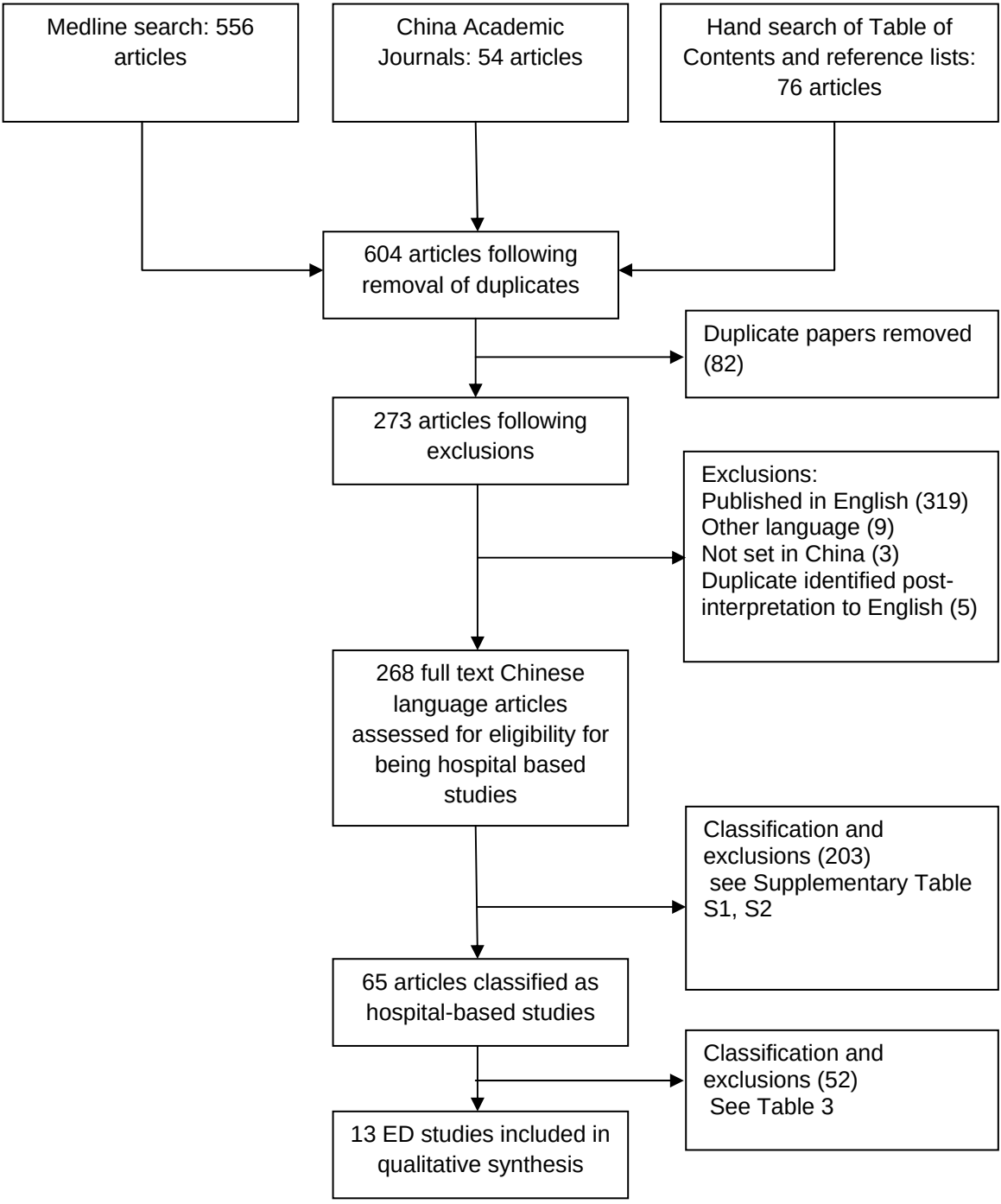
Medline search: 556 articles
China Academic Journals: 54 articles
Hand search of Table of Contents and reference lists: 76 articles
604 articles following removal of duplicates
Duplicate papers removed (82)
273 articles following exclusions
Exclusions:
Published in English (319)
Other language (9)
Not set in China (3)
Duplicate identified post-interpretation to English (5)
268 full text Chinese language articles assessed for eligibility for being hospital based studies
Classification and exclusions (203)
see Supplementary Table S1, S2
65 articles classified as hospital-based studies
Classification and exclusions (52)
See Table 3
13 ED studies included in qualitative synthesis