Appendix 1: Complete search terms and databases

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(Poisoning [mesh] or poison* [tiab] or ingest* [tiab] or toxic* [tiab] or intoxicat* [tiab])
AND
(Infant, newborn [mesh] or newborn* [tiab] or Infant* [tiab] or infant [mesh] or child, preschool [mesh] or preschool [tiab] or child [mesh] or child* [tiab] or adolescent [mesh] or adolescen* [tiab] or pediatric* [tiab] or pediatrics [mesh] or paediatric* [tiab] or minor* [tiab] or toddler* [tiab] or kid [tiab] or youth* [tiab] or boy [tiab] or girl [tiab] or schoolchild* [tiab] or preschool* [tiab])
AND
(Prescription drugs [mesh] or nonprescription drugs [mesh] or controlled substances [mesh] or pharmaceutical preparations [mesh] or medication* or medicine* or pharmaceutical* or drug* or prescription* or Interven* or prevent* or accident prevention [mesh] or primary prevention [mesh] or secondary prevention [mesh] or tertiary prevention [mesh] or reduc* or risk reduction behavior [mesh] or harm reduction [mesh] or educat* or education [mesh] or counsel* or counseling [mesh] or supervis* or parenting or parenting [mesh] or train* or teach* or teaching [mesh] or safety or safety [mesh] or packag* or drug packaging [mesh] or label* or drug labeling [mesh] or storage or drug storage [mesh] or childproof or "child resistant" or child restraint systems [mesh] or "poison control" or treatment or management**)**
AND
(Afghanistan or Afghanistan [mesh] or Algeria or Algeria [mesh] or Angola or Angola [mesh] or Armenia or Armenia [mesh] or Azerbaijan or Azerbaijan [mesh] or Bangladesh or Bangladesh [mesh] or Belarus or Belarus [mesh] or Belize or Belize [mesh] or Benin or Benin [mesh] or Bhutan or Bhutan [mesh] or Bolivia or Bolivia [mesh] or Bosnia or Herzegovina or Bosnia and Herzegovina [mesh] Brazil or Brazil [mesh] or Bulgaria or Bulgaria [mesh] or Burkina Faso or Burkina Faso [mesh] or Burundi or Burundi [mesh] or Cabo Verde or Cabo Verde [mesh] or Cambodia or Cambodia [mesh] or Cameroon or Cameroon [mesh] or Central African Republic or Central African Republic [mesh] or Chad or Chad [mesh] or China or China [mesh] or Colombia or Colombia [mesh] or Comoros or Comoros [mesh] or Congo or Congo [mesh] or Cote Ivoire or Cote D'ivoire [mesh] or Djibouti or Djibouti [mesh] or Egypt or Egypt [mesh] or El Salvador or El Salvador [mesh] or Guinea or Guinea [mesh] or Eritrea Or Eritrea [mesh] or ESwatini or Eswatini [mesh] or Ethiopia or Ethiopia [mesh] or Fiji or Fiji [mesh] or Gambia or Gambia [mesh] or Georgia or Georgia (Republic) [mesh] or Ghana or Ghana [mesh] or Guatemala or Guatemala [mesh] or Guyana or Guyana [mesh] or Haiti or Haiti [mesh] or Honduras or Honduras [mesh] or India or India [mesh] or Indonesia or Indonesia [mesh] or Iran or Iran [mesh] or Iraq or Iraq [mesh] or Jamaica or Jamaica [mesh] or Jordan or Jordan [mesh] or Kazakhstan or Kazakhstan [mesh] or Kenya or Kenya [mesh] or Kiribati or Kiribati [mesh] or Kosovo or Kosovo [mesh] or Kyrgyzstan or Kyrgyzstan [mesh] or Laos or Lao or Laos [mesh] or Lesotho or Lesotho [mesh] or Liberia or Liberia [mesh] or Madagascar or Madagascar [mesh] or Malawi or Malawi [mesh] or Mali or Mali [mesh] or Marshall Islands or Mauritania or Mauritania [mesh] or Micronesia or Micronesia [mesh] or Moldova or Moldova [mesh] or Mongolia or Mongolia [mesh] or Morocco or Morocco [mesh] or Mozambique or Mozambique [mesh] or Myanmar or Myanmar [mesh] or Namibia or Namibia [mesh] or Nepal or Nepal [mesh] or Nicaragua or Nicaragua [mesh] or Niger or Niger [mesh] or Nigeria or Nigeria [mesh] or North Macedonia or Republic of North Macedonia [mesh] or Pakistan or Pakistan [mesh] or Philippines or Philippines [mesh] or Romania or Romania [mesh] or Russia or Russia [mesh] or Rwanda or Rwanda [mesh] or Samoa or Samoa [mesh] or Sao Tome or Sao Tome and Principe [mesh] Senegal or Senegal [mesh] or Sierra Leone OR Sierra Leone [mesh] or Solomon Islands or Melanesia [mesh] pr Somalia or Somalia [mesh] or Sudan or Sudan [mesh] or Sri Lanka or Sri Lanka [mesh] or Syria or Syria [mesh] or Tajikistan or Tajikistan [mesh] or Tanzania or Tanzania [mesh] or Thailand or Thailand [mesh] or Timor-Leste or Togo or Togo [mesh] or Tunisia or Tunisia [mesh] or Turkey or Turkey [mesh] or Turkmenistan or Turkmenistan [mesh] or Uganda or Uganda [mesh] or Ukraine or Ukraine [mesh] or Uzbekistan or Uzbekistan [mesh] or Vanuatu or Vanuatu [mesh] or Vietnam or Vietnam [mesh] or West Bank or Gaza or Middle East [mesh] or Yemen or Yemen [mesh] or Zambia or Zambia [mesh] or Zimbabwe or Zimbabwe [mesh] or Developing countries [mesh] or Developing countr* or Low income countr* or middle income countr* or "low-middle income countr*" or LMIC or "third world" or "resource poor" or "low resource" or "under resourced" or underdevelop*)

