Clinical effectiveness and cost consequences of selective serotonin reuptake inhibitors in the treatment of sex offenders
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Authors' objectives
This report aims to systematically review the currently available evidence on the clinical effectiveness and cost-consequences of the use of selective serotonin reuptake inhibitors (SSRIs) for the treatment of sex offenders.

Authors' conclusions
Although SSRIs are an intervention of clear potential importance for the treatment of sex offenders, there is great uncertainty about their effectiveness suggesting that further research should be the main priority.

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