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1	Effectiveness of needle and syringe Programmes in people who inject drugs – An overview of systematic reviews. BMC Public Health, 2017, 17, 309.	1.2	200
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3	Epinephrine for bronchiolitis. The Cochrane Library, 2011, , CD003123.	1.5	149
4	Glucocorticoids for acute viral bronchiolitis in infants and young children. The Cochrane Library, 2013, , CD004878.	1.5	148
5	What guidance is available for researchers conducting overviews of reviews of healthcare interventions? A scoping review and qualitative metasummary. Systematic Reviews, 2016, 5, 190.	2.5	143
6	Steroids and bronchodilators for acute bronchiolitis in the first two years of life: systematic review and meta-analysis. BMJ: British Medical Journal, 2011, 342, d1714-d1714.	2.4	121
7	Evaluation of AMSTAR to assess the methodological quality of systematic reviews in overviews of reviews of healthcare interventions. BMC Medical Research Methodology, 2017, 17, 48.	1.4	85
8	Preferred Reporting Items for Overviews of Reviews (PRIOR): a protocol for development of a reporting guideline for overviews of reviews of healthcare interventions. Systematic Reviews, 2019, 8, 335.	2.5	84
9	Neutralizing Antibody and Botulinum Toxin Therapy: A Systematic Review and Meta-analysis. Neurotoxicity Research, 2016, 29, 105-117.	1.3	79
10	Practice Variation in Acute Bronchiolitis: A Pediatric Emergency Research Networks Study. Pediatrics, 2017, 140, .	1.0	74
11	CPAP and High-Flow Nasal Cannula Oxygen in Bronchiolitis. Chest, 2015, 148, 810-823.	0.4	69
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18	A Systematic Review of Clinical Practice Guidelines for the Diagnosis and Management of Bronchiolitis. Journal of Infectious Diseases, 2020, 222, S672-S679.	1.9	47

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19	Glucocorticoids for acute viral bronchiolitis in infants and young children. , 2010, , CD004878.		46
20	Placebo and nocebo responses in restless legs syndrome. <i>Neurology</i> , 2017, 88, 2216-2224.	1.5	46
21	Pediatric Emergency Research Networks. <i>Pediatric Emergency Care</i> , 2010, 26, 541-543.	0.5	44
22	Validity of Bronchiolitis Outcome Measures. <i>Pediatrics</i> , 2015, 135, e1399-e1408.	1.0	42
23	Risk of Developing Parkinson Disease in Bipolar Disorder. <i>JAMA Neurology</i> , 2020, 77, 192.	4.5	42
24	Pediatric asthma and COVID-19: The known, the unknown, and the controversial. <i>Pediatric Pulmonology</i> , 2020, 55, 3573-3578.	1.0	41
25	<i>The Cochrane Library</i> and the Treatment of Bronchiolitis in Children: An Overview of Reviews. <i>Evidence-Based Child Health: A Cochrane Review Journal</i> , 2011, 6, 258-275.	2.0	39
26	Quality and risk of bias appraisals of systematic reviews are inconsistent across reviewers and centers. <i>Journal of Clinical Epidemiology</i> , 2020, 125, 9-15.	2.4	39
27	Evaluation of the reliability, usability, and applicability of AMSTAR, AMSTAR 2, and ROBIS: protocol for a descriptive analytic study. <i>Systematic Reviews</i> , 2018, 7, 85.	2.5	38
28	Predicting Escalated Care in Infants With Bronchiolitis. <i>Pediatrics</i> , 2018, 142, .	1.0	37
29	Predictors of severe H1N1 infection in children presenting within Pediatric Emergency Research Networks (PERN): retrospective case-control study. <i>BMJ, The</i> , 2013, 347, f4836-f4836.	3.0	34
30	Taxane acute pain syndrome (TAPS) in patients receiving taxane-based chemotherapy for breast cancer—a systematic review. <i>Supportive Care in Cancer</i> , 2016, 24, 3633-3650.	1.0	33
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33	Quantifying Bias in Randomized Controlled Trials in Child Health: A Meta-Epidemiological Study. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2014, 9, e88008.	1.1	32
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35	Safety of corticosteroids in young children with acute respiratory conditions: a systematic review and meta-analysis. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2019, 9, e028511.	0.8	30
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38	Treatment of taxane acute pain syndrome (TAPS) in cancer patients receiving taxane-based chemotherapy—a systematic review. Supportive Care in Cancer, 2016, 24, 1583-1594.	1.0	29
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40	Measurement Instruments to Assess Functional Mobility in Parkinson's Disease: A Systematic Review. Movement Disorders Clinical Practice, 2020, 7, 129-139.	0.8	28
