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## Umbrella Review of the Effectiveness of Suicide Prevention in Latin America

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### INTRODUCTION

**Review question / Objective** Identify the evidence surrounding the effectiveness of suicide prevention programmes and activities in Latin American cultural contexts.

**Rationale** Suicide is a growing problem in the Americas. While other regions of the world have reported a decline in suicidality, suicide rates are only rising in many parts of North, Central and South America. This is particularly challenging for Latin American countries, with specific cultural contexts that are often not addressed in high quality, peer-reviewed research. This umbrella review aims to summarize the scientific evidence for suicide prevention activities and programmes in these contexts.

**Condition being studied** Suicide and suicidal ideation in Latin American populations.

### METHODS

**Participant or population** Latin American populations in general.

**Intervention** Any intervention to prevent suicide and suicidal ideation.

**Comparator** Not applicable.

**Study designs to be included** Systematic Reviews.

**Eligibility criteria** Includes results for Latin American populations.

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**Information sources** Electronic databases: Web of Science; Scopus; ProQuest.

**Main outcome(s)** Effect on suicidality.

**Quality assessment / Risk of bias analysis** PRISMA requirements.

**Strategy of data synthesis** Descriptive synthesis of Population, Intervention, Comparison, and Outcome.

**Subgroup analysis** By gender, age, and geographical categories.

**Sensitivity analysis** Not applied.

**Language restriction** English and Spanish language.

**Country(ies) involved** México.

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