Supplementary material

Supplementary Table 1. Bias risk evaluation results of included non-RCT literature.

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| Included study | Define research objectives | Inclusion patient consistency | The data collection | Endpoints reflect purpose | Endpoints evaluated objectively | Adequate follow-up time | Follow-up rate <5% | Estimated sample | Appropriate control group | Control group synchronization | Baseline comparison between groups | Statistical appropriateness | score |
| Aknavizad | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 20 |
| Tirabassi | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 22 |
| Zhu | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 20 |
| Abb | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 22 |
| ElhamAzizi | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 22 |
| Rehman | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 22 |
| Leena | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 24 |

Note: 0: Not reported; 2: Reported fully.