FIGURE LEGEND

Figure 1  Flow diagram of selection process of studies included in the systematic review.

MEDLINE
EMBASE
N= 44

Abstracts from Cardiology Meetings
N= 9

53 titles identified in literature search

6 titles/abstracts excluded upon inspection

47 potentially relevant titles, retrieved as full-texts and abstracts

25 full text articles and abstracts excluded upon visual inspection (not relevant)

22 potentially relevant titles: 10 retrieved as full-texts, 11 as abstracts and 1 as a letter

4 abstracts excluded:
- Impossible to interpret (despite contacting authors) (n=1)
- Duplicate publications (n=3)

0 additional studies identified from references of the identified studies

18 articles included in the systematic review