909 records identified through database searching

0 records identified through other sources

114 duplicates removed

795 records screened after removal of duplicates

734 records excluded by abstract and title review
- 292 reviews, editorials, guidelines
- 183 observational studies
- 76 no race specific data
- 53 population not hypertensive
- 39 combination therapy
- 35 not treated with ace-i
- 15 N in study < 10
- 14 no blood pressure reduction provided
- 11 cellular/animal subjects
- 8 pediatric subjects
- 8 follow-up < 4 weeks

61 full-text articles assessed for eligibility

47 articles excluded by full-text review
- 21 no race specific data
- 6 reviews, editorials, guidelines
- 5 population not hypertensive
- 4 combination therapy
- 4 no precision recorded
- 2 N in study < 10
- 2 not treated with ace-i
- 1 observational studies
- 1 pediatric subjects
- 1 follow-up < 4 weeks

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