

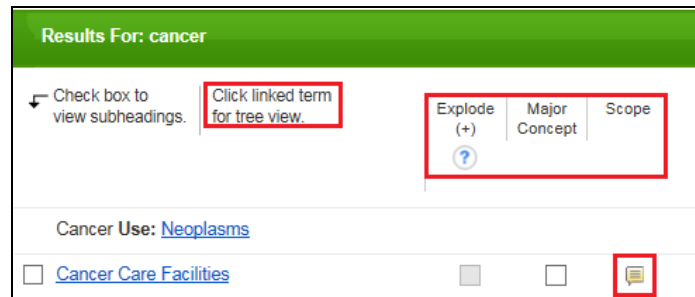
**Objective:** This guide will show you how to use the subject headings in CINAHL. For further information please view the list of additional guides on our website (link).

**Directions:**

1. Click **CINAHL Headings** at the top of the page and search for your term.

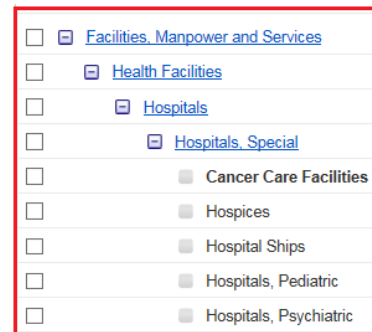
a. View **Scope Note** to learn what the term's meaning & definition is.

b. Click **Explode** to broaden your results.



c. Click on the **linked term** i.e. Cancer Care Facilities to view the **Tree hierarchy view**.

**Tree View**



2. Select subheadings ( or none )

a. Select individual subheadings

b. Include all subheadings

3. Search Query in CINAHL. Every article and abstract with the selected subheadings and terms assigned will appear in your results.

