

Identification

Records identified through database searching
(TOTAL n= 10159)
[Medline n =1825; Embase n=4947; PsychInfo n=754;
Global Health n=631; CENTRAL n=1768;
ClinicalTrials n=184; WHO ICTRP n=50]

Additional records
identified through
other sources
(n = 266)

Screening

Records after duplicates removed
(n = 6683)

Records screened
(n = 6683)

Records excluded
(n = 6148)

Eligibility

Full-text articles assessed
for eligibility
(n = 535)

Full-text articles excluded,
with reasons[#]
(TOTAL n = 481)
[Duplicates: n=4,
No RCT: n=121,
Ineligible intervention: n=305,
Ineligible comparator: n=13,
Other reasons: n=38]

Included

Trials included in
qualitative synthesis
(n = 22)*

Ongoing trials
(n=12)*

Trials included in
quantitative synthesis
(n=20 in meta-analyses)