science core collection	9838	Sun Dec 25 2022 15:07:02 GMT+0800 (China Standard Time)
5	#3 OR #4	Web of Science core collection	302532	Sun Dec 25 2022 15:07:02 GMT+0800 (China Standard Time)
4	TS=(chronic fatigue)	Web of Science core collection	24779	Sun Dec 25 2022 15:07:02 GMT+0800 (China Standard Time)
3	#2 OR #1	Web of Science core collection	302532	Sun Dec 25 2022 15:07:02 GMT+0800 (China Standard Time)
2	TS=(lassitude)	Web of Science core collection	327	Sun Dec 25 2022 15:07:02 GMT+0800 (China Standard Time)
1	TS=(fatigue)	Web of Science core collection	302279	Sun Dec 25 2022 15:07:02 GMT+0800 (China Standard Time)

Supplementary Table.3 Scopus-Search history

Number	Query	Results
13	(((TITLE-ABS-KEY (lassitude)) OR (TITLE-ABS-KEY (chronic AND fatigue)) OR (TITLE-ABS-KEY (chronic W/0 fatigue)) OR (TITLE-ABS-KEY ("chronic fatigue")) OR (TITLE-ABS-KEY ("Fatigue Syndrome*" OR "Chronic Fatigue Syndrome*" OR "Chronic Fatigue Fibromyalgia Syndrome*" OR "Fatigue Disorder*" OR "Postviral Fatigue Syndrome*" OR "Chronic Fatigue and Immune Dysfunction Syndrome*"))) OR (TITLE-ABS-KEY (fatigue))) AND (TITLE-ABS-KEY ("traditional medicine*" OR "complementary medicine*" OR "complementary therap*" OR "phytotherapy" OR "plant extract*" OR "herb*" OR "chinese medicine*" OR "alternative medicine*" OR "pharmaceutical plant*" OR "medicinal plant*" OR "nutraceutical*" OR "folk")) AND (TITLE-ABS-KEY ("clinical trial*" OR "clinical stud*")) AND (LIMIT-TO (DOCTYPE , "ar")) AND (LIMIT-TO (LANGUAGE , "English") OR LIMIT-TO (LANGUAGE , "Chinese"))	1733
12	(((TITLE-ABS-KEY (lassitude)) OR (TITLE-ABS-KEY (chronic AND fatigue)) OR (TITLE-ABS-KEY (chronic W/0 fatigue)) OR (TITLE-ABS-KEY ("chronic fatigue")) OR (TITLE-ABS-KEY ("Fatigue Syndrome*" OR "Chronic Fatigue Syndrome*" OR "Chronic Fatigue Fibromyalgia Syndrome*" OR "Fatigue Disorder*" OR "Postviral Fatigue Syndrome*" OR "Chronic Fatigue and Immune Dysfunction Syndrome*"))) OR (TITLE-ABS-KEY (fatigue))) AND (TITLE-ABS-KEY ("traditional medicine*" OR "complementary medicine*" OR "complementary therap*" OR "phytotherapy" OR "plant extract*" OR "herb*" OR "chinese medicine*" OR "alternative medicine*" OR "pharmaceutical plant*" OR "medicinal plant*" OR "nutraceutical*" OR "folk")) AND (TITLE-ABS-KEY ("clinical trial*" OR "clinical stud*")) AND (LIMIT-TO (DOCTYPE , "ar"))	1784
11	(((TITLE-ABS-KEY (lassitude)) OR (TITLE-ABS-KEY (chronic AND fatigue)) OR (TITLE-ABS-KEY (chronic W/0 fatigue)) OR (TITLE-ABS-KEY ("chronic fatigue")) OR (TITLE-ABS-KEY ("Fatigue Syndrome*" OR "Chronic Fatigue Syndrome*" OR "Chronic Fatigue Fibromyalgia Syndrome*" OR "Fatigue Disorder*" OR "Postviral Fatigue Syndrome*" OR "Chronic Fatigue and Immune Dysfunction Syndrome*"))) OR (TITLE-ABS-KEY (fatigue))) AND (TITLE-ABS-KEY ("traditional medicine*" OR "complementary medicine*" OR "complementary therap*" OR "phytotherapy" OR "plant extract*" OR "herb*" OR "chinese medicine*" OR "alternative medicine*" OR "pharmaceutical plant*" OR "medicinal plant*" OR "nutraceutical*" OR "folk")) AND (TITLE-ABS-KEY ("clinical trial*" OR "clinical stud*"))	2570

