

**STEP 1:  
DESCRIBE  
EXPERIMENT**

STEP 2:  
SPECIFY  
STATISTICAL MODEL

STEP 3:  
DEFINE STATISTICAL  
QUERY

STEP 4:  
CONSTRUCT  
ESTIMATOR

STEP 5:  
OBTAIN  
INFERENCE

STEP 6:  
MAKE SUBSTANTIVE  
CONCLUSION

***Three multi-national RCTs assessing  
impact of corticosteroids on mortality  
among septic shock patients***

Pooled sample of  $n = 1,300$  adults in septic shock

