**Appendix 1 – Grey Literature and MEDLINE Search Strategies**

**Table A1.** Grey literature sources searched including websites, general databases, and theses databases.

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| **Grey Literature Sources** |
| **Geriatric Care and Mental Health websites:**  | * Alzheimer’s Association
* Alzheimer’s Disease International
* Alzheimer Europe
* Alzheimer Society of Canada
* Canadian Coalition for Seniors’ Mental Health
* Canadian Geriatrics Society
* Canadian Medical Association
* Canadian Mental Health Association
 | * Centre for Addiction and Mental Health
* Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
* Dementia Alliance International
* Dementia Australia
* Mental Health America
* Mental Health Australia
* Mental Health Foundation (UK)
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| **General Databases (first 200 results):** | * Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality
* Google Scholar
* Government of Canada Publications
* Turning Research into Practice Database
* World Health Organization
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| **Theses Databases****(first 200 results):** | * Center for Research Libraries - Foreign Dissertations
* DART-Europe E-theses Portal
* E-Theses Online Service (eThOS)
* Open Access Theses and Dissertations
* Theses Canada
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**Table A2.** MEDLINE Search Strategy**;** Ovid MEDLINE(R) and Epub Ahead of Print, In-Process & Other Non-Indexed Citations and Daily 1946 to October 30, 2019.

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| **#** | **Searches** |
| **1** | "nursing home\*".tw,kf. |
| **2** | "assisted living\*".tw,kf. |
| **3** | exp nursing homes/ |
| **4** | exp long term care/ |
| **5** | exp intermediate care facility/ |
| **6** | exp homes for the aged/ |
| **7** | exp health services for the aged/ |
| **8** | exp assisted living facilities/ |
| **9** | Residential Facilities/ |
| **10** | extended care.tw,kf. |
| **11** | ((elder\* or senior\*) adj4 (housing or residen\* or home\* or facilit\*)).tw,kf. |
| **12** | long term care.tw,kf. |
| **13** | long-term care.tw,kf. |
| **14** | 1 or 2 or 3 or 4 or 5 or 6 or 7 or 8 or 9 or 10 or 11 or 12 or 13 |
| **15** | anxiet\*.tw,kf. |
| **16** | anxious.tw,kf. |
| **17** | exp anxiety disorders/ |
| **18** | exp anxiety/ |
| **19** | neurotic.tw,kf. |
| **20** | neuros?s.tw,kf. |
| **21** | exp neurotic disorders/ |
| **22** | 15 or 16 or 17 or 18 or 19 or 20 or 21 |
| **23** | 14 and 22 |