

REVIEW OF THE USE OF MICROWAVE THERAPY FOR THE TREATMENT OF PATIENTS WITH CANCER

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In order to ensure all relevant information was retrieved, all papers previously published by Dr John Holt were reviewed, irrespective of whether or not they had met the criteria for inclusion in the formal systematic literature review. Therefore, although these publications may appear below with their reason for exclusion from the systematic review, the content of each has been briefly summarised and is presented in Appendix 15 to the main report.

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