

**Table S1. PICO table with keywords and search strings from data basis:**

P	I	C	O	S
"Hepatitis C"[Mesh]	"Antiviral Agents"[Mesh]		"Cryoglobulinemia"[Mesh]	
Parenterally-Transmitted Non-A, Non-B Hepatitis	Agents, Antiviral		Cryoglobulinemia	
	Antivirals		Cryoglobulinemias	
	Antiviral			
Parenterally Transmitted Non A, Non B Hepatitis	Antiviral Drugs			
PT-NANBH	Antiviral Drug			
Hepatitis, Viral, Non-A, Non-B, Parenterally-Transmitted	Antiviral Agent			
Hepatitis C				

**PubMed search string:**

((((((("Antiviral Agents"[Mesh]) OR (Agents, Antiviral)) OR (Antivirals)) OR (Antiviral)) OR (Antiviral Drugs)) OR (Antiviral Drug)) OR (Antiviral Agent)) AND (((("Cryoglobulinemia"[Mesh]) OR (Cryoglobulinemias)) OR (Cryoglobulinemia)) AND (((((((("Hepatitis C"[Mesh]) OR (Parenterally-Transmitted Non-A, Non-B Hepatitis)) OR (Parenterally Transmitted Non A, Non B Hepatitis)) OR (PT-NANBH)) OR (Hepatitis, Viral, Non-A, Non-B, Parenterally-Transmitted)) OR (Hepatitis C))))

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**Embase search string:**

('hepatitis c'/exp OR 'hepatitis c' OR 'hepatitis c virus infection' OR 'parenterally transmitted non a non b hepatitis') AND ('antivirus agent'/exp OR 'agent, virucidal' OR 'anti viral agent' OR 'antiviral' OR 'antiviral agent' OR 'antiviral agents' OR 'antiviral drug' OR 'antiviral substance' OR 'antivirals' OR 'antivirus agent' OR 'viral inhibitor' OR 'virostatic agent' OR 'virucidal agent' OR 'virucide' OR 'virucide agent' OR 'virus repressor' OR 'virustatic' OR 'virustatic agent') AND ('cryoglobulinemia'/exp OR 'cryoglobulinaemia' OR 'cryoglobulinemia' OR 'cryoimmunoglobulinaemia' OR 'cryoimmunoglobulinemia' OR 'mixed cryoglobulinemia') AND

('clinical study'/exp OR 'clinical data' OR 'clinical studies as topic' OR 'clinical study' OR 'medical trial')

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**WOS search:**

With keywords mentioned above=263

**Cochrane search:**

With keywords mentioned above: 20

**Clinicaltrials.gov search:**

Hepatitis C + Cryoglobulinemia=12