# Supplementary material

#### Table S1: PRISMA 2009 checklist

Section/topic	#	Checklist item	Reported on page #
Title	1	Identify the report as a systematic review, meta-analysis, or both.	1
ABSTRACT			
Structured summary	2	Provide a structured summary including, as applicable: background; objectives; data sources; study eligibility criteria, participants, and interventions; study appraisal and synthesis methods; results; limitations; conclusions and implications of key findings; systematic review registration number.	1
INTRODUCTION			
Rationale	3	Describe the rationale for the review in the context of what is already known.	3
Objectives	4	Provide an explicit statement of questions being addressed with reference to participants, interventions, comparisons, outcomes, and study design (PICOS).	4
METHODS			
Protocol and registration	5	Indicate if a review protocol exists, if and where it can be accessed (e.g., Web address), and, if available, provide registration information including registration number.	4
Eligibility criteria	6	Specify study characteristics (e.g., PICOS, length of follow-up) and report characteristics (e.g., years considered, language, publication status) used as criteria for eligibility, giving rationale.	4
Information sources	7	Describe all information sources (e.g., databases with dates of coverage, contact with study authors to identify additional studies) in the search and date last searched.	5
Search	8	Present full electronic search strategy for at least one database, including any limits used, such that it could be repeated.	Table S2
Study selection	9	State the process for selecting studies (i.e., screening, eligibility, included in systematic review, and, if applicable, included in the meta-analysis).	6

Data collection process	10	Describe method of data extraction from reports (e.g., piloted forms, independently, in duplicate) and any processes for obtaining and confirming data from investigators.	6
Data items	11	List and define all variables for which data were sought (e.g., PICOS, funding sources) and any assumptions and simplifications made.	5
Risk of bias in individual studies	12	Describe methods used for assessing risk of bias of individual studies (including specification of whether this was done at the study or outcome level), and how this information is to be used in any data synthesis.	6
Summary measures	13	State the principal summary measures (e.g., risk ratio, difference in means).	N/A
Synthesis of results	14	Describe the methods of handling data and combining results of studies, if done, including measures of consistency (e.g., $I^2$ ) for each meta-analysis.	6
Risk of bias across studies	15	Specify any assessment of risk of bias that may affect the cumulative evidence (e.g., publication bias, selective reporting within studies).	N/A
Additional analyses	16	Describe methods of additional analyses (e.g., sensitivity or subgroup analyses, meta-regression), if done, indicating which were pre-specified.	N/A
RESULTS			
Study selection	17	Give numbers of studies screened, assessed for eligibility, and included in the review, with reasons for exclusions at each stage, ideally with a flow diagram.	7
Study characteristics	18	For each study, present characteristics for which data were extracted (e.g., study size, PICOS, follow-up period) and provide the citations.	8
Risk of bias within studies	19	Present data on risk of bias of each study and, if available, any outcome level assessment (see item 12).	15 + Table S4
Results of individual studies	20	For all outcomes considered (benefits or harms), present, for each study: (a) simple summary data for each intervention group (b) effect estimates and confidence intervals, ideally with a forest plot.	16
Synthesis of results	21	Present results of each meta-analysis done, including confidence intervals and measures of consistency.	N/A
Risk of bias across studies	22	Present results of any assessment of risk of bias across studies (see Item 15).	N/A
Additional analysis	23	Give results of additional analyses, if done (e.g., sensitivity or subgroup analyses, meta-regression [see Item 16]).	N/A
DISCUSSION			

Summary of evidence	24	Summarize the main findings including the strength of evidence for each main outcome; consider their relevance to key groups (e.g., healthcare providers, users, and policy makers).	20
Limitations	25	Discuss limitations at study and outcome level (e.g., risk of bias), and at review- level (e.g., incomplete retrieval of identified research, reporting bias).	21
Conclusions	26	Provide a general interpretation of the results in the context of other evidence, and implications for future research.	22
FUNDING			
Funding	27	Describe sources of funding for the systematic review and other support (e.g., supply of data); role of funders for the systematic review.	24

