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#	Paper	IF	Citations
150	Non-invasive testing for early detection of neovascular macular degeneration in unaffected second eyes of older adults: EDNA diagnostic accuracy study.. <i>Health Technology Assessment</i> , 2022 , 26, 1-142	4.4	0
149	Pulpotomy for the Management of Irreversible Pulpitis in Mature Teeth (PIP): a feasibility study.. <i>Pilot and Feasibility Studies</i> , 2022 , 8, 77	1.9	1
148	Pharmaceutical policies: effects of regulating drug insurance schemes.. <i>The Cochrane Library</i> , 2022 , 5, CD011703	5.2	
147	Protocol for a randomised controlled trial comparing laparoscopic cholecystectomy with observation/conservative management for preventing recurrent symptoms and complications in adults with uncomplicated symptomatic gallstones (C-Gall trial). <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2021 , 11, e039781	3	6
146	Audit and feedback with or without training in-practice targeting antibiotic prescribing (TIPTAP): a study protocol of a cluster randomised trial in dental primary care. <i>Implementation Science</i> , 2021 , 16, 32	8.4	1
145	Have you had bleeding from your gums? Self-report to identify giNGival inflammation (The SING diagnostic accuracy and diagnostic model development study). <i>Journal of Clinical Periodontology</i> , 2021 , 48, 919-928	7.7	1
144	Antibiotic prescribing for respiratory tract infection: exploring drivers of cognitive effort and factors associated with inappropriate prescribing. <i>Family Practice</i> , 2021 , 38, 740-750	1.9	2
143	Identification and categorisation of relevant outcomes for symptomatic uncomplicated gallstone disease: in-depth analysis to inform the development of a core outcome set. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2021 , 11, e045568	2.8	0
142	Outcomes of a Noninferiority Randomised Controlled Trial of Surgery for Men with Urodynamic Stress Incontinence After Prostate Surgery (MASTER). <i>European Urology</i> , 2021 , 79, 812-823	10.2	14
141	Diagnostic Accuracy of Monitoring Tests of Fellow Eyes in Patients with Unilateral Neovascular Age-Related Macular Degeneration: Early Detection of Neovascular Age-Related Macular Degeneration Study. <i>Ophthalmology</i> , 2021 , 128, 1736-1747	7.3	1
140	Examining the effectiveness of different dental recall strategies on maintenance of optimum oral health: the INTERVAL dental recalls randomised controlled trial. <i>British Dental Journal</i> , 2021 , 230, 236-243	1.2	4
139	Examining the impact of oral hygiene advice and/or scale and polish on periodontal disease: the IQaD cluster factorial randomised controlled trial. <i>British Dental Journal</i> , 2021 , 230, 229-235	1.2	2
138	Selective Caries Removal in Permanent Teeth (SCRiPT) for the treatment of deep carious lesions: a randomised controlled clinical trial in primary care. <i>BMC Oral Health</i> , 2021 , 21, 336	3.7	2
137	Developing a core outcome set for periodontal trials. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2021 , 16, e0254123	3.7	2
136	Patient and public involvement in numerical aspects of trials (PoINT): exploring patient and public partners experiences and identifying stakeholder priorities. <i>Trials</i> , 2021 , 22, 499	2.8	1
135	Barriers and Facilitators to Implementation of Antibiotic Stewardship Programmes in Hospitals in Developed Countries: Insights From Transnational Studies. <i>Frontiers in Sociology</i> , 2020 , 5, 41	1.7	10
134	A behavioural approach to specifying interventions: what insights can be gained for the reporting and implementation of interventions to reduce antibiotic use in hospitals?. <i>Journal of Antimicrobial Chemotherapy</i> , 2020 , 75, 1338-1346	5.1	13

133	Three behavior change theory-informed randomized studies within a trial to improve response rates to trial postal questionnaires. <i>Journal of Clinical Epidemiology</i> , 2020 , 122, 35-41	5.7	11
132	Risk-based, 6-monthly and 24-monthly dental check-ups for adults: the INTERVAL three-arm RCT. <i>Health Technology Assessment</i> , 2020 , 24, 1-138	4.4	6