10	TITLE-ABS-KEY ("clinical trial*" OR "clinical stud*")	5141802
9	TITLE-ABS-KEY ("traditional medicine*" OR "complementary medicine*" OR "complementary therap*" OR "phytotherapy" OR "plant extract*" OR "herb*" OR "chinese medicine*" OR "alternative medicine*" OR "pharmaceutical plant*" OR "medicinal plant*" OR "nutraceutical*" OR "folk")	851841
8	((TITLE-ABS-KEY (lassitude)) OR (TITLE-ABS-KEY (chronic AND fatigue)) OR (TITLE-ABS-KEY (chronic W/0 fatigue)) OR (TITLE-ABS-KEY ("chronic fatigue")) OR (TITLE-ABS-KEY ("Fatigue Syndrome*" OR "Chronic Fatigue Syndrome*" OR "Chronic Fatigue Fibromyalgia Syndrome*" OR "Fatigue Disorder*" OR "Postviral Fatigue Syndrome*" OR "Chronic Fatigue and Immune Dysfunction Syndrome*"))) OR (TITLE-ABS-KEY (fatigue))	518102
7	(TITLE-ABS-KEY (lassitude)) OR (TITLE-ABS-KEY (chronic AND fatigue)) OR (TITLE-ABS-KEY (chronic W/0 fatigue)) OR (TITLE-ABS-KEY ("chronic fatigue")) OR (TITLE-ABS-KEY ("Fatigue Syndrome*" OR "Chronic Fatigue Syndrome*" OR "Chronic Fatigue Fibromyalgia Syndrome*" OR "Fatigue Disorder*" OR "Postviral Fatigue Syndrome*" OR "Chronic Fatigue and Immune Dysfunction Syndrome*"))	49244
6	TITLE-ABS-KEY ("Fatigue Syndrome*" OR "Chronic Fatigue Syndrome*" OR "Chronic Fatigue Fibromyalgia Syndrome*" OR "Fatigue Disorder*" OR "Postviral Fatigue Syndrome*" OR "Chronic Fatigue and Immune Dysfunction Syndrome*")	12886
5	TITLE-ABS-KEY ("chronic fatigue")	13672
4	TITLE-ABS-KEY (chronic W/0 fatigue)	13728
3	TITLE-ABS-KEY (chronic AND fatigue)	47687
2	TITLE-ABS-KEY (lassitude)	1248
1	TITLE-ABS-KEY (fatigue)	517143

Supplementary Table.4 Embase-Search history

Number	Query	Results
#26	#23 AND [humans]/lim AND [article]/lim AND [clinical study]/lim	1020
#25	#23 NOT #24	2003
#24	'massage':ti,ab,kw OR 'yoga':ti,ab,kw OR 'acupuncture':ti,ab,kw OR 'music':ti,ab,kw OR 'moxibustion':ti,ab,kw OR 'meditation':ti,ab,kw OR 'exercise':ti,ab,kw OR 'relaxation':ti,ab,kw OR 'aromatherapy':ti,ab,kw OR 'hypnosis':ti,ab,kw	662591
#23	#6 AND #12 NOT #20 AND ([chinese]/lim OR [english]/lim) AND [humans]/lim	2534
#22	#6 AND #12 NOT #20 AND ([chinese]/lim OR [english]/lim)	3094
#21	#6 AND #12 NOT #20	3243
#20	protocol:ti OR pilot:ti OR review:ti OR retrospective:ti OR observational:ti OR 'cross-sectional study':ti,ab,kw OR questionnaire:ti,ab,kw OR 'meta analysis':ti,ab,kw	2249842
#19	#6 AND #12 AND [article]/lim AND [humans]/lim AND [clinical study]/lim AND ([randomized controlled trial]/lim OR 'controlled clinical trial'/de) AND ([chinese]/lim OR [english]/lim)	559
#18	#6 AND #12 AND [article]/lim AND [humans]/lim AND [clinical study]/lim	1482
#17	#13 AND #14 AND ([chinese]/lim OR [english]/lim) AND [humans]/lim	732
#16	#13 AND #14 AND ([chinese]/lim OR [english]/lim)	756
#15	#13 AND #14	776

