

1,040 publications were identified
using the search term alogliptin

958 excluded after screening the titles

82 potentially relevant literatures
were retrieved

62 excluded after assessing abstracts

21 reviews

11 animal studies

7 mainly on focus other DDI's

7 news and guidelines

6 duplications

5 diabetic patients with co-morbidity

5 meta-analyses (all in conjunction with
other DDI's)

20 accepted for further screening

**10 excluded after detailed assessment of
the whole documents**

8 pharmacokinetic and pharmacodynamic

1 non-double blind study

1 only on lipid profiles

10 meet the inclusion criteria for this
meta-analysis