Process of inclusion of ISAAC articles

65 Potentially relevant articles
   31: Pub Med
   31: CNKI
   3: Search based on author’s name

21 Full-text of articles reviewed

44 Excluded based on titles and abstracts review
   25: not presenting prevalence of asthma
   7: results already presented in other articles
   7: not followed ISAAC protocol
   5: not conducted in China

9 Excluded based on full-text review
   7: results already presented in included articles
   1: not relevant because of age of subjects
   1: not clearly presenting asthma prevalence

12 Articles included