## Suppl 2. Criteria for screening titles and abstracts

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| **Abstract screening tool V6 23/06/2022\***  **Citation, Title and Abstract Screening**   1. Does the **citation** indicate publication on or after 1st January 2012?    1. Yes: continue screening    2. No: stop screening 2. Does the **citation** indicate this is **NOT** a laboratory-based study?    1. Yes or Unsure/Unclear: continue screening    2. No: stop screening 3. Does the **citation** indicate this study involves humans?    1. Yes or Unsure/Unclear: continue screening    2. No: stop screening 4. Does the **citation** indicate this study involves adults (>18 years)?    1. Yes or Unsure/Unclear: continue screening    2. No: stop screening   **Abstract Screening**   1. Does the **abstract (or title)** indicate this is an observational or qualitative study, systematic review and/or meta-analysis?    1. Yes or Unsure/Unclear: continue screening       * Observational study designs include cohort studies, case-control studies, population-based studies, follow-up studies.       * Qualitative study designs include interview studies, ethnography, content analysis    2. No: stop screening       * Exclude trials, commentaries, book chapters, guidelines, surveys. 2. Does the **abstract (or title)** indicate that this is **NOT** a case report or case series of <10 people?    1. Yes or Unsure/Unclear: continue screening    2. No: stop screening       * Exclude case reports and case series ≤10 people. 3. Is the **abstract** **and title** written in English?    1. Yes: continue screening    2. No: stop screening 4. Does the **abstract (or title)** indicate the research was conducted in a high-income country?    1. Yes: continue screening    2. No: stop screening       * A full list of low and middle-income countries (and synonyms relating to) is available below\* 5. Does the **abstract (or title)** indicate that invasive coronary imaging or revascularisation in people with acute coronary syndrome is reported?    1. Yes or Unsure/Unclear: continue screening       * Imaging/intervention includes coronary angiography, revascularisation (any), PCI or CABG.    2. No: stop screening 6. Does the abstract (or title) indicate that more than one treatment pathway is reported?    1. Yes or Unsure/unclear: continue screening       * If paper is not explicit in detailing a single treatment pathway only, please include.       * Treatment pathways include: angiography versus no angiography; PCI versus CABG versus medical care    2. No: stop screening       * Stop screening if the paper is explicit in only reporting on a single treatment pathway eg CABG   **Decision: Should this article be included?**   1. **Yes,** all 8 screening questions answered Yes or Unsure/Unclear 2. **No,** at least one answers definitely “No” |

\*An initial 100 abstracts were assessed by all to achieve consensus; the remainder were assessed by one researcher only. Screening was repeated by a second author when uncertainty was present, and disagreements resolved by discussion.