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Discretionary Revision

The authors mention risk of bias and publication bias, they may want to confirm the same via a funnel plot. They can plot that from RevMan software to see if there is a risk of publication bias. This may be opened in Non- Cochrane mode to do the same.

Level of interest: An article whose findings are important to those with closely related research interests

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: No, the manuscript does not need to be seen by a statistician.

Declaration of competing interests:

I declare that I have no competing interests.