Potentially relevant papers identified by literature search (n=3,025)

Qualitative papers for detailed examination (n=120; 4.0%)

Papers assessed for methodological quality (n=35; 1.2%)

Papers excluded after evaluation of titles and abstracts

Papers excluded after review of full text (n=85; 2.8%)

Papers excluded after critical appraisal (n=8; 0.3%)

Qualitative papers included in the systematic review and metasynthesis (n=27; 0.9%)

Finally excluded (n=2,990 98.8%)

- Other type of publications: letters to the editor, editorials, and theoretical reviews, PhD thesis and other degree works, summaries of conferences, historical papers and book reviews (n=951, 31.4%)
- Studies in non-economic migrants (n=391; 12.9%)
- Other research topics (gender violence, other health determinants, health profiles, health practices, health knowledge (n=1556; 51.4%)
- Quantitative studies about health accessibility (n=92; 3.0%)

The articles do not accomplished at least 75% of check list appraisal and after qualitative discussion of the reviewers