PRISMA 2020 Checklist

Section and Topic	Item #	Checklist item	Location where item is reported
TITLE			
Title	1	Identify the report as a systematic review.	Title page, p. 1.
ABSTRACT			
Abstract	2	See the PRISMA 2020 for Abstracts checklist.	Abstract, p. 2.
INTRODUCTION			
Rationale	3	Describe the rationale for the review in the context of existing knowledge.	Section 1, Introduction, pp. 3–5.
Objectives	4	Provide an explicit statement of the objective(s) or question(s) the review addresses.	Section 1, Introduction, p. 5 (paragraph beginning "Accordingly, this study…").
METHODS			
Eligibility criteria	5	Specify the inclusion and exclusion criteria for the review and how studies were grouped for the syntheses.	Section 2.4, Inclusion and Exclusion Criteria, pp. 8–9; synthesis domains are described in Section 2.5, pp. 9–10.
Information sources	6	Specify all databases, registers, websites, organisations, reference lists and other sources searched or consulted to identify studies. Specify the date when each source was last searched or consulted.	Section 2.2, Data Source and Search Strategy, pp. 5–6; the supplementary update date and source are also reported in Sections 2.2–2.3, pp. 6–8.
Search strategy	7	Present the full search strategies for all databases, registers and websites, including any filters and limits used.	Section 2.2, Data Source and Search Strategy, pp. 5–6 (complete Scopus Boolean search string, search date, and limits).
Selection process	8	Specify the methods used to decide whether a study met the inclusion criteria of the review, including how many reviewers screened each record and each report retrieved, whether they worked independently, and if applicable, details of automation tools used in the process.	Section 2.3, Study Selection Process, pp. 6–8, and Figure 1. The manuscript does not report the number of reviewers,

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Data collection process	9	Specify the methods used to collect data from reports, including how many reviewers collected data from each report, whether they worked independently, any processes for obtaining or confirming data from study investigators, and if applicable, details of automation tools used in the process.	Section 2.5, Data Analysis and Synthesis, pp. 9–10. Reviewer-level data extraction procedures and investigator-contact procedures are not explicitly reported.
Data items	10a	List and define all outcomes for which data were sought. Specify whether all results that were compatible with each outcome domain in each study were sought (e.g. for all measures, time points, analyses), and if not, the methods used to decide which results to collect.	Section 2.5, pp. 9–10, defines the information sought for synthesis: publication trends, geographical distribution, keyword co-occurrence, and qualitative themes on complexity dimensions, dynamic behavior, management approaches, and performance. No separate assumptions for missing or unclear information are reported.
	10b	List and define all other variables for which data were sought (e.g. participant and intervention characteristics, funding sources). Describe any assumptions made about any missing or unclear information.	
Study risk of bias assessment	11	Specify the methods used to assess risk of bias in the included studies, including details of the tool(s) used, how many reviewers assessed each study and whether they worked independently, and if applicable, details of automation tools used in the process.	Not assessed. The manuscript does not report a formal study-level risk-of-bias tool or procedure.
Effect measures	12	Specify for each outcome the effect measure(s) (e.g. risk ratio, mean difference) used in the synthesis or presentation of results.	Not applicable. No pooled intervention effect measures or meta-analysis were conducted.
Synthesis methods	13a	Describe the processes used to decide which studies were eligible for each synthesis (e.g. tabulating the study intervention characteristics and comparing against the planned groups for each synthesis (item #5)).	Sections 2.4–2.5, pp. 8–10. Eligibility