41	Optimal Management of Leptomeningeal Carcinomatosis in Breast Cancer Patients—A Systematic Review. Clinical Breast Cancer, 2016, 16, 456-470.	1.1	26
42	The impact of different inclusion decisions on the comprehensiveness and complexity of overviews of reviews of healthcare interventions. Systematic Reviews, 2019, 8, 18.	2.5	26
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52	The Conduct and Reporting of Child Health Research: An Analysis of Randomized Controlled Trials Published in 2012 and Evaluation of Change over 5 Years. Journal of Pediatrics, 2018, 193, 237-244.e37.	0.9	19
53	COVID-19, asthma, and return to school. Lancet Respiratory Medicine, the, 2020, 8, 847-849.	5.2	19
54	Comparative Efficacy of Bronchiolitis Interventions in Acute Care: A Network Meta-analysis. Pediatrics, 2021, 147, .	1.0	19

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55	International Practice Patterns of Antibiotic Therapy and Laboratory Testing in Bronchiolitis. <i>Pediatrics</i> , 2020, 146, e20193684.	1.0	18
56	Epidemiology and reporting characteristics of overviews of reviews of healthcare interventions published 2012–2016: protocol for a systematic review. <i>Systematic Reviews</i> , 2017, 6, 73.	2.5	16
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59	Data monitoring committees, interim analysis and early termination in paediatric trials. <i>Acta Paediatrica, International Journal of Paediatrics</i> , 2011, 100, 1386-1392.	0.7	15
60	The multiple meanings of "wheezing": a questionnaire survey in Portuguese for parents and health professionals. <i>BMC Pediatrics</i> , 2011, 11, 112.	0.7	15
61	Acute viral bronchiolitis: Physician perspectives on definition and clinically important outcomes. <i>Pediatric Pulmonology</i> , 2016, 51, 724-732.	1.0	15
62	Asthma App Use and Interest Among Patients With Asthma: A Multicenter Study. <i>Journal of Investigational Allergology and Clinical Immunology</i> , 2020, 30, 137-140.	0.6	15
63	Circulating tumor cell detection methods in renal cell carcinoma: A systematic review. <i>Critical Reviews in Oncology/Hematology</i> , 2021, 161, 103331.	2.0	15
64	Acute pancreatitis associated with varicella infection in an immunocompetent child. <i>Journal of Paediatrics and Child Health</i> , 2009, 45, 547-548.	0.4	14
65	Pharmacotherapy in bronchiolitis at discharge from emergency departments within the Pediatric Emergency Research Networks: a retrospective analysis. <i>The Lancet Child and Adolescent Health</i> , 2019, 3, 539-547.	2.7	14
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67	From cradle to adolescence. <i>European Journal of Emergency Medicine</i> , 2014, 21, 24-29.	0.5	13
68	Minimally Important Differences in Patient or Proxy-Reported Outcome Studies Relevant to Children: A Systematic Review. <i>Pediatrics</i> , 2017, 139, .	1.0	13
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70	The conect4children (c4c) Consortium: Potential for Improving European Clinical Research into Medicines for Children. <i>Pharmaceutical Medicine</i> , 2021, 35, 71-79.	1.0	13
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73	Fluoroquinolones Are Associated With Increased Risk of Aortic Aneurysm or Dissection: Systematic Review and Meta-analysis. <i>Seminars in Thoracic and Cardiovascular Surgery</i> , 2021, 33, 907-918.	0.4	11
74	When should nebulized hypertonic saline solution be used in the treatment of bronchiolitis?. <i>Paediatrics and Child Health</i> , 2011, 16, 157-158.	0.3	10
75	<i>The Cochrane Library</i> and acute otitis media in children: an overview of reviews. <i>Evidence-Based Child Health: A Cochrane Review Journal</i> , 2012, 7, 393-402.	2.0	10
76	Severe Paediatric Asthma Collaborative in Europe (SPACE): protocol for a European registry. <i>Breathe</i> , 2018, 14, 93-98.	0.6	10
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80	Consent and recruitment: the reporting of paediatric trials published in 2012. <i>BMJ Paediatrics Open</i> , 2018, 2, e000369.	0.6	8
81	De-Escalation of Bone-Targeted Agents for Metastatic Prostate Cancer. <i>Current Oncology</i> , 2016, 23, 77-78.	0.9	7
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83	Non-invasive ventilation for the management of children with bronchiolitis (NOVEMBR): a feasibility study and core outcome set development protocol. <i>Trials</i> , 2018, 19, 627.	0.7	7
