

A Review of the Use of EQ-5D for Clinical Outcome Assessment in Health Technology Assessment, Regulatory Claims, and Published Literature

The Patient – Patient-Centred Outcomes Research

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Supplementary data 1: Systematic literature review search strategy

MEDLINE

Searched 12/01/21 via OvidSP interface.

Limited to English language and 2015 onwards.

Database: Ovid MEDLINE(R) and Epub Ahead of Print, In-Process & Other Non-Indexed

Citations and Daily <1946 to January 08, 2021>

Search Strategy:

- 1 (euroqol or "euro qol" or euroqual or "euro qual" or eq5d or "eq 5d" or eq-5d or eq5-d or eq-5d-3l or eq5d-5l or eq-vas or "eq vas" or eqvas or eq-sdq or eqsdq).ti,ab. (12102)
- 2 Randomised Controlled Trials as Topic/ (139419)
- 3 randomised controlled trial/ (520465)
- 4 Random Allocation/ (104363)
- 5 Double Blind Method/ (161737)
- 6 Single Blind Method/ (29535)
- 7 clinical trial/ (526805)
- 8 clinical trial, phase i.pt. (21124)
- 9 clinical trial, phase ii.pt. (33985)
- 10 clinical trial, phase iii.pt. (17718)
- 11 clinical trial, phase iv.pt. (2022)
- 12 controlled clinical trial.pt. (94008)
- 13 randomised controlled trial.pt. (520465)
- 14 multicenter study.pt. (285954)
- 15 clinical trial.pt. (526805)
- 16 exp Clinical Trials as topic/ (350752)

17 or/2-16 (1401600)

18 ((clinical or controlled or phase) adj2 trial\$.tw. (638833)

19 ((singl\$ or doubl\$ or treb\$ or tripl\$) adj (blind\$3 or mask\$3 or arm\$)).tw. (186086)

20 PLACEBOS/ (35271)

21 placebo\$.tw. (221462)

22 randomly allocated.tw. (30157)

23 (allocated adj2 random\$).tw. (33543)

24 or/18-23 (854665)

25 17 or 24 (1771100)

26 case report.tw. (324847)

27 letter/ (1116935)

28 historical article/ (361628)

29 or/26-28 (1786953)

30 25 not 29 (1731041)

31 1 and 30 (4337)

32 limit 31 to (english language and yr="2015 -Current") (2559)

2559 results.

Embase

Searched 12/01/21 via OvidSP interface.

Limited to English language and 2015 onwards.

Conference abstracts limited to 2018 onwards.

Database: Embase <1974 to 2021 Week 01>

Search Strategy:

- 1 exp *"european quality of life 5 dimensions questionnaire"/ or (euroqol or "euro qol" or euroqual or "euro qual" or eq5d or "eq 5d" or eq-5d or eq5-d or eq-5d-3l or eq5d-5l or eq-vas or "eq vas" or eqvas or eq-sdq or eqsdq).ti,ab. (22455)
- 2 clinical trial/ (999404)
- 3 randomised controlled trial/ (640549)
- 4 controlled clinical trial/ (466863)
- 5 multicenter study/ (275047)
- 6 Phase 3 clinical trial/ (50927)
- 7 Phase 4 clinical trial/ (4144)
- 8 exp RANDOMIZATION/ (89995)
- 9 Single Blind Procedure/ (41482)
- 10 Double Blind Procedure/ (180516)
- 11 Crossover Procedure/ (65847)
- 12 PLACEBO/ (361882)
- 13 randomi?ed controlled trial\$.tw. (247603)
- 14 rct.tw. (40274)
- 15 (random\$ adj2 allocat\$).tw. (45495)
- 16 ((singl\$ or doubl\$ or treb\$ or tripl\$) adj (blind\$3 or mask\$3 or arm\$)).tw. (265957)

17 placebo\$.tw. (320717)
 18 Prospective Study/ (654538)
 19 or/2-17 (1968714)
 20 Case Study/ (75110)
 21 case report.tw. (436416)
 22 abstract report/ or letter/ (1186583)
 23 Editorial.pt. (683177)
 24 letter.pt. (1162006)
 25 note.pt. (836259)
 26 or/20-25 (3273146)
 27 19 not 26 (1858572)
 28 1 and 27 (6953)
 29 limit 28 to (english language and yr="2015 -Current") (4704)
 30 limit 28 to (english language and yr="2015 -2017") (2123)
 31 (conference or "conference paper" or "conference proceeding" or "conference
 proceeding article" or "conference proceeding conference paper" or "conference
 proceeding editorial" or "conference proceeding note" or "conference proceeding review"
 or "journal conference abstract" or "journal conference paper" or "journal conference
 review").pt. (4761419)
 32 30 and 31 (1248)
 33 29 not 32 (3456)
 3456 results.