#14	clinical trial*:ti,ab,kw OR 'clinical stud*:ti,ab,kw	897220
#13	#6 AND #12	4472
#12	#10 OR #11	287601
#11	complementary medicine*:ti,ab,kw OR 'medicinal plant*:ti,ab,kw OR 'herb*:ti,ab,kw	209188
#10	#7 OR #8 OR #9	145857
#9	complementary therap*:ti,ab,kw OR 'nutraceutical*:ti,ab,kw OR 'folk*:ti,ab,kw	40500
#8	chinese medicine*:ti,ab,kw OR herb:ti,ab,kw OR 'phytotherapy*:ti,ab,kw OR 'plant extract*:ti,ab,kw	101049
#7	traditional medicine*:ti,ab,kw OR 'alternative medicine*:ti,ab,kw OR 'pharmaceutical plant*:ti,ab,kw	42252
#6	#1 OR #2 OR #3 OR #4 OR #5	346519
#5	chronic fatigue syndrome':ti,ab,kw OR 'postviral fatigue syndrome':ti,ab,kw OR ('chronic fatigue':ti,ab,kw AND 'immune dysfunction syndrome':ti,ab,kw)	8192
#4	chronic fatigue syndrome':ti,ab,kw	8113
#3	fatigue:ti,ab,kw OR lassitude:ti,ab,kw	194112
#2	lassitude	1244
#1	fatigue'/exp OR fatigue	346274

Supplementary Table.5 Cochrane-Search history

ID	Search	Hits
#14	#12 AND #13 in Trials	687
#13	#4 OR #5 OR #6 OR #7 OR #9 OR #10 OR #11	53425
#12	#1 OR #2 OR #3 OR #8	6366
#11	(chinese medicine*):ti,ab,kw OR (phytotherapy*):ti,ab,kw OR (plant extract*):ti,ab,kw	22773
#10	(complementary therap*):ti,ab,kw OR (nutraceutical*):ti,ab,kw OR (folk*):ti,ab,kw	6309
#9	(complementary medicine*):ti,ab,kw OR (medicinal plant*):ti,ab,kw OR (herb*):ti,ab,kw	16544
#8	(chronic fatigue syndrome*):ti,ab,kw OR (postviral fatigue syndrome*):ti,ab,kw OR ((chronic fatigue*):ti,ab,kw AND(immune dysfunction syndrome):ti,ab,kw)	2051
#7	MeSH descriptor: [Plant Extracts] explode all trees	8969
#6	MeSH descriptor: [Phytotherapy] explode all trees	4337
#5	MeSH descriptor: [Complementary Therapies] explode all trees	22366
#4	MeSH descriptor: [Medicine, Traditional] explode all trees	1654
#3	MeSH descriptor: [Fatigue Syndrome, Chronic] explode all trees	437
#2	Lassitude in Trials	161
#1	MeSH descriptor: [Fatigue] explode all trees	4378

