## Supplementary file 1

Vitamin C and common cold-induced asthma: a systematic review and statistical analysis Harri Hemilä

Flow diagram of the literature search September 2013

## Medline (OVID):

(exp Ascorbic acid/ OR ascorb\*.mp) AND (exp Asthma/ OR asthma\*.mp OR bronch\*.mp) AND (exp Common cold/ OR exp Respiratory Tract Infections/ OR respiratory infect\*.mp)

52 records

2 reports

Refs. 25-27

## Scopus:

("vitamin C" OR ascorb\*) AND (asthma\* OR bronch\*) AND ("common cold" OR "respiratory tract infect\*" OR "respiratory infect\*")

125 records

## **Cochrane Central Register** of Controlled Trials:

("vitamin C" OR ascorb\*) AND (asthma\* OR bronch\*)

63 records

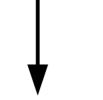
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Refs. 27,30

Additional reports identified through other sources

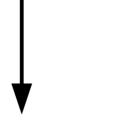
Restriction to intervention studies giving information on vitamin C and common cold -induced asthma



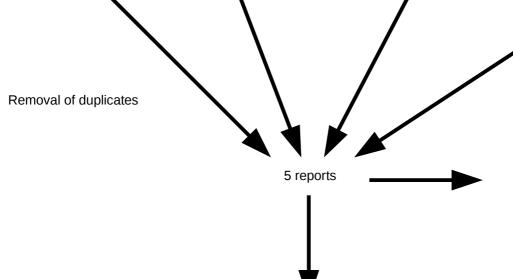


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Refs. 25-27







The 5 reports were included in the systematic review (refs. 25-27,30,31) They describe 3 separate studies **Web of Science** citation search of the 5 identified reports

1 report

Ref. 31





No additional trials identified