

Annex 1: list of papers used in the meta-analysis and the databases used for their extraction

	PubMed	Embase	Google scholar	Web of sciences
Lin <i>et al.</i>	x		x	x
Chen <i>et al.</i>	x		x	x
Lan <i>et al.</i>	x		x	x
Peng <i>et al.</i>	x		x	x
Jin <i>et al.</i>	x		x	
Stoker <i>et al.</i>	x	x	x	x
Xu <i>et al.</i>	x	x	x	x
Wen-yi Wang <i>et al.</i>	x	x	x	x
Xu <i>et al.</i>	x	x	x	x
Lv <i>et al.</i>	x		x	x
Wen-yi Wang <i>et al.</i>	x		x	x
Zhao <i>et al.</i>	x	x	x	x
Shen <i>et al.</i>	x	x	x	x
Wei <i>et al.</i>	x	x	x	x
Leung <i>et al.</i>	x	x	x	x
Twu <i>et al.</i>	x	x	x	x
Chan <i>et al.</i>	x		x	x
Zhang <i>et al.</i>	x		x	x
Wang <i>et al.</i>	x		x	x
Prayongrat <i>et al.</i>	x		x	x
Hsu <i>et al.</i>	x	x	x	x
Wen-yi Wang <i>et al.</i>	x		x	x
Huang <i>et al.</i>	x	x	x	x
Chen <i>et al.</i>	x		x	x
Liu <i>et al.</i>	x	x	x	x
Lertbutsayanukul <i>et al.</i>	x	x	x	x