Supplementary Table.6 Wanfang-Search history

序号	文献类型	检索式	检索结果
8	期刊	(主题:(中药 or 药物治疗法 or 植物中药 or 饮片 or 中药配方颗粒 or 草药) or 题名或关键词: (中药 or 药物治疗法 or 植物中药 or 饮片 or 中药配方颗粒 or 草药)) and (主题:(慢性疲劳综合征 or 肌痛性脑脊髓炎 or 肌痛性脑脊髓炎 or 慢性疲劳免疫功能紊乱综合征 or 病毒感染后疲劳综合征 or CFS) or 题名或关键词: (慢性疲劳综合征 or 疲劳 or 肌痛性脑脊髓炎 or 慢性疲劳免疫功能紊乱综合征 or 病毒感染后疲劳综合征 or CFS)) and (主题:(临床 or 实验 or 试验 or 疗效 or 观察) or 题名或关键词: ((临床 or 实验 or 试验 or 疗效 or 观察)))	620
7	期刊	主题:(慢性疲劳综合征 or 肌痛性脑脊髓炎 or 疲劳 or 慢性疲劳免疫功能紊乱综合征 or 病毒感染后疲劳综合征) or 题名或关键词:(慢性疲劳综合征 or 肌痛性脑脊髓炎 or 疲劳 or 慢性疲劳免疫功能紊乱综合征 or 病毒感染后疲劳综合征)	118391
6	期刊	(主题:(中药 or 药物治疗法 or 植物中药 or 饮片 or 中药配方颗粒 or 草药) or 题名或关键词: (中药 or 药物治疗法 or 植物中药 or 饮片 or 中药配方颗粒 or 草药)) and (主题:(慢性疲劳综合征 or 肌痛性脑脊髓炎 or 肌痛性脑脊髓炎 or 慢性疲劳免疫功能紊乱综合征 or 病毒感染后疲劳综合征 or CFS) or 题名或关键词: (慢性疲劳综合征 or 肌痛性脑脊髓炎 or 肌痛性脑脊髓炎 or 慢性疲劳免疫功能紊乱综合征 or 病毒感染后疲劳综合征 or CFS)) and (主题:(临床 or 实验 or 试验 or 疗效 or 观察) or 题名或关键词: ((临床 or 实验 or 试验 or 疗效 or 观察)))	148
5	期刊	(主题:(中药 or 药物治疗法 or 植物中药 or 饮片 or 中药配方颗粒 or 草药) or 题名或关键词: (中药 or 药物治疗法 or 植物中药 or 饮片 or 中药配方颗粒 or 草药)) and (主题:(慢性疲劳综合征 or 肌痛性脑脊髓炎 or 肌痛性脑脊髓炎 or 慢性疲劳免疫功能紊乱综合征 or 病毒感染后疲劳综合征 or CFS) or 题名或关键词: (慢性疲劳综合征 or 肌痛性脑脊髓炎 or 肌痛性脑脊髓炎 or 慢性疲劳免疫功能紊乱综合征 or 病毒感染后疲劳综合征 or CFS))	178
4	期刊	主题:(中药 or 药物治疗法 or 植物中药 or 饮片 or 中药配方颗粒 or 草药) or 题名或关键词: (中药 or 药物治疗法 or 植物中药 or 饮片 or 中药配方颗粒 or 草药)	465799
3	期刊	主题:(慢性疲劳综合征 or 肌痛性脑脊髓炎 or 肌痛性脑脊髓炎 or 慢性疲劳免疫功能紊乱综合征 or 病毒感染后疲劳综合征 or CFS) or 题名或关键词: (慢性疲劳综合征 or 肌痛性脑脊髓炎 or 肌痛性脑脊髓炎 or 慢性疲劳免疫功能紊乱综合征 or 病毒感染后疲劳综合征 or CFS)	4904
2	期刊	主题:(慢性疲劳综合征 or 肌痛性脑脊髓炎 or 肌痛性脑脊髓炎 or 慢性疲劳免疫功能紊乱综合征 or 病毒感染后疲劳综合征) or 题名或关键词: (慢性疲劳综合征 or 肌痛性脑脊髓炎 or 肌痛性脑脊髓炎 or 慢性疲劳免疫功能紊乱综合征 or 病毒感染后疲劳综合征 or CFS)	2476
1	期刊	主题:(临床 or 实验 or 试验 or 疗效 or 观察) or 题名或关键词: ((临床 or 实验 or 试验 or 疗效 or 观察))	10428108