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#### Table S2: Electronic search strategies

Search strategies for literature in three databases on 28<sup>th</sup> May 2019: PubMed (1966 to May 2019), Embase (1980 to May 2019) and PsycInfo (1967 to May 2019). A follow-up search in the three databases was added on 29<sup>th</sup> April 2020

28/5/2019 Advanced search - PubMed - NCBI

Search (((((((''Stroke Rehabilitation''[Mesh) OR ''Stroke''[Mesh]) OR stroke[Text Word])) AND

(((((("Self Care"[Mesh]) OR "Self Efficacy"[Mesh]) OR "Patient Participation"[Mesh]) OR self

car\*[Text Word]) OR self manag\*[Text Word]) OR self efficac\*[Text Word]) OR ''Personal

Autonomy''[Mesh]) OR autonomy[Text Word]))) AND (((((((''Controlled Clinical Trial'' [Publication

Type]) OR randomized[Title/Abstract]) OR randomly[Title/Abstract]) OR trial[Title/Abstract]) OR

single blind\*[Title/Abstract]) OR double blind\*[Title/Abstract]) OR (((''Single-Blind Method''

[Mesh]) OR ''Double-Blind Method''[Mesh]) OR ''Random Allocation''[Mesh]))) AND ( ( Danish[lang] OR English[lang] OR Norwegian[lang] OR Swedish[lang] ) ))

Database: Embase <1974 to 2019 May 28> Search Strategy:

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- 1 stroke rehabilitation/ (2433)
- 2 exp cerebrovascular accident/ (187708)
- 3 stroke.ab,kw,ti. (356484)
- 4 or/1-3 (411417)
- 5 exp self care/ (74992)
- 6 self concept/ (83395)
- 7 patient participation/ (25265)
- 8 "self car\*".ab,kw,ti. (23748)
- 9 "self manag\*".ab,kw,ti. (25849)
- 10 "self efficac\*".ab,kw,ti. (30008)
- 11 personal autonomy/ (12987)
- 12 autonomy.ab,kw,ti. (33536)
- 13 or/5-12 (236873)
- 14 4 and 13 (3910)
- 15 exp controlled clinical trial/ (734794)
- 16 double blind procedure/ or single blind procedure/ (193974)
- 17 randomized.ab,ti. (683459)
- 18 randomly.ab,ti. (410323)
- 19 trial.ab,ti. (775077)
- 20 "single blind\*".ab,ti. (22924)

- 21 "double blind\*".ab,ti. (197817)
- 22 or/15-21 (1762996)
- 23 14 and 22 (836)
- 24 limit 23 to (conference abstract or conference paper or "conference review" or editorial or letter) (271)
- 25 23 not 24 (565)
- 26 limit 25 to (danish or english or norwegian or swedish) (532)

Database: PsycINFO <1806 to May Week 3 2019> Search Strategy:

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- 1 cerebrovascular accidents/ (19743)
- 2 stroke.ab,id,ti. (31535)
- 3 1 or 2 (33095)
- 4 self-determination/ (4237)
- 5 self-management/ (5991)
- 6 self-care skills/ (4278)
- 7 empowerment/ (7105)
- 8 "independence (personality)"/ (4994)
- 9 self-efficacy/ (21103)
- 10 client participation/ (1957)
- 11 "self car\*".ab,id,ti. (9046)
- 12 "self manag\*".ab,id,ti. (9311)
- 13 "self efficac\*".ab,id,ti. (37656)
- 14 autonomy.ab,id,ti. (28531)
- 15 or/4-14 (98737)
- 16 3 and 15 (620)
- 17 clinical trials/ (11329)
- 18 randomized.ab,ti. (67723)
- 19 randomly.ab,ti. (68919)
- 20 trial.ab,ti. (98669)
- 21 "single blind\*".ab,ti. (2277)
- 22 "double blind\*".ab,ti. (22835)
- 23 or/17-22 (199402)
- 24 16 and 23 (108)
- 25 limit 24 to (danish or english or norwegian or swedish) (108)