Scopus

Search W/In ArticleTitle, Abstract, Keywords: poison* OR ingest* OR toxic* OR intoxicat*

AND

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AND

Search W/In All Fields: Afghanistan OR Algeria OR Angola OR Armenia OR Azerbaijan OR Bangladesh OR Belarus OR Belize OR Benin OR Bhutan OR Bolivia OR Bosnia OR Herzegovina OR Bosnia AND Herzegovina OR Brazil OR Bulgaria OR "Burkina Faso" OR Burundi OR "Cabo Verde" OR Cambodia OR Cameroon OR "Central African Republic" OR Chad OR China OR Colombia OR Comoros OR Congo OR "Cote D'ivoire" OR Djibouti OR Egypt OR "El Salvador" OR Guinea OR Eritrea OR ESwatini OR Ethiopia OR Fiji OR Gambia OR Georgia OR Ghana OR Guatemala OR Guyana OR Haiti OR Honduras OR India OR Indonesia OR Iran OR Iraq OR Jamaica OR Jordan OR Kazakhstan OR Kenya OR Kiribati OR Kosovo OR Kyrgyzstan OR Laos OR Lesotho OR Liberia OR Madagascar OR Malawi OR Mali OR "Marshall Islands" OR Mauritania OR Micronesia OR Moldova OR Mongolia OR Morocco OR Mozambique OR Myanmar OR Namibia OR Nepal OR Nicaragua OR Niger OR Nigeria OR "North Macedonia" OR "Republic of North Macedonia" OR Pakistan OR Philippines OR Romania OR Russia OR Rwanda OR Samoa OR Sao Tome OR Senegal OR Sierra Leone OR "Solomon Islands" OR Melanesia OR Somalia OR Sudan OR “Sri Lanka” OR Syria OR Tajikistan OR Tanzania OR Thailand OR Timor-Leste OR Togo OR Tunisia OR Turkey OR Turkmenistan OR Uganda OR Ukraine OR Uzbekistan OR Vanuatu OR Vietnam OR "West Bank" OR Gaza OR "Middle East" OR Yemen OR Zambia OR Zimbabwe OR "Developing countries" OR "Developing countr*" OR "Low income countr*" OR "middle income countr*" OR "low-middle income countr*" OR LMIC OR "third world" OR "resource poor" OR "low resource" OR "under resourced" OR underdevelop*