131	Trial Forge Guidance 2: how to decide if a further Study Within A Trial (SWAT) is needed. <i>Trials</i> , 2020 , 21, 33	2.8	17
130	Five-Year Outcomes of a Randomized Trial of Treatments for Varicose Veins. <i>New England Journal of Medicine</i> , 2019 , 381, 912-922	59.2	35
129	Methodology and reporting characteristics of studies using interrupted time series design in healthcare. <i>BMC Medical Research Methodology</i> , 2019 , 19, 137	4.7	45
128	Can surgery be avoided in patients with symptomatic gallstone disease and no complications?. <i>BMJ, The</i> , 2019 , 367, l5709	5.9	3
127	Practical help for specifying the target difference in sample size calculations for RCTs: the DELTA five-stage study, including a workshop. <i>Health Technology Assessment</i> , 2019 , 23, 1-88	4.4	9
126	Photodynamic versus white light-guided treatment of non-muscle invasive bladder cancer: a study protocol for a randomised trial of clinical and cost-effectiveness. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2019 , 9, e022268	3	8
125	The split-plot design was useful for evaluating complex, multilevel interventions, but there is need for improvement in its design and report. <i>Journal of Clinical Epidemiology</i> , 2018 , 96, 120-125	5.7	4
124	Male synthetic sling versus artificial urinary sphincter trial for men with urodynamic stress incontinence after prostate surgery (MASTER): study protocol for a randomised controlled trial. <i>Trials</i> , 2018 , 19, 131	2.8	26
123	Trial Forge Guidance 1: what is a Study Within A Trial (SWAT)?. <i>Trials</i> , 2018 , 19, 139	2.8	94
122	Clear lens extraction for the management of primary angle closure glaucoma: surgical technique and refractive outcomes in the EAGLE cohort. <i>British Journal of Ophthalmology</i> , 2018 , 102, 1658-1662	5.5	6
121	Diagnostic accuracy of optical coherence tomography for diagnosing glaucoma: secondary analyses of the GATE study. <i>British Journal of Ophthalmology</i> , 2018 , 102, 604-610	5.5	10
120	Areas for improvement in community optometry: flashes and floaters take priority. <i>Ophthalmic and Physiological Optics</i> , 2018 , 38, 411-421	4.1	4
119	Improving the Quality of Dentistry (IQuaD): a cluster factorial randomised controlled trial comparing the effectiveness and cost-benefit of oral hygiene advice and/or periodontal instrumentation with routine care for the prevention and management of periodontal disease in dentate adults attending dental primary care. <i>Health Technology Assessment</i> , 2018 , 22, 1-144	4.4	26
118	DELTA guidance on choosing the target difference and undertaking and reporting the sample size calculation for a randomised controlled trial. <i>BMJ, The</i> , 2018 , 363, k3750	5.9	61
117	DELTA guidance on choosing the target difference and undertaking and reporting the sample size calculation for a randomised controlled trial. <i>Trials</i> , 2018 , 19, 606	2.8	30
116	INTERVAL (investigation of NICE technologies for enabling risk-variable-adjusted-length) dental recalls trial: a multicentre randomised controlled trial investigating the best dental recall interval for optimum, cost-effective maintenance of oral health in dentate adults attending dental primary care. <i>BMC Oral Health</i> , 2018 , 18, 135	3.7	12

115	Early lens extraction with intraocular lens implantation for the treatment of primary angle closure glaucoma: an economic evaluation based on data from the EAGLE trial. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2017 , 7, e013254	3	16
114	Interventions to improve antibiotic prescribing practices for hospital inpatients. <i>The Cochrane Library</i> , 2017 , 2, CD003543	5.2	345
113	A core outcome set for localised prostate cancer effectiveness trials. <i>BJU International</i> , 2017 , 120, E64-E70	3.9	34
112	Core outcomes in periodontal trials: study protocol for core outcome set development. <i>Trials</i> , 2017 , 18, 436	2.8	8
111	interventions to improve antibiotic prescribing practices for hospital inpatients (updated protocol). <i>The Cochrane Library</i> , 2017 ,	5.2	7