### Table S3: Overview of measurements

Psychosocial outcome measures	Measurements (Authors, year)	Pooled number of participants (Studies)
Self-Management	• Stroke Self-Management Outcome Expectation Scale (Lo et al., 2018)	338 (2)
	Stroke Self-Management Behaviors Performance Scale (Lo et al. 2018)	
	9 items from The Chinese Self-Management Behavior Questionnaire	
Solf Efficacy	(Sit et al. 2016)	720 (4)
Sell-Ellicacy	<ul> <li>To questions that assessed the patient's recovery self-efficacy (Glass et al. 2004)</li> </ul>	729 (4)
	<ul> <li>Self-efficacy Scale (Kendall et al., 2006)</li> </ul>	
	Stroke Self-Efficacy Questionnaire (Lo et al., 2018)	
	6 items from The Chinese Self-Management Behavior Questionnaire	
	(Sit et al., 2016)	
Quality of Life	Stroke Adapted 30-item Sickness Impact Profile (Allen et al., 2002)	1589 (6)
	<ul> <li>Stroke Specific Quality of Life scale (Allen et al., 2009; Kendall et al., 2000)</li> </ul>	
	2006) Short From 26 Dhysical Component Summany (Eulet al., 2020)	
	<ul> <li>Short From 12 Physical Component Summary (Fulet al., 2020)</li> <li>Short Form 12 Physical Component Summary (Fulet al., 2020)</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>European Quality of Life-5 Dimensions-5 levels (Fu et al., 2020)</li> </ul>	
	• A five-level, single-item global rating scale (Glass et al., 2004)	
	• Stroke and Aphasia Quality of Life Scale-39 (Hjelle et al., 2019)	
Depression	Center for Epidemiologic Studies Depression Scale (Allen et al., 2002;	1138 (5)
	Allen et al.; 2009; Glass et al., 2004)	
	13-item Geriatric Depression Scale Short Form (Bishop et al., 2015)	
	• Yale-Brown Single-item Questionnaire (Hjelle et al., 2019)	
Activities of	Stroke Impact Scale: Subscale 5 regarding perceived difficulties in	250 (2)
Daily Living	activities of daily living (Guidetti & Ytterberg, 2010)	
	Occupational Gaps Questionnaire (Guidetti & Ytterberg, 2010)	
	Chinese Lawton Instrumental Activities of Daily Living Scale (Sit et al.,	
	2016)	074 (0)
Active Lifestyle	An investigator-generated questionnaire measuring Stroke     Knowledge and Lifestyle Medification (Allon et al. 2000)	871 (3)
	Combining the scores on five timed tests of functional canacity	
	including writing a sentence, simulated eating, simulated dressing,	
	turning in a circle, and walking 20 feet (Glass et al., 2004)	
	• A description of stage of change in relation to risk factors identified by	
	the patient, including exercise (none; low:10-15 minutes/1-2x/week;	
	moderate: 15-30 minutes/3-4x/week; high: 30+ minutes/5-7x/week)	
Other Measures	Frenchay Activities Index (Rishon et al. 2015: Fullet al. 2020: Guidetti 8.	FAI1· 489 (3)
	Ytterberg, 2010)	FAD <sup>2</sup> : 49 (1)
	Family Assessment Device (Bishop et al., 2015)	PCS <sup>3</sup> : 49 (1)
	Perceived Criticism Scale (Bishop 2015)	CSI <sup>4</sup> : 400 (1)
	Caregiver Strain Index (Fu et al., 2020)	ISSB <sup>5</sup> : 291 (1)
	<ul> <li>A modified version of Barrera's Inventory of Socially Supportive Behaviors (Glass et al., 2004)</li> </ul>	Stress <sup>o</sup> : 200 (1) SIS <sup>7</sup> : 40 (1)
	A description of stage of change in relation to risk factors identified by	LiSat-11 <sup>8</sup> : 40 (1)
	the patient, including stress (none, mild, moderate, high) (Green et al.,	GHQ-28 <sup>9</sup> : 322 (1) SOC-13 <sup>10,</sup> 322 (1)
	2007)  Stroke Impact Scale: Subscale & regarding perceived difficulties in	550 15 . 522 (1)
	<ul> <li>Stroke impact scale, subscale 6 regarding perceived unitculties in participation (Guidetti &amp; Ytterberg, 2010)</li> </ul>	
	Life Satisfaction Scale 11 (Guidetti & Ytterberg, 2010)	