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	13b	Describe any methods required to prepare the data for presentation or synthesis, such as handling of missing summary statistics, or data conversions.	criteria and synthesis domains/methods are specified; results are displayed in Figures 2–5. No statistical data conversion, meta-analysis, heterogeneity analysis, or sensitivity analysis was conducted.
	13c	Describe any methods used to tabulate or visually display results of individual studies and syntheses.	
	13d	Describe any methods used to synthesize results and provide a rationale for the choice(s). If meta-analysis was performed, describe the model(s), method(s) to identify the presence and extent of statistical heterogeneity, and software package(s) used.	
	13e	Describe any methods used to explore possible causes of heterogeneity among study results (e.g. subgroup analysis, meta-regression).	
	13f	Describe any sensitivity analyses conducted to assess robustness of the synthesized results.	
Reporting bias assessment	14	Describe any methods used to assess risk of bias due to missing results in a synthesis (arising from reporting biases).	Not assessed. The manuscript does not report a formal assessment of reporting bias or missing-results bias.
Certainty assessment	15	Describe any methods used to assess certainty (or confidence) in the body of evidence for an outcome.	Not assessed. No formal certainty/confidence-of-evidence framework was applied.
RESULTS			
Study selection	16a	Describe the results of the search and selection process, from the number of records identified in the search to the number of studies included in the review, ideally using a flow diagram.	Section 2.3, Study Selection Process, pp. 6–8, and Figure 1 report the selection flow and exclusion reasons/counts. Individual excluded studies are not cited separately.
	16b	Cite studies that might appear to meet the inclusion criteria, but which were excluded, and explain why they were excluded.	
Study characteristics	17	Cite each included study and present its characteristics.	Included sources are cited throughout Sections 2.4 and 3.2–3.7 (pp. 8–29). No separate table presenting characteristics of all 136 sources is provided.
Risk of bias in studies	18	Present assessments of risk of bias for each included study.	Not assessed. No study-level risk-of-bias assessment is presented.
Results of individual studies	19	For all outcomes, present, for each study: (a) summary statistics for each group (where appropriate) and (b) an effect estimate and its precision (e.g. confidence/credible interval), ideally using structured tables or plots.	Not applicable in the PRISMA effect-estimate sense. Individual studies are discussed within the qualitative

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			thematic synthesis in Sections 3.2–3.7, pp. 14–29.
Results of syntheses	20a	For each synthesis, briefly summarise the characteristics and risk of bias among contributing studies.	Sections 3.2–3.7, pp. 14–29, present the qualitative thematic syntheses. No formal risk-of-bias assessment, statistical meta-analysis, heterogeneity investigation, or sensitivity analysis was conducted.
	20b	Present results of all statistical syntheses conducted. If meta-analysis was done, present for each the summary estimate and its precision (e.g. confidence/credible interval) and measures of statistical heterogeneity. If comparing groups, describe the direction of the effect.	
	20c	Present results of all investigations of possible causes of heterogeneity among study results.	
	20d	Present results of all sensitivity analyses conducted to assess the robustness of the synthesized results.	
Reporting biases	21	Present assessments of risk of bias due to missing results (arising from reporting biases) for each synthesis assessed.	Not assessed. No formal certainty-of-evidence assessment is presented.
Certainty of evidence	22	Present assessments of certainty (or confidence) in the body of evidence for each outcome assessed.	
DISCUSSION			
Discussion	23a	Provide a general interpretation of the results in the context of other evidence.	Sections 3.2–3.7, pp. 14–29, and Section 4, Conclusions, pp. 29–31, provide the overall interpretation, managerial implications, and future research directions. Dedicated limitations of the included evidence/review process are not separately reported; search and retrieval constraints are described in Sections 2.2–2.3, pp. 5–8.
	23b	Discuss any limitations of the evidence included in the review.	
	23c	Discuss any limitations of the review processes used.	
	23d	Discuss implications of the results for practice, policy, and future research.	
OTHER INFORMATION			
Registration and protocol	24a	Provide registration information for the review, including register name and registration number, or state that the review was not registered.	Section 2.1, p. 5 states that the

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	24b	Indicate where the review protocol can be accessed, or state that a protocol was not prepared.	review procedure was defined before the search. No formal review registration or separate protocol-access statement is reported. The supplementary literature update is described in Sections 2.2–2.3, pp. 6–8.
	24c	Describe and explain any amendments to information provided at registration or in the protocol.	
Support	25	Describe sources of financial or non-financial support for the review, and the role of the funders or sponsors in the review.	Funding and Acknowledgments, p. 31. The manuscript states that the research received no external funding.
Competing interests	26	Declare any competing interests of review authors.	Conflicts of Interest, p. 31.
Availability of data, code and other materials	27	Report which of the following are publicly available and where they can be found: template data collection forms; data extracted from included studies; data used for all analyses; analytic code; any other materials used in the review.	Data Availability Statement, p. 31. The manuscript states that original contributions are included in the article and further inquiries may be directed to the corresponding author.

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