

Study Type

Qualitative

1. Description of the sampling (brief description and opinion)
(inadequate = 0; adequate = 1)
2. How data was collected (brief description and opinion)
(inadequate = 0; adequate = 1)
3. Independent inspection of data? (How many raters were there?)
(1 rater = 0; >1 rater = 1)
4. Was there a clear description of data analysis?
(No = 0; Yes = 1)
5. Use of supportive quantitative methods?
(No = 0; Yes = 1)

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Quantitative

1. Population size (<100 = 0; ≥100 = 1)
2. Number of facilities involved (1 facility = 0; >1 facility = 1)
3. Design (max = 9; min = 1)
 - a. Clear question/hypothesis (No = 0; Yes = 1)
 - b. Type of study
 - i. Hierarchy of evidence
 1. systematic review & meta-analysis (Yes = 7)
 2. RCT (Yes = 6)
 3. Cohort study (Yes = 5)
 4. Case-control study (Yes = 4)
 5. Cross-sectional study (Yes = 3)
 6. Expert opinion/case history/descriptive review/before and after study (Yes = 2)
 7. Anecdotal (Yes = 1)
 - c. Participant eligibility and recruitment relevant to our DEMoB study group (No = 0; Yes = 1)
 - d. Data analysis
 - a. Clear analysis plan (No = 0; Yes = 1)
 - b. Reporting on all participants (No = 0; Yes = 1)
 - c. Clear results (No = 0; Yes = 1)

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