110	Heterogeneity in application, design, and analysis characteristics was found for controlled before-after and interrupted time series studies included in Cochrane reviews. <i>Journal of Clinical Epidemiology</i> , 2017 , 91, 56-69	5.7	25
109	Choosing the target difference (effect size) for a randomised controlled trial - DELTA guidance protocol. <i>Trials</i> , 2017 , 18, 271	2.8	7
108	"Better" clinical decisions do not necessarily require more time to make. <i>Journal of Clinical Epidemiology</i> , 2017 , 82, 173-174	5.7	2
107	ROBINS-I: a tool for assessing risk of bias in non-randomised studies of interventions. <i>BMJ, The</i> , 2016 , 355, i4919	5.9	4396
106	Supporting genetics in primary care: investigating how theory can inform professional education. <i>European Journal of Human Genetics</i> , 2016 , 24, 1541-1546	5.3	8
105	Patient-, organization-, and system-level barriers and facilitators to preventive oral health care: a convergent mixed-methods study in primary dental care. <i>Implementation Science</i> , 2016 , 11, 5	8.4	23
104	Barriers and facilitators of evidence-based management of patients with bacterial infections among general dental practitioners: a theory-informed interview study. <i>Implementation Science</i> , 2016 , 11, 11	8.4	30
103	An Audit and Feedback Intervention for Reducing Antibiotic Prescribing in General Dental Practice: The RAPiD Cluster Randomised Controlled Trial. <i>PLoS Medicine</i> , 2016 , 13, e1002115	11.6	53
102	Automated imaging technologies for the diagnosis of glaucoma: a comparative diagnostic study for the evaluation of the diagnostic accuracy, performance as triage tests and cost-effectiveness (GATE study). <i>Health Technology Assessment</i> , 2016 , 20, 1-168	4.4	20
101	Consensus on Outcome Measures for Glaucoma Effectiveness Trials: Results From a Delphi and Nominal Group Technique Approaches. <i>Journal of Glaucoma</i> , 2016 , 25, 539-46	2.1	37
100	Can Automated Imaging for Optic Disc and Retinal Nerve Fiber Layer Analysis Aid Glaucoma Detection?. <i>Ophthalmology</i> , 2016 , 123, 930-8	7.3	27
99	Effectiveness of early lens extraction for the treatment of primary angle-closure glaucoma (EAGLE): a randomised controlled trial. <i>Lancet, The</i> , 2016 , 388, 1389-1397	4.0	247
98	Specifying the target difference in the primary outcome for a randomised controlled trial: guidance for researchers. <i>Trials</i> , 2015 , 16, 12	2.8	47

97	Participation in Physical Play and Leisure in Children With Motor Impairments: Mixed-Methods Study to Generate Evidence for Developing an Intervention. <i>Physical Therapy</i> , 2015 , 95, 1374-86	3.3	15
96	A Systematic Review of Economic Evaluations of the Use of Robotic Assisted Laparoscopy in Surgery Compared with Open or Laparoscopic Surgery. <i>Applied Health Economics and Health Policy</i> , 2015 , 13, 457-67	3.4	30
95	Systematic review of the clinical and cost effectiveness of cholecystectomy versus observation/conservative management for uncomplicated symptomatic gallstones or cholecystitis. <i>Surgical Endoscopy and Other Interventional Techniques</i> , 2015 , 29, 637-47	5.2	25
94	Optical coherence tomography for the monitoring of neovascular age-related macular degeneration: a systematic review. <i>Ophthalmology</i> , 2015 , 122, 399-406	7.3	46
93	Outcome measures in Cochrane reviews and protocols for the prevention and treatment of periodontal disease. <i>Trials</i> , 2015 , 16,	2.8	2
92	A systematic review of the use of an expertise-based randomised controlled trial design. <i>Trials</i> , 2015 , 16, 241	2.8	20
91	Outcome Measures in Glaucoma: A Systematic Review of Cochrane Reviews and Protocols. <i>Journal of Glaucoma</i> , 2015 , 24, 533-8	2.1	21
90	A systematic review of the use of an expertise-based randomised trial design. <i>Trials</i> , 2015 , 16,	2.8	2
89	Difficulties with defining diagnostic accuracy study outcomes. <i>Trials</i> , 2015 , 16,	2.8	78
88	Improving trial questionnaire response rates using behaviour change theory. <i>Trials</i> , 2015 , 16,	2.8	5
