FIGURE 2. Study Selection Flow Diagram

Records identified through database searching (n=31,299)

Records identified through other sources (n=0)

Records after duplicates removed (n=14,263)

Records screened for preliminary eligibility (n=14,263)

Records excluded following title/abstract screen (n=14,044)

Full text articles retrieved and assessed for eligibility (n=219)

Excluded full-text articles (n=210)
- Abstract only (n=4)
- Focus on acute injury or instability not CAI (n=101)
- Reports general injuries not specific to the ankle (n=9)
- Participants not children (n=26)
- Children and adult results grouped (n=22)
- Book section or review paper (n=32)
- Single case study (n=9)
- Other reasons (n=7)

Studies included in qualitative synthesis (n=9)