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None declared.

#### INTRODUCTION

Review question / Objective: This metaanalysis aims to present a collective view on the relationship between related factors and stroke in the type 2 diabetes population.

# Factors related to the risk of stroke in the population with type 2 diabetes: A protocol for systematic review and meta-analysis

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**INPLASY registration number:** This protocol was registered with the International Platform of Registered Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis Protocols (INPLASY) on 15 October 2021 and was last updated on 15 October 2021 (registration number INPLASY2021100046).

Condition being studied: Relationship factors and stroke in the type 2 diabetes population.

## **METHODS**

Participant or population: patients diagnosed with type 2 diabetes people.

**Intervention:** Type 2 diabetes with stroke.

Comparator: Type 2 diabetes without stroke.

Study designs to be included: Case-control study and cohort study.

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Information sources: Pubmed, Web of science, Cochrane library, Medline and China National Knowledge Infrastructure databases.

Main outcome(s): The incidence of stroke in patients with type 2 diabetes.

Quality assessment / Risk of bias analysis: Newcastle-Ottawa Scale.

Strategy of data synthesis: STATA16.0 software was used and researchers used standard data extraction tables to collect the following information: article metadata, including the name of the first author publication year, country or region, sample size,number of stroke cases,and related factors reported. We extracted the OR and 95% CI of stroke in the type 2 diabetes population for follow-up analysis. Choose the most appropriately adjusted model to evaluate the risk value of the final analysis when extracting the data. If the study does not report a risk estimate, an unadjusted estimate will be calculated based on the number of cases and controls in the defined category of related factors.

Subgroup analysis: When the heterogeneity was large, we performed subgroup analysis. According to the characteristics of the included articles, we performed subgroup analysis, such as the differences in diagnostic criteria.

Sensitivity analysis: If I^2 ≥ 50% for the primary outcome, sensitive analysis was conducted by removing one article with an outlying effect size.

Country(ies) involved: China.

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