

Cohort studies								
Studies	Representativeness of exposed cohort	Non-exposed cohort drawn from same community as exposed cohort	Ascertainment of exposure (secure record, structured interview)	Demonstrates that outcome was not initially present	Assessment of outcome (record linkage)	Follow-up at least a year	Adequacy of follow-up (complete, or describes characteristics of missing subjects)	Comparability of cohorts on the basis of the design or analysis
Lantz, 2017	*	*	*	*		*	*	**
Ghanshani, 2020		*	*	*	*	*	**	*
Vijiaratnam, 2016	*		*	*	*	*	**	*
Case Control								
Studies	Representativeness of Cases	Is the case definition adequate?	Selection of controls	Definition of controls	Ascertainment of exposure	Same method of ascertainment for cases and controls	Non-response rate	Comparability of cases and controls on the basis of the design or analysis
Lin, 2014	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Cross Sectional								
Studies	Representativeness of the sample	Sample size	Non respondents	Ascertainment of the exposure	Comparability	Assessment of outcome	Statistical Test	
Kuybu, 2020	*	*	*	*	**	**	*	
Patel, 2019	*	*	*	*	**	**	*	

Table 2. Newcastle-Ottawa Scale for Cohort Studies, Case Control Studies and Cross-Sectional Studies included