- General Health Questionnaire-28 (Hjelle et al., 2019)
- Sense of Coherence Scale-13 (Hjelle et al., 2019)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>FAI = Frenchay Activities Index; <sup>2</sup> FAD = Family Assessment Device; <sup>3</sup>PCS = Perceived Criticism Scale; <sup>4</sup>CSI = Caregiver Strain Index; <sup>5</sup> ISSB = A modified version of Barrera's Inventory of Socially Supportive Behaviors; <sup>6</sup>Stress = A description of stage of change in relation to stress; SIS<sup>7</sup> = Stroke Impact Scale; <sup>8</sup>LiSat-11 = Life Satisfaction Scale 11; <sup>9</sup>GHQ-28 = General Health Questionnaire-28; <sup>10</sup>SOC-13 = Sense of Coherence Scale-13

#### Table S4: An overview of the answers to signalling questions, together with free-text justification of the answers

Author (year)	Signalling question	n	Domain-level judgement		
	1.1 Sequence random?	1.2 Allocation concealed?	1.3 Imbalance suggest problem?	Default risk of bias	Remarks
Allen et al. (2002)	РҮ	РҮ	Ν	Low	Sound randomization methods and baseline balance
Allen et al. (2009)	РҮ	РҮ	NI	Low	Sound randomization methods and baseline balance
Bishop et al. (2015)	РҮ	РҮ	PN	Low	Sound randomization methods and baseline balance
Fu et al. (2020)	Y	Y	Ν	Low	Sound randomization methods and baseline balance
Glass et al. (2004)	Y	РҮ	РҮ	Some concern	Sound randomization methods. Fewer participant in the control group were depressed at baseline.
Green et al. (2007)	РҮ	Y	Ν	Low	Sound randomization methods and baseline balance
Guidetti & Ytterberg (2010)	Y	Y	PN	Low	Sound randomization methods and baseline balance
Hjelle et al. (2019)	Y	Y	РҮ	Some concern	Sound randomization methods. Fewer participant in the interventionl group were depressed at baseline.
Kendall et al. (2006)	РҮ	Y	NI	Low	Sound randomization methods and baseline balance
Lo et al. (2018)	Y	Y	PN	Low	Sound randomization methods and baseline balance
Sit et al. (2016)	Y	Y	Ν	Low	Sound randomization methods and baseline balance

Domain 1: Risk of bias arising from the randomization process

Y/PY = 'Yes' or 'Probably yes'; N/PN = 'No' or 'Probably no'; NI = 'No information'

