**Identification of studies via databases and registers**

Records removed *before screening*:

Duplicate records removed (n = {#identification}{#excluded}{duplicates}{/excluded}{/identification})

Records marked as ineligible by automation tools (n = {#identification}{#excluded}{automation}{/excluded}{/identification})

Records removed for other reasons (n = {#identification}{#excluded}{other}{/excluded}{/identification})

Records identified from\*:

Databases (n = {#identification}{#collection}{databases}{/collection}{/identification})

Registers (n = {#identification}{#collection}{registers}{/collection}{/identification})

**Identification**

Records screened:

(n = {#screening}{#screen}{total}{/screen}{/screening})

Records excluded\*\*:

(n = {#screening}{#screen}{excluded}{/screen}{/screening})

Reports not retrieved:

(n = {#screening}{#retrieval}{excluded}{/retrieval}{/screening})

Reports sought for retrieval:

(n = {#screening}{#retrieval}{total}{/retrieval}{/screening})

**Screening**

Reports assessed for eligibility:

(n = {#screening}{#eligibility}{total}{/eligibility}{/screening})

Reports excluded:

{#screening}{#eligibility}{#reasons}{label} (n = {records})

{/reasons}{/eligibility}{/screening}

Studies included in review:

(n = {#included}{#records}{studies}{/records}{/included})

Reports of included studies

(n = {#included}{#records}{reports}{/records}{/included})

**Included**

\*Consider, if feasible to do so, reporting the number of records identified from each database or register searched (rather than the total number across all databases/registers).

\*\*If automation tools were used, indicate how many records were excluded by a human and how many were excluded by automation tools.

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