87	Is self-monitoring an effective option for people receiving long-term vitamin K antagonist therapy? A systematic review and economic evaluation. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2015 , 5, e007758	3	18
86	Clinical effectiveness and cost-effectiveness of foam sclerotherapy, endovenous laser ablation and surgery for varicose veins: results from the Comparison of LAser, Surgery and foam Sclerotherapy (CLASS) randomised controlled trial. <i>Health Technology Assessment</i> , 2015 , 19, 1-342	4.4	47
85	The clinical effectiveness and cost-effectiveness of point-of-care tests (CoaguChek system, INRatio2 PT/INR monitor and ProTime Microcoagulation system) for the self-monitoring of the coagulation status of people receiving long-term vitamin K antagonist therapy, compared with standard UK practice: systematic review and economic evaluation. <i>Health Technology Assessment</i> ,	4.4	22
84	Ablative therapy for people with localised prostate cancer: a systematic review and economic evaluation. <i>Health Technology Assessment</i> , 2015 , 19, 1-490	4.4	53
83	Clinical effectiveness and cost-effectiveness of open and arthroscopic rotator cuff repair [the UK Rotator Cuff Surgery (UKUFF) randomised trial]. <i>Health Technology Assessment</i> , 2015 , 19, 1-218	4.4	80
82	Collagenase clostridium histolyticum for the treatment of Dupuytren's contracture: systematic review and economic evaluation. <i>Health Technology Assessment</i> , 2015 , 19, 1-202	4.4	50
81	The clinical effectiveness and cost-effectiveness of open mesh repairs in adults presenting with a clinically diagnosed primary unilateral inguinal hernia who are operated in an elective setting: systematic review and economic evaluation. <i>Health Technology Assessment</i> , 2015 , 19, 1-142	4.4	10
80	Observational study of current use of selective decontamination of the digestive tract in UK critical care units. <i>British Journal of Anaesthesia</i> , 2014 , 113, 610-7	5.4	8

79	A randomized trial comparing treatments for varicose veins. <i>New England Journal of Medicine</i> , 2014 , 371, 1218-27	59.2	134
78	Variation of clinical outcomes used in glaucoma randomised controlled trials: a systematic review. <i>British Journal of Ophthalmology</i> , 2014 , 98, 464-8	5.5	14
77	Interventions to improve antibiotic prescribing practices for hospital inpatients (updated protocol) 2014 ,		8
76	Evaluating an audit and feedback intervention for reducing antibiotic prescribing behaviour in general dental practice (the RAPiD trial): a partial factorial cluster randomised trial protocol. <i>Implementation Science</i> , 2014 , 9, 50	8.4	26
75	Perceived difficulty and appropriateness of decision making by General Practitioners: a systematic review of scenario studies. <i>BMC Health Services Research</i> , 2014 , 14, 621	2.9	5
74	Methods for specifying the target difference in a randomised controlled trial: the Difference Elicitation in TriAls (DELTA) systematic review. <i>PLoS Medicine</i> , 2014 , 11, e1001645	11.6	24
73	Use of methods for specifying the target difference in randomised controlled trial sample size calculations: Two surveys of trialists' practice. <i>Clinical Trials</i> , 2014 , 11, 300-308	2.2	7
72	The use of Latin squares and related block designs in implementation research. <i>Journal of Clinical Epidemiology</i> , 2014 , 67, 1299-301	5.7	2
71	Practicalities of using a modified version of the Cochrane Collaboration risk of bias tool for randomised and non-randomised study designs applied in a health technology assessment setting. <i>Research Synthesis Methods</i> , 2014 , 5, 200-11	7.2	21
70	Is it worthwhile to conduct a randomized controlled trial of glaucoma screening in the United Kingdom?. <i>Journal of Health Services Research and Policy</i> , 2014 , 19, 42-51	2.4	14
69	Assessing methods to specify the target difference for a randomised controlled trial: DELTA (Difference Elicitation in TriAls) review. <i>Health Technology Assessment</i> , 2014 , 18, v-vi, 1-175	4.4	53