Author (year)		Sig	nalling quest	Domain-level judgement			
	Part 1: Questio	ns 2.1 to 2.5					
	2.1 Participants aware?	2.2 Personnel aware?	2.3 Any deviations?	2.4 Affecting outcomes?	2.5 Balanced deviations?	Default risk of bias for part 1	Remarks
Allen et al. (2002)	Y	РҮ	PN			Low	It was not possible to blind participants, and people delivering the intervention. However, nothing unexpected seemed to occur in the implementation of the intervention
Allen et al. (2009)	NI	NI	Y	Ν		Some concern	No information about blinding, however it is assumed that blinding was not possible. Furthermore, little time was devoted to addressing health or psychosocial issues as intended
Bishop et al. (2015)	NI	NI	PN			Low	No information about blinding, however it is assumed that blinding was not possible. Nothing unexpected seemed to occur in the implementation of the intervention
Fu et al. (2020)	РҮ	PY	Ν			Low	No information about blinding, however it is assumed that blinding was not possible. Nothing unexpected seemed to occur in the implementation of the intervention
Glass et al. (2004)	Y	Y	Ν			Low	Participants and interventionists were aware of the patient's treatment assignment. However, nothing unexpected occurred in the implementation of the intervention
Green et al. (2007)	PY	Y	Ν			Low	Blinding to study group was not possible. However, nothing

#### Domain 2: Risk of bias due to deviations from the intended interventions (*effect of assignment to intervention*)

							unexpected occurred in the implementation of the intervention
Guidetti & Ytterberg (2010)	РҮ	РҮ	Y	Y	РҮ	High	No information about blinding, however it is assumed that blinding was not possible. High probability of spill-over effect from the intervention to participants in the control group
Hjelle et al. (2019)	Y	Y	Ν			Low	Group allocations were communicated to the patient and the people delivering the intervention. However, nothing unexpected occurred in the implementation of the intervention
Kendall et al. (2006)	РҮ	РҮ	NI			Some concern	No information about blinding, however it is assumed that blinding was not possible. No information about whether deviations arose because of the trial context
Lo et al. (2018)	РҮ	PY	NI			Some concern	No information about blinding, however it is assumed that blinding was not possible. No information about whether deviations arose because of the trial context
Sit et al. (2016)	ΡΥ	PY	NI			Some concern	No information about blinding, however it is assumed that blinding was not possible. No information about whether deviations arose because of the trial context
	Part 2: Questio	ns 2.6 and 2.7					
	2.6 Appropriate an	alysis?	2.7 Potential impa groups in anal	act on result du ysis?	e to switching	Default risk of bias for part 2	Remarks
Allen et al. (2002)	N		PN			Some concern	Missing information about analysis used to estimate the effect of assignment to intervention

Allen et al. (2009)	Y		Low	Used intention-to-treat analysis.				
Bishop et al. (2015)	Y		Low	Used intention-to-treat analysis				
Fu et al. (2020)	Y		Low	They do not mention whether they used intention-to-treat analysis, but that is what they did according to Figure 1				
Glass et al. (2004)	РҮ		Low	Intention-to-treat analysis was used for Barthel Index. It is assumed that intention-to-treat analysis is used for the other outcomes also				
Green et al. (2007)	Y		Low	Used intention-to-treat analysis				
Guidetti & Ytterberg (2010)	Y		Low	Used intention-to-treat analysis				
Hjelle et al. (2019)	Y		Low	Used intention-to-treat analysis				
Kendall et al. (2006)	NI	PN	Some concern	Missing information about analysis used to estimate the effect of assignment to intervention				
Lo et al. (2018)	Y		Low	Used intention-to-treat analysis				
Sit et al. (2016)	Y		Low	Used intention-to-treat analysis				
Criteria for the domain								
'Low' risk of bias in Part 1 AND 'Lo	ow' risk of bias in Part 2		Low					
'Some concerns' in either Part 1 C	DR in Part 2, AND NOT 'High' risk	in either part	Some concern					
'High' risk of bias in in either Part	1 OR in Part 2		High					

Y/PY = 'Yes' or 'Probably yes'; N/PN = 'No' or 'Probably no'; NI = 'No information'

