Comparing test searches in PubMed and Google Scholar

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Table 5
Search retrieval examples

Iron stores (search #1 in Appendix)
Search #1 aimed to retrieve articles about the treatment of iron deficiency with dietary supplements. Non-relevant results from Google Scholar included these articles about iron stores.


Ammonia (search #9 in Appendix)
Search #9 was designed to retrieve articles about ammonia authored by Visek. PubMed retrieved these articles even though the term "ammonia" did not appear in the citation.