Supplementary Table.7 CNKI-Search history

序号	检索式	检索范围	数量
10	(主题=临床 + 实验 + 试验 + 疗效 + 观察) AND (主题=中药 + 药物治疗法 + 植物中药 + 饮片 + 中药配方颗粒 + 草药) AND (主题=疲劳 + 慢性疲劳综合征 + 肌痛性脑脊髓炎+ 慢性疲劳免疫功能紊乱综合征 + 病毒感染后疲劳综合征)	資源範圍:學術期刊; 同義詞擴展; 更新時間:不限; 來源類別:全部期刊	529
9	(篇關摘=临床 + 实验 + 试验 + 疗效 + 观察) AND (篇關摘=中药 + 药物治疗法 + 植物中药 + 饮片 + 中药配方颗粒 + 草药) AND (篇關摘=慢性疲劳综合征 + 肌痛性脑脊髓炎+ 慢性疲劳免疫功能紊乱综合征 + 病毒感染后疲劳综合征 + CFS)	資源範圍:學術期刊; 同義詞擴展; 更新時間:不限; 來源類別:全部期刊	184
8	(篇關摘=临床 + 实验 + 试验 + 疗效 + 观察) AND (篇關摘=中药 + 药物治疗法 + 植物中药 + 饮片 + 中药配方颗粒 + 草药) AND (篇關摘=慢性疲劳综合征 + 肌痛性脑脊髓炎+ 慢性疲劳免疫功能紊乱综合征 + 病毒感染后疲劳综合征)	資源範圍:學術期刊; 同義詞擴展; 更新時間:不限; 來源類別:全部期刊	147
7	(主题=临床 + 实验 + 试验 + 疗效 + 观察) AND (主题=中药 + 药物治疗法 + 植物中药 + 饮片 + 中药配方颗粒 + 草药) AND (主题=慢性疲劳综合征 + 肌痛性脑脊髓炎+ 慢性疲劳免疫功能紊乱综合征 + 病毒感染后疲劳综合征)	資源範圍:學術期刊; 同義詞擴展; 更新時間:不限; 來源類別:全部期刊	93
6	(主题=临床 + 实验 + 试验 + 疗效 + 观察) AND (主题=中药 + 药物治疗法 + 植物中药 + 饮片 + 中药配方颗粒 + 草药) AND (主题=慢性疲劳综合征 + 肌痛性脑脊髓炎+ 慢性疲劳免疫功能紊乱综合征 + 病毒感染后疲劳综合征)	資源範圍:學術期刊; 中英文擴展; 更新時間:不限; 來源類別:全部期刊	89
5	(主题=临床 + 实验 + 试验 + 疗效)	資源範圍:學術期刊; 中英文擴展; 更新時間:不限; 來源類別:全部期刊	8,326,813
4	(主题=临床 + 实验 + 试验)	資源範圍:學術期刊; 中英文擴展; 更新時間:不限; 來源類別:全部期刊	7,851,124
3	(主题=中药 + 药物治疗法 + 植物中药 + 饮片 + 中药配方颗粒 + 草药)	資源範圍:學術期刊; 中英文擴展; 更新時間:不限; 來源類別:全部期刊	361,343
2	(主题=慢性疲劳综合征 + 肌痛性脑脊髓炎+ 慢性疲劳免疫功能紊乱综合征 + 病毒感染后疲劳综合征)	資源範圍:學術期刊; 中英文擴展; 更新時間:不限; 來源類別:全部期刊	1,829
1	(主题=疲劳)	資源範圍:學術期刊; 中英文擴展; 更新時間:不限; 來源類別:全部期刊	104,015