## Domain 3: Risk of bias due to missing outcome data

Author (year)		Signalling	g question	Domain-level judgement		
	3.1 Complete data?	3.2 Evidence of no bias?	3.3 Could depend on true?	3.4 Likely depend on true?	Default risk of bias	Remarks
Allen et al. (2002)	NI	PN	NI	NI	High	Insufficient information about reasons for dropout. Does not differentiate between the dropout rate in the two groups. Total dropout = 21%. No information about methods correcting for missing outcome data.
Allen et al. (2009)	Ν	Ν	NI	PN	Some concern	Dropouts: 13% (Intervention group), 19% (control group. Do not describe reasons for dropout. Sensitivity analyses was not performed.
Bishop et al. (2015)	Ν	Ν	Y	PN	Some concern	Does not differentiate between the dropout rate in the two groups. Total dropout = 16% (stroke individuals) and 22% (caregivers). No flowchart. No information about methods correcting for missing outcome data.
Fu et al. (2020)	Y				Low	Dropouts: 7% (TC 1), 4% (TC 2) and 4% (Control group). The reasons for dropout were more or less similar in the three groups. Sensitivity analyses was made.
Glass et al. (2004)	Y				Low	Dropouts: 8% (interventions group) and 10% (control group). The reasons for dropout are similar in the two groups. Sensitivity analyses was made for Barthel Index. It is assumed that this also applies to the other outcomes.
Green et al. (2007)	Ν	Ν	Y	Y	High	Uneven dropouts: 28% (intervention group), 8% (control group). 20% voluntarily discontinued participation in the intervention group. Sensitivity

analyses was not performed.									
Guidetti & Ytterberg (2010)       N       N       Y       Y       High       In even dropouts: 47% (intervention group). Dropouts: 47% (intervention group). Dropouts: 38%. Some participants in twas too strenuous to participants. Used 'last-observation-carried-forw to correct for bias due to missing outcome data	on out said vard'								
Hjelle et al. (2019)Y*PNYPYDropouts: 7% (intervention group) 4% (Control group). Small dropout, the dropout rate was greatest in the intervention group and connected group allocation Used multiple imputations.	and but ie to								
Kendall et al. (2006)NPNYPNSome concernDoes not differentiate between the dropout rate in the two groups. To dropout = 29%. No flowchart. Sensitivity analyses was not perfor	ء tal med								
Lo et al. (2018) N N Y Y High Dropouts: 19% (intervention group participant in the intervention group received all sessions. Sensitivity analyses was not performed. Comp with per-protocol	), .p pared								
Sit et al. (2016)NYPNUneven dropout: 11% (intervention group), 22% (control group). Sensit analyses was not performed	n :ivity								
Y/PY = 'Yes' or 'Probably yes'; N/PN = 'No' or 'Probably no'; NI = 'No information'									

\* The other signalling questions were also assessed as they seem to be important in relation to the judgement

Domain 4: Risk of bias in measurement of the outcome

Author (year)		Signa	lling questi		Domain-level judgement		
	4.1 Inappropriate?	4.2 Differed between groups?	4.3 Aware?	4.4 Could be influenced?	4.5 Likely to be influenced?	Default risk of bias for	Remarks
Allen et al. (2002)	Ν	PN	Y	РҮ	PN	Some concern	Participant-reported outcomes = the outcome assessor was not blinded, as it was impossible to blind the participants to group assignment
Allen et al. (2009)	PN**	Ν	РҮ	РҮ	PN	Some concern	The investigator-generated questionnaire measuring present activity may not be sufficiently sensitive and validated. Participant-reported outcomes = the outcome assessor was not blinded, as it was impossible to blind the participants to group assignment
Bishop et al. (2015)	Ν	PN	РҮ	РҮ	PN	Some concern	Participant-reported outcomes = the outcome assessor was not blinded, as it was impossible to blind the participants to group assignment
Fu et al. (2020)	Ν	Ν	РҮ	РҮ	PN	Some concern	Participant-reported outcomes = the outcome assessor was not blinded, as it was impossible to blind the participants to group assignment
Glass et al. (2004)	ΡΥ***	(PN)	(PY)	(PY)	(PN)	High	The methods used to measure quality of life, physical performance and self-efficacy may not be sufficiently sensitive and validated. Furthermore, it was primarily participant-reported

