

**Exercise #3**  
**Connect Concepts and Truncate Terms**  
**(Print this page and complete)**

**Example**

**Search Topic**

I need current peer review articles on patient education and adults with diabetes

- **Using *and/or/not*, write in the appropriate connector (Boolean operator) between each major concept**

patient education\_\_\_\_\_adults\_\_\_\_\_diabetes

- **List those term(s) that you would truncate below. Use truncation symbol (\*)**
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**Example**

**Search Topic**

I need current articles in peer reviewed journals on recent trends in midwifery nursing, but not in Great Britain

- **Using *and/or/not*, write in the appropriate connector (Boolean operator) between each major concept**

trends\_\_\_\_\_midwifery nursing\_\_\_\_\_Great Britain

- **List those term(s) you would truncate below. Use truncation symbol (\*)**
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**Example**

**Search Topic**

I need current articles in peer reviewed journals on nursing care of the patient with failure of the renal or kidney system

- **Using *and/or/not*, write in the appropriate connector (Boolean operator) between each major concept**

nursing care\_\_\_\_\_renal\_\_\_\_\_kidney \_\_\_\_\_failure

- **List the term(s) you would truncate below. Use truncation symbol (\*)**
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**Please go to the library course guide and look at the Answers for Exercise #3**