Connecting Concepts and Truncating Terms

Example 1
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 (*)

Example 2
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 (*)

Example 3
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 (*)