68	Clinical effectiveness and cost-effectiveness of cholecystectomy compared with observation/conservative management for preventing recurrent symptoms and complications in adults presenting with uncomplicated symptomatic gallstones or cholecystitis: a systematic review	4.4	24
67	Optical coherence tomography for the diagnosis, monitoring and guiding of treatment for neovascular age-related macular degeneration: a systematic review and economic evaluation. <i>Health Technology Assessment</i> , 2014 , 18, 1-254	4.4	14
66	Comparative cost-effectiveness of robot-assisted and standard laparoscopic prostatectomy as alternatives to open radical prostatectomy for treatment of men with localised prostate cancer: a health technology assessment from the perspective of the UK National Health Service. <i>European Medical Journal</i> , 2014 , 1, 1-11	10.2	66
65	IQuaD dental trial; improving the quality of dentistry: a multicentre randomised controlled trial comparing oral hygiene advice and periodontal instrumentation for the prevention and management of periodontal disease in dentate adults attending dental primary care. <i>BMC Oral Health</i> , 2013 , 13, 58	3.7	16
64	Interventions to improve antibiotic prescribing practices for hospital inpatients. <i>Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews</i> , 2013 , CD003543		360
63	Theoretical and empirical dimensions of the Aberdeen Glaucoma Questionnaire: a cross sectional survey and principal component analysis. <i>BMC Ophthalmology</i> , 2013 , 13, 72	2.3	9
62	Issues relating to study design and risk of bias when including non-randomized studies in systematic reviews on the effects of interventions. <i>Research Synthesis Methods</i> , 2013 , 4, 12-25	7.2	114

61	An introduction to methodological issues when including non-randomised studies in systematic reviews on the effects of interventions. <i>Research Synthesis Methods</i> , 2013 , 4, 1-11	7.2	70
60	Determining information for inclusion in a decision-support intervention for clinical trial participation: a modified Delphi approach. <i>Clinical Trials</i> , 2013 , 10, 967-76	2.2	19
59	Relative effectiveness of robot-assisted and standard laparoscopic prostatectomy as alternatives to open radical prostatectomy for treatment of localised prostate cancer: a systematic review and mixed treatment comparison meta-analysis. <i>BJU International</i> , 2013 , 112, 798-812	5.6	58
58	The quality of research synthesis in surgery: the case of laparoscopic surgery for colorectal cancer. <i>Systematic Reviews</i> , 2012 , 1, 14	3	15
57	Analysing randomised controlled trials with missing data: choice of approach affects conclusions. <i>Contemporary Clinical Trials</i> , 2012 , 33, 461-9	2.3	34
56	Developing the specifications of an open angle glaucoma screening intervention in the United Kingdom: a Delphi approach. <i>BMC Health Services Research</i> , 2012 , 12, 447	2.9	9
55	Expert opinion on laparoscopic surgery for colorectal cancer parallels evidence from a cumulative meta-analysis of randomized controlled trials. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2012 , 7, e35292	3.7	39
54	A questionnaire elicitation of surgeons' belief about learning within a surgical trial. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2012 , 7, e49178	3.7	6
53	Evidence base for an intervention to maximise uptake of glaucoma testing: a theory-based cross-sectional survey. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2012 , 2, e000710	3	6
52	Urinary incontinence in men after formal one-to-one pelvic-floor muscle training following radical prostatectomy or transurethral resection of the prostate (MAPS): two parallel randomised controlled trials. <i>Lancet, The</i> , 2011 , 378, 328-37	4.0	78
51	Choosing appropriate patient-reported outcomes instrument for glaucoma research: a systematic review of vision instruments. <i>Quality of Life Research</i> , 2011 , 20, 1141-58	3.7	30
50	Pre-validation methods for developing a patient reported outcome instrument. <i>BMC Medical Research Methodology</i> , 2011 , 11, 112	4.7	9
