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Search Translation Worksheet – Subject Headings

When conducting a knowledge synthesis project, it's essential to capture all relevant studies across multiple databases. However, different databases use different subject headings to describe the same concepts. This worksheet will help you keep track of the subject headings you use, identify equivalent terms in other databases, and ensure comprehensive search coverage. Use it to record subject headings, map them across databases, and refine your search strategy for a more thorough and reproducible synthesis.

MEDLINE (MeSH)	Embase (EMTREE)	PsycInfo (Psychological Index Terms)	CINAHL (CINAHL Subject Headings)