Web of Science

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CINAHL

((MH Poisoning+) OR (TI poison* OR AB poison*) OR (TI ingest* OR AB ingest*) OR (TI toxic* OR AB toxic*) OR (TI intoxicat* OR AB intoxicat*))

AND

((MH "Infant, newborn+") OR (TI newborn* OR AB newborn*) OR (TI Infant* OR AB Infant*) OR (MH infant+) OR (MH "child, preschool+") OR (TI preschool OR AB preschool) OR (MH child+) OR (TI child* OR AB child*) OR (MH adolescent+) OR (TI adolescen* OR AB adolescen*) OR (TI pediatric* OR AB pediatric*) OR (MH pediatrics+) OR (TI paediatric* OR AB paediatric*) OR (TI minor* OR AB minor*) OR (TI toddler* OR AB toddler*) OR (TI kid OR AB kid) OR (TI youth* OR AB youth*) OR (TI boy OR AB boy) OR (TI girl OR AB girl) OR (TI schoolchild* OR AB schoolchild*) OR (TI preschool* OR AB preschool*))

AND

((MH "Prescription drugs+") OR (MH "nonprescription drugs+") OR (MH "controlled substances+") OR (MH "pharmaceutical preparations+") OR medication* OR medicine* OR pharmaceutical* OR drug* OR prescription* OR Interven* OR prevent* OR (MH "accident prevention+") OR (MH "primary prevention+") OR (MH "secondary prevention+") OR (MH "tertiary prevention+") OR reduc* OR (MH "risk reduction behavior+") OR (MH "harm reduction+") OR educat* OR (MH education+) OR counsel* OR (MH counseling+) OR supervis* OR parenting OR (MH parenting+) OR train* OR teach* OR (MH teaching+) OR safety OR (MH safety+) OR packag* OR (MH "drug packaging+") OR label* OR (MH "drug labeling+") OR storage OR (MH "drug storage+") OR childproof OR "child resistant" OR (MH "child restraint systems+") OR "poison control" OR treatment OR management)

AND

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EMBASE

(Poisoning/exp OR poison*:ti,ab OR ingest*:ti,ab OR toxic*:ti,ab OR intoxicat*:ti,ab)
AND
(newborn*:ti,ab OR Infant*:ti,ab OR infant/exp OR preschool:ti,ab OR child/exp OR child*:ti,ab OR adolescent/exp OR adolescen*:ti,ab OR pediatric*:ti,ab OR pediatrics/exp OR paediatric*:ti,ab OR minor*:ti,ab OR toddler*:ti,ab OR kid:ti,ab OR youth*:ti,ab OR boy:ti,ab OR girl:ti,ab OR schoolchild*:ti,ab OR preschool*:ti,ab)
AND
("Prescription drugs"/exp OR "nonprescription drugs"/exp OR "controlled substances"/exp OR "pharmaceutical preparations"/exp OR "accident prevention"/exp OR "primary prevention"/exp OR "secondary prevention"/exp OR "tertiary prevention"/exp OR "risk reduction behavior"/exp OR "harm reduction"/exp OR education/exp OR counseling/exp OR parenting/exp OR "drug packaging"/exp OR teaching/exp OR safety/exp OR "drug labeling"/exp OR "drug storage"/exp OR medication* OR medicine* OR pharmaceutical* OR drug* OR prescription* OR Interven* OR prevent* OR reduc* OR educat* OR counsel* OR supervis* OR parenting OR train* OR teach* OR safety OR packag* OR label* OR storage OR childproof OR "child resistant" OR "poison control" OR treatment OR management)
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PsycInfo

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Global Index Medicus

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Appendix 2: Critical appraisal of studies

Quasi-Experimental Critical Appraisal Checklist

	Foulds 2021	Justin 2014	Mandiracioglu 2003	Mohamad 2018	Das 2020	Wafik 2014
Is it clear in the study what is the 'cause' and what is the 'effect'?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Were the participants included in any comparisons similar?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Were the participants included in any comparisons receiving similar treatment/care, other than the exposure or intervention of interest?	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Was there a control group?	No	No	No	No	No	No
Were there multiple measurements of the outcome both pre and post the intervention/exposure?	No	Yes	No	No	No	Yes
Was follow up complete and if not, were differences between groups in terms of their follow up adequately described and analyzed?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Were the outcomes of participants included in any comparisons measured in the same way?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Were outcomes measured in a reliable way?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Was appropriate statistical analysis used?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Score	6	7	6	6	6	7