49	Participation in physical play and leisure: developing a theory- and evidence-based intervention for children with motor impairments. <i>BMC Pediatrics</i> , 2011 , 11, 100	2.6	22
48	The effectiveness of early lens extraction with intraocular lens implantation for the treatment of primary angle-closure glaucoma (EAGLE): study protocol for a randomized controlled trial. <i>Trials</i> , 2011 , 12, 133	2.8	43
47	Randomised controlled feasibility trial of an evidence-informed behavioural intervention for obese adults with additional risk factors. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2011 , 6, e23040	3.7	10
46	Predicting missing quality of life data that were later recovered: an empirical comparison of approaches. <i>Clinical Trials</i> , 2010 , 7, 333-42	2.2	12
45	Effect of point-of-care computer reminders on physician behaviour: a systematic review. <i>Cmaj</i> , 2010 , 182, E216-25	3.5	177
44	Pharmaceutical policies: effects of restrictions on reimbursement. <i>The Cochrane Library</i> , 2010 , CD008654.2	4.2	30

43	The translation research in a dental setting (TRiaDS) programme protocol. <i>Implementation Science</i> , 2010 , 5, 57	8.4	23
42	Using the theory of planned behaviour as a process evaluation tool in randomised trials of knowledge translation strategies: A case study from UK primary care. <i>Implementation Science</i> , 2010 , 5, 71	8.4	37
41	Can@do it, won@do it! Developing a theoretically framed intervention to encourage better decontamination practice in Scottish dental practices. <i>Implementation Science</i> , 2009 , 4, 31	8.4	11
40	Investigating the missing data mechanism in quality of life outcomes: a comparison of approaches. <i>Health and Quality of Life Outcomes</i> , 2009 , 7, 57	3	41
39	Beliefs about surgery: Development and validation of an instrument to assess cognitive representations about surgery, in the context of a chronic illness. <i>Psychology and Health</i> , 2009 , 24, 1125-37	2.9	9
38	The effects of on-screen, point of care computer reminders on processes and outcomes of care. <i>The Cochrane Library</i> , 2009 , CD001096	5.2	260
37	The Knee Arthroplasty Trial (KAT) design features, baseline characteristics, and two-year functional outcomes after alternative approaches to knee replacement. <i>Journal of Bone and Joint Surgery - Series A</i> , 2009 , 91, 134-41	5.6	68
36	Pharmaceutical policies: effects of cap and co-payment on rational drug use. <i>Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews</i> , 2008 , CD007017		79
35	Recruitment to publicly funded trials--are surgical trials really different?. <i>Contemporary Clinical Trials</i> , 2008 , 29, 631-4	2.3	21
34	Using the literature to quantify the learning curve: A case study. <i>International Journal of Technology Assessment in Health Care</i> , 2008 , 24, 131	1.8	
33	Minimal access surgery compared with medical management for chronic gastro-oesophageal reflux disease: UK collaborative randomised trial. <i>BMJ, The</i> , 2008 , 337, a2664	5.9	73
32	Screening tests for detecting open-angle glaucoma: systematic review and meta-analysis 2008 , 49, 5373-85		72
31	A review of RCTs in four medical journals to assess the use of imputation to overcome missing data in quality of life outcomes. <i>Trials</i> , 2008 , 9, 51	2.8	62
30	Bowel dysfunction after transposition of intestinal segments into the urinary tract: 8-year prospective cohort study. <i>Journal of Urology</i> , 2007 , 177, 1793-8	2.5	36
29	Effect of multivitamin and multimineral supplementation on cognitive function in men and women aged 65 years and over: a randomised controlled trial. <i>Nutrition Journal</i> , 2007 , 6, 10	4.3	57
28	The key role of micronutrients. <i>Clinical Nutrition</i> , 2007 , 26, 159; author reply 160	5.9	
27	Pharmaceutical policies: effects of financial incentives for prescribers. <i>Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews</i> , 2007 , CD006731		46
26	Using the literature to quantify the learning curve: a case study. <i>International Journal of Technology Assessment in Health Care</i> , 2007 , 23, 255-60	1.8	46

25	Toward evidence-based quality improvement. <i>Journal of General Internal Medicine</i> , 2006 , 21, S14-S20	4	356