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85	Descriptive analysis of cochrane child-relevant systematic reviews: an update and comparison between 2009 and 2013. <i>BMC Pediatrics</i> , 2017, 17, 155.	0.7	5
86	Reporting of data monitoring committees and adverse events in paediatric trials: a descriptive analysis. <i>BMJ Paediatrics Open</i> , 2019, 3, e000426.	0.6	5
87	Profiling Persistent Asthma Phenotypes in Adolescents: A Longitudinal Diagnostic Evaluation from the INSPIRERS Studies. <i>International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health</i> , 2021, 18, 1015.	1.2	5
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89	Comparison of nuisance parameters in pediatric versus adult randomized trials: a meta-epidemiologic empirical evaluation. <i>BMC Medical Research Methodology</i> , 2018, 18, 7.	1.4	4
90	Efficacy, safety and cost-effectiveness of hydroxychloroquine in children with COVID-19: A call for evidence. <i>Acta Paediatrica, International Journal of Paediatrics</i> , 2020, 109, 1711-1712.	0.7	4

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93	Where next for inhaled corticosteroids in childhood asthma?. <i>Lancet Respiratory Medicine</i> , 2020, 8, 345.	5.2	3
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95	Variability in the management and imaging use in paediatric minor head trauma in European emergency departments. A Research in European Pediatric Emergency Medicine study. <i>European Journal of Emergency Medicine</i> , 2021, 28, 196-201.	0.5	3
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97	Publication of reviews synthesizing child health evidence (PORSCHÉ): a survey of authors to identify factors associated with publication in Cochrane and non-Cochrane sources. <i>Systematic Reviews</i> , 2016, 5, 104.	2.5	2
98	High-flow oxygen therapy in acute bronchiolitis. <i>Lancet</i> , 2017, 389, 886-887.	6.3	2
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100	On-demand, not scheduled, nebulization (epinephrine or saline) improves important clinical outcomes in hospitalized infants with bronchiolitis. <i>Journal of Pediatrics</i> , 2013, 163, 1528-1532.	0.9	1
101	Oral antihistamine-decongestant-analgesic combinations for the common cold-do they work?. <i>Evidence-Based Child Health: A Cochrane Review Journal</i> , 2013, 8, 2061-2062.	2.0	1
102	Key paediatric messages from the 2018 European Respiratory Society International Congress. <i>ERJ Open Research</i> , 2019, 5, 00241-2018.	1.1	1
103	Nebulization procedures for children with unknown viral status during the COVID-19 pandemic. <i>Journal of Asthma</i> , 2021, 58, 1597-1598.	0.9	1
104	Oral steroids for preschool children with acute wheeze: a systematic review and meta-analysis. , 2019, , ,		1
105	National survey of feasibility of NIV trials for management of children with bronchiolitis. <i>BMJ Paediatrics Open</i> , 2020, 4, e000780.	0.6	1
106	Phenotypes of persistent asthma in adolescents revealed different patterns in longitudinal asthma-related outcomes. , 2021, , ,		1
107	Systematic reviews and meta-analysis published in indexed Portuguese medical journals: time trends and critical appraisal. <i>BMC Medical Research Methodology</i> , 2022, 22, 105.	1.4	1
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109	Warfarin, acetylsalicylic acid and risk of incident atrial fibrillation in patients with heart failure and sinus rhythm: A meta-analysis. <i>International Journal of Cardiology</i> , 2013, 168, 4842-4843.	0.8	0
110	PO104...Placebo and nocebo responses in rls: a meta-analysis. <i>Journal of Neurology, Neurosurgery and Psychiatry</i> , 2017, 88, A39.1-A39.	0.9	0
111	Hospital admissions in children with acute respiratory disease in Portugal. <i>Pulmonology</i> , 2019, 25, 122-125.	1.0	0
112	Early Impact of SARS-CoV-2 on Pediatric Clinical Research: A Pan-European and Canadian Snapshot in Time. <i>Journal of Pediatrics</i> , 2021, 239, 67-73.e3.	0.9	0
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114	Practice of spirometry among physicians caring for children with asthma in Portugal – The EspiroPed survey. , 2016, , .		0
115	Identification of clusters of asthma control: A preliminary analysis of the Inspirers studies. <i>Revista Portuguesa De Imunoalergologia</i> , 2020, 28, .	0.1	0
116	Latent classes of adults with persistent asthma: data from the multicentre INSPIRERS studies. , 2020, , .		0