Randomized Controlled Trial Critical Appraisal Checklist

	Rehmani 2010
Was true randomization used for assignment of participants to treatment groups?	Yes
Was allocation to treatment groups concealed?	Yes
Were treatment groups similar at the baseline?	Yes
Were participants blind to treatment assignment?	No
Were those delivering treatment blind to treatment assignment?	No
Were outcomes assessors blind to treatment assignment?	Unclear
Were treatment groups treated identically other than the intervention of interest?	No
Was follow up complete and if not, were differences between groups in terms of their follow up adequately described and analyzed?	Yes
Were participants analyzed in the groups to which they were randomized?	Yes
Were outcomes measured in the same way for treatment groups?	Yes
Were outcomes measured in a reliable way?	Yes
Was appropriate statistical analysis used?	Yes
Was the trial design appropriate, and any deviations from the standard RCT design (individual randomization, parallel groups) accounted for in the conduct and analysis of the trial?	Yes
Score	9

Case Series Critical Appraisal Checklist

	Bek 2008	Eddleston 2007	Musumba 2004	Ozdemir 2011	Singhi 2003
Were there clear criteria for inclusion in the case series?	Yes	Yes	Unclear	Yes	Yes
Was the condition measured in a standard, reliable way for all participants included in the case series?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Were valid methods used for identification of the condition for all participants included in the case series?	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No
Did the case series have consecutive inclusion of participants?	Yes	Yes	Unclear	Yes	Yes
Did the case series have complete inclusion of participants?	Yes	Yes	Unclear	Yes	Yes
Was there clear reporting of the demographics of the participants in the study?	Yes	No	No	No	Yes
Was there clear reporting of clinical information of the participants?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Were the outcomes or follow up results of cases clearly reported?	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Was there clear reporting of the presenting site(s)/clinic(s) demographic information?	No	No	No	No	No
Was statistical analysis appropriate?	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Score	7	7	4	6	5

Case-Control Critical Appraisal Checklist*

	Ahmed 2011a	Ahmed 2011b	Chatsantiprapa 2001	Dayasiri 2017	Haidar 2020	Ramos 2010	Soori 2001
Were the groups comparable other than the presence of disease in cases or the absence of disease in controls?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Were cases and controls matched appropriately?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Were the same criteria used for identification of cases and controls?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Was exposure measured in a standard, valid and reliable way?	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	No
Was exposure measured in the same way for cases and controls?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Were confounding factors identified?	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Were strategies to deal with confounding factors stated?	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Were outcomes assessed in a standard, valid and reliable way for cases and controls?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Was the exposure period of interest long enough to be meaningful?	Unclear	Unclear	Unclear	Unclear	Unclear	Unclear	Unclear
Was appropriate statistical analysis used?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Score	8	8	6	9	8	8	6

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Descriptive Cross-Sectional Critical Appraisal Checklist*

Author, Year	Was the sample frame appropriate to address the target population?	Were study participants sampled in an appropriate way?	Was the sample size adequate?	Were the study subjects and the setting described in detail?	Was the data analysis conducted with sufficient coverage of the identified sample?	Were valid methods used for the identification of the condition?	Was the condition measured in a standard, reliable way for all participants?	Was appropriate statistical analysis used?	Was the response rate adequate?	Score
Adejuyigbe 2002	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Aggarwal 2014	No	No	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	4
Ahmed 2020	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Andiran 2004	No	Yes	Yes	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Ansong 2016	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Arslan 2007	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	7
Azab 2016	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	8
Aziz 2016	No	Yes	No	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	4
Bacha 2015	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Bandyopadh-yay 2017	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Bazmamoun 2014	No	Yes	N/A	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Benabdellah 2020	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Boyle 2020	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Brata 2013	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Budhathoki 2009	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Dayachand 2015	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Dayasiri 2020	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	8
Dayasiri 2018a	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	7
Dayasiri 2018b	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	8

