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Records identified through database searching (n = 101)

Records after duplicates removed (n = 59)

Records screened (n = 59) → Records excluded (n = 40)

Full-text articles assessed for eligibility (n = 19) → Full-text articles excluded for either lack of direct evaluation of hirsutism or of appropriate control (n = 13)

Studies included in qualitative synthesis (n = 6) → Additional records identified through other sources (n = 4)

4 RCTs (2012-present) [33, 44, 45, 74]
4 RCTs (2010-2011) [19, 46, 103, 136]
1 Systematic review [104]
1 Consensus guideline [8]


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