							outcomes = the outcome assessor was not blinded, as it was impossible to blind the participants to group assignment
Green et al. (2007)	РҮ					High	The psychosocial measurements may not be sufficiently sensitive and validated.
Guidetti & Ytterberg (2010)	Ν	Ν	ΡΥ	ΡΥ	PN	Some concern	Participant-reported outcomes = the outcome assessor was not blinded, as it was impossible to blind the participants to group assignment
Hjelle et al. (2019)	Ν	РҮ	Y	РҮ	PN	Some concern	Participant-reported outcomes = the outcome assessor was not blinded, as it was impossible to blind the participants to group assignment
Kendall et al. (2006)	Ν	Ν	NI	ΡΥ	PN	Some concern	Blinding was not reported. However, participant-reported outcomes = the outcome assessor was not blinded, as it was impossible to blind the participants to group assignment
Lo et al. (2018)	Ν	Ν	РҮ	ΡΥ	PN	Some concern	Participant-reported outcomes = the outcome assessor was not blinded, as it was impossible to blind the participants to group assignment
Sit et al. (2016)	PN	PN	РҮ	ΡΥ	PN	Some concern	Participant-reported outcomes = the outcome assessor was not blinded, as it was impossible to blind the participants to group assignment
Y/PY = 'Yes' or 'Probably yes'; N/F	<u>N = 'No' or 'Probal</u>	bly no'; NI = 'No	information'	alidated		·	
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\*\*One of three psychosocial measurements may not be sufficiently sensitive and validated \*\*\* Not all psychosocial measurements were subject to uncertainty regarding sensitivity and validity, which is why the other signalling questions also were assessed

#### Domain 5: Risk of bias in selection of the reported result

Author (year)	Signalling question			Domain-level judgement		
	5.1 In accordance with plan?	5.2 Selected from multiple outcomes?	5.3 Selected from multiple analyses?	Default risk of bias	Remarks	
Allen et al. (2002)	NI	NI	NI	Some concern	No information about pre-specified analysis intentions	
Allen et al. (2009)	Y	Ν	Ν	Low	Data are analysed in accordance with pre-specified intentions	
Bishop et al. (2015)	PN	NI	NI	Some concern	Insufficient information about pre- specified analysis intentions	
Fu et al. (2020)	Y	Ν	Ν	Low	Data are analysed in accordance with pre-specified intentions	
Glass et al. (2004)	Y	Y	Ν	High	Data form Barthel Index are analysed in accordance with pre-specified intentions. However, the psychosocial outcomes are missing or insufficient reported	
Green et al. (2007)	PN	PN	PN	Some concern	Insufficient information about pre- specified analysis intentions. Investigators defined stress as a lifestyle risk factor. However, information about stress are insufficient reported	
Guidetti & Ytterberg (2010)	NI	NI	NI	Some concern	No information about pre-specified analysis intentions. However, it is a feasibility study and could be perceived as a pre-study	
Hjelle et al. (2019)	Y	Ν	Ν	Low	Data are analysed in accordance with pre-specified intentions	
Kendall et al. (2006)	NI	PY	PN	High	No information about pre-specified analysis intentions. Quality of life is overreported in relation to self- efficacy, and the different areas of quality of life is unevenly reported	
LO et al. (2018)	IN	INI	INI	some concern	insufficient information about pre-	

					specified analysis intentions. Do not report health-related quality of life, depressive symptoms and community reintegration as mentioned in the protocol
Sit et al. (2016)	NI	Ν	Ν	Some concern	Insufficient information about pre- specified analysis intentions

Y/PY = 'Yes' or 'Probably yes'; N/PN = 'No' or 'Probably no'; NI = 'No information'