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1. To assemble and classify a comprehensive bibliography of factors limiting the quality, number and progress of RCTs
2. To collate and report the findings, identifying areas where firm conclusions can be drawn, and identifying areas where further research is required.

Authors' conclusions
The evidence available to guide many aspects of the design, conduct and analysis of RCTs is not always being applied.

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