Supplementary Table 1 The detailed search strategy for each database

Database	Combinations of search words with Boolean operators
MEDLINE (PubMed)	("Fusobacterium nucleatum"[MeSH] OR "Fusobacterium"[All Fields]) AND ("Children"[MeSH] OR "Child"[All Fields]) AND ("Bone Infections"[MeSH] OR "Osteomyelitis"[MeSH] OR "Joint Diseases"[MeSH] OR "Empyema"[MeSH] OR "Osteitis"[All Fields])
Embase	('Fusobacterium nucleatum'/exp OR 'Fusobacterium'/exp) AND ('children'/exp OR 'pediatric'/exp OR 'infant'/exp) AND ('bone infection'/exp OR 'osseous infection'/exp OR 'osteomyelitis'/exp OR 'joint infection'/exp OR 'arthritis'/exp OR 'empyema'/exp OR 'osteitis'/exp OR 'abscess'/exp)
Scopus	(TITLE-ABS-KEY("Fusobacterium nucleatum") OR TITLE-ABS-KEY("Fusobacterium")) AND (TITLE-ABS-KEY("Children") OR TITLE-ABS-KEY("Child")) AND (TITLE-ABS-KEY("Bone infection") OR TITLE-ABS-KEY("Osteomyelitis") OR TITLE-ABS-KEY("Joint infection") OR TITLE-ABS-KEY("Empyema") OR TITLE-ABS-KEY("Osteitis"))
Epistemonikos	(("Fusobacterium nucleatum" OR "Fusobacterium" OR "F. nucleatum") AND ("Children" OR "Child" OR "Pediatric" OR "Infant") AND ("Bone infection" OR "Osteomyelitis" OR "Joint infection" OR "Empyema" OR "Osteitis" OR "Abscess" OR "Arthritis"))
CENTRAL	("Fusobacterium nucleatum" OR "Fusobacterium" OR "F. nucleatum") AND ("Children" OR "Child" OR "Pediatric" OR "Infant") AND ("Bone infection" OR "Osteomyelitis" OR "Joint infection" OR "Empyema" OR "Osteitis" OR "Abscess" OR "Arthritis")