Appendix 3.

Table 5. Precision of terms related with systematic appraisal of literature or evidence (set 15 of table 3)

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|   | Non systematic reviews | Systematic reviews | Total Items |
| Systematic analysis AND evidence |  10 33.3% |  20 66.7% | 30 |
| Systematic analysis AND literature |  13 34.2% |  25 65.8% | 38 |
| Systematic analysis AND research |  19 67.9% |  9 32.1% | 28 |
| Systematic analysis AND studies |  21 72.4%  |  8 27.6% | 29 |
| Systematic analysis AND trials |  9 75.0% |  3 25.0% | 12 |
| Systematic appraisal AND evidence |  1 33.3% |  2 66.7% | 3 |
| Systematic appraisal AND literature |  2 50.0% |  2 50.0% | 4 |
| Systematic appraisal AND research |  1 100.0% |  0 0.0% | 1 |
| Systematic appraisal AND studies |  1 100.0% |  0 0.0% | 1 |
| Systematic appraisal AND trials |  2 40.0% |  3 60.0% | 5 |
| Systematic assessment AND evidence |  3 50.0% |  3 50.0% | 5 |
| Systematic assessment AND literature |  1 50.0% |  1 50.0% | 3 |
| Systematic assessment AND research |  3 60.0% |  2 40.0% | 5 |
| Systematic assessment AND studies |  3 42.9% |  4 57.1% | 7 |
| Systematic assessment AND trials |  4 66.7% |  2 33.3% | 6 |
| Systematic evaluation AND evidence |  4 36.4% |  7 63.6% | 11 |
| Systematic evaluation AND literature |  4 44.4% |  5 55.6% | 9 |
| Systematic evaluation AND research |  9 75.0% |  3 25.0% | 12 |
| Systematic evaluation AND studies |  6 46.2% |  7 53.8% | 13 |
| Systematic evaluation AND trials |  8 57.1% |  6 42.9% | 14 |
| TOTAL |  124 52.5% |  112 47.5% | 236 |

Table 6. Precision of terms related with evidence (random sample of the items retrieved from set 16 of table 3)

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|   | Non systematic reviews | Systematic reviews | Total Items |
| Review AND evidence |  235 56.4% |  182 43.6% | 417 |
| Synthesis AND evidence |  157 87.2% |  23 12.8% | 180 |
| Evidence-based review |  30 32.6% |  62 67.4% | 92 |
| Evidence-based approach |  72 83.7% |  14 16.3% | 86 |
| Scientific evidence |  47 88.7% |  6 11.3% | 53 |
| Update AND evidence |  28 60.9% |  18 39.1% | 46 |
| Evidence-based treatment |  26 86.7% |  4 13.3% | 30 |
| Evidence-based management |  19 86.4% |  3 13.6% | 22 |
| Overview AND evidence |  18 81.8% |  4 18.2% | 22 |
| Evidence-based recommendations |  14 70.0% |  6 30.0% | 20 |
| Critical appraisal AND evidence |  12 80.0% |  3 20.0% | 15 |
| Critical evaluation AND evidence |  3 75.0% |  1 25.0% | 4 |
| Evidence-based overview |  3 75.0% |  1 25.0% | 4 |
| TOTAL |  664 67.0% |  327 33.0% | 991 |