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Author	Was the sample frame appropriate to address the target population?	Were study participants sampled in an appropriate way?	Was the sample size adequate?	Were the study subjects and the setting described in detail?	Was the data analysis conducted with sufficient coverage of the identified sample?	Were valid methods used for the identification of the condition?	Was the condition measured in a standard, reliable way for all participants?	Was appropriate statistical analysis used?	Was the response rate adequate?	Score
Dhakal 2014	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Diallo 2021	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	7
Edelu 2016	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
El-Tal 2006	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Elcioglu 2004	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Erkal 2006	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Farag 2021	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	8
Gheshlaghi 2013	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	7
Gholami 2022	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	8
Gupta 2003	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	7
Hamid 2005	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	7
Hyder 2009	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Elshoura 2016	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Ikhile 2019	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Imoudu 2018	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Isaac 2022	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Jayachandran 2016	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Jayakrishnan 2021	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Jayashree 2011	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Jose 2012	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5

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Author	Was the sample frame appropriate to address the target population?	Were study participants sampled in an appropriate way?	Was the sample size adequate?	Were the study subjects and the setting described in detail?	Was the data analysis conducted with sufficient coverage of the identified sample?	Were valid methods used for the identification of the condition?	Was the condition measured in a standard, reliable way for all participants?	Was appropriate statistical analysis used?	Was the response rate adequate?	Score
Dayasiri 2017	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Khajeh 2012	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Khan 2016	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Kohli 2008	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Kumar 2013	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Kurtoglu 2000	No	No	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	4
Limjindaporn 2010	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Lucas 2006	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	7
Maior 2020	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	8
Malangu 2014	No	Unclear	No	No	Unclear	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	3
Malla 2011	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Manzar 2010	No	Yes	Unclear	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Mehrpour 2015	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Mekaoui 2016	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Mert 2006	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Mishra 2017	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Mishra 2014	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Moghadamnia 2004	No	Yes	Unclear	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	4

Mutiso 2014	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Descriptive Cross-Sectional Critical Appraisal Checklist* (continued)										
Author	Was the sample frame appropriate to address the target population?	Were study participants sampled in an appropriate way?	Was the sample size adequate?	Were the study subjects and the setting described in detail?	Was the data analysis conducted with sufficient coverage of the identified sample?	Were valid methods used for the identification of the condition?	Was the condition measured in a standard, reliable way for all participants?	Was appropriate statistical analysis used?	Was the response rate adequate?	Score
Mutlu 2010	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Narendra 2017	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Nguefack 2017	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Obu 2020	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Oguche 2007	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Olatunya 2015	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Oprescu 2012	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Oray 2008	No	Yes	Unclear	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Osaghae 2013	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Ozdemir 2012	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Ozdogan 2008	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Paudyal 2005	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Prasadi 2018	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	8
Ram 2014	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Raman 2015	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Ramanayake 2012	Yes	Yes	Unclear	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	7
Ramawat 2021	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Rashid 2007	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Renu 2017	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	8
Roy 2017	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Sadeghi-Bojd 2014	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5

Satish 2016	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Sawalha 2012	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Senarathna 2012	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	7

Descriptive Cross-Sectional Critical Appraisal Checklist* (continued)

Author	Was the sample frame appropriate to address the target population?	Were study participants sampled in an appropriate way?	Was the sample size adequate?	Were the study subjects and the setting described in detail?	Was the data analysis conducted with sufficient coverage of the identified sample?	Were valid methods used for the identification of the condition?	Was the condition measured in a standard, reliable way for all participants?	Was appropriate statistical analysis used?	Was the response rate adequate?	Score
Shadnia 2013	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	8
Sharif 2015	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Sheikh 2015	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Sheriff 2011	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Unclear	5
Shotar 2005	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Shwe 2013	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Sil 2016	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	7
Suting 2021	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Tabrizi 2021	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Tarvadi 2013	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Tirolla 2021	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Trangadia 2016	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Traore 2018	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	7
Ugwu 2012	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6
Ulmeanu 2005	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Wananukul 2007	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	7
Wang 2017	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	7
Wasim 2021	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Winston 2017	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	7
Yasmeen 2010	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	5
Z'gambo 2016	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	7
Zarif 2018	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	6

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Appendix 3: Studies excluded through critical appraisal

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