24	Effect of enhanced feedback and brief educational reminder messages on laboratory test requesting in primary care: a cluster randomised trial. <i>Lancet, The</i> , 2006 , 367, 1990-6	4 ⁰	79
23	The Trial Protocol Tool: The PRACTIHC software tool that supported the writing of protocols for pragmatic randomized controlled trials. <i>Journal of Clinical Epidemiology</i> , 2006 , 59, 1127-33	5.7	13
22	Systematic review of antimicrobial drug prescribing in hospitals. <i>Emerging Infectious Diseases</i> , 2006 , 12, 211-6	10.2	98
21	Pharmaceutical policies: effects on rational drug use. <i>The Cochrane Library</i> , 2006 ,	5.2	13
20	Pharmaceutical policies: effects of reference pricing, other pricing, and purchasing policies. <i>Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews</i> , 2006 , CD005979		57
19	Toward evidence-based quality improvement. Evidence (and its limitations) of the effectiveness of guideline dissemination and implementation strategies 1966-1998. <i>Journal of General Internal Medicine</i> , 2006 , 21 Suppl 2, S14-20	4	231
18	Effect of multivitamin and multimineral supplements on morbidity from infections in older people (MAVIS trial): pragmatic, randomised, double blind, placebo controlled trial. <i>BMJ, The</i> , 2005 , 331, 324-9	5.9	64
17	Theory-based identification of barriers to quality improvement: induced abortion care. <i>International Journal for Quality in Health Care</i> , 2005 , 17, 147-55	1.9	25
16	Interventions to improve antibiotic prescribing practices for hospital inpatients. <i>Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews</i> , 2005 , CD003543		157
15	The impact of guidelines on mild hypertension in pregnancy: time series analysis. <i>BJOG: an International Journal of Obstetrics and Gynaecology</i> , 2004 , 111, 765-70	3.7	13
14	Sample size calculator for cluster randomized trials. <i>Computers in Biology and Medicine</i> , 2004 , 34, 113-257		152
13	Statistical evaluation of learning curve effects in surgical trials. <i>Clinical Trials</i> , 2004 , 1, 421-7	2.2	151
12	Outcomes of an intervention to improve hospital antibiotic prescribing: interrupted time series with segmented regression analysis. <i>Journal of Antimicrobial Chemotherapy</i> , 2003 , 52, 842-8	5.1	163
11	Interrupted time series designs in health technology assessment: lessons from two systematic reviews of behavior change strategies. <i>International Journal of Technology Assessment in Health Care</i> , 2003 , 19, 613-23	1.8	467
10	Room for improvement: a systematic review of the quality of evaluations of interventions to improve hospital antibiotic prescribing. <i>Journal of Antimicrobial Chemotherapy</i> , 2003 , 52, 764-71	5.1	119
9	Unit of analysis errors should be clarified in meta-analyses. <i>BMJ, The</i> , 2003 , 326, 397	5.9	7
8	The method of minimization for allocation to clinical trials. a review. <i>Contemporary Clinical Trials</i> , 2002 , 23, 662-74		431

7	Assessing the learning curve effect in health technologies. Lessons from the nonclinical literature. <i>International Journal of Technology Assessment in Health Care</i> , 2002 , 18, 1-10	1.8	41
6	Meta-analysis of interrupted time series designs: what is the effect size?. <i>BMC News and Views</i> , 2001 , 1,		2
5	Mass media interventions: effects on health services utilisation. <i>The Cochrane Library</i> , 2000 , CD000389	5.2	174
4	Assessment of the learning curve in health technologies. A systematic review. <i>International Journal of Technology Assessment in Health Care</i> , 2000 , 16, 1095-108	1.8	126
3	Evaluation of clinical guidelines for the management of end-stage renal disease in europe: the EU BIOMED 1 study. <i>Nephrology Dialysis Transplantation</i> , 2000 , 15, 1394-8	4.3	9
2	Neonatal examination and screening trial (NEST): a randomised, controlled, switchback trial of alternative policies for low risk infants. <i>BMJ: British Medical Journal</i> , 1999 , 318, 627-31		32
1	Impact of implementation strategies: controlled studies304-323		