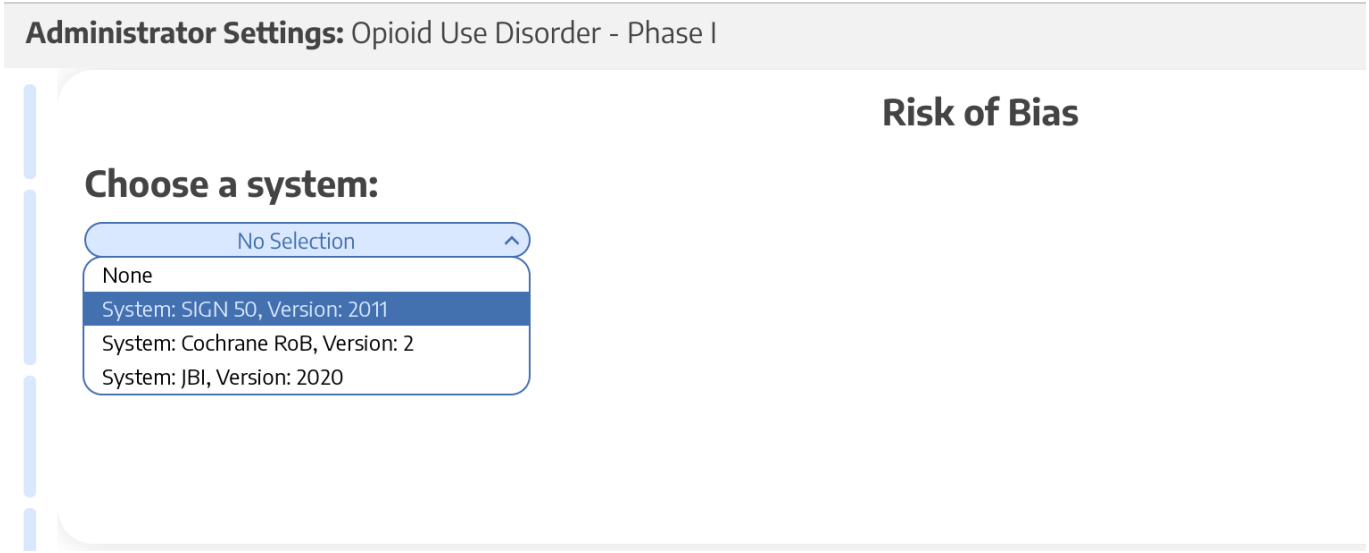
Critical Appraisal (previously named Risk of Bias)

Objective

Evaluate the quality of evidence of included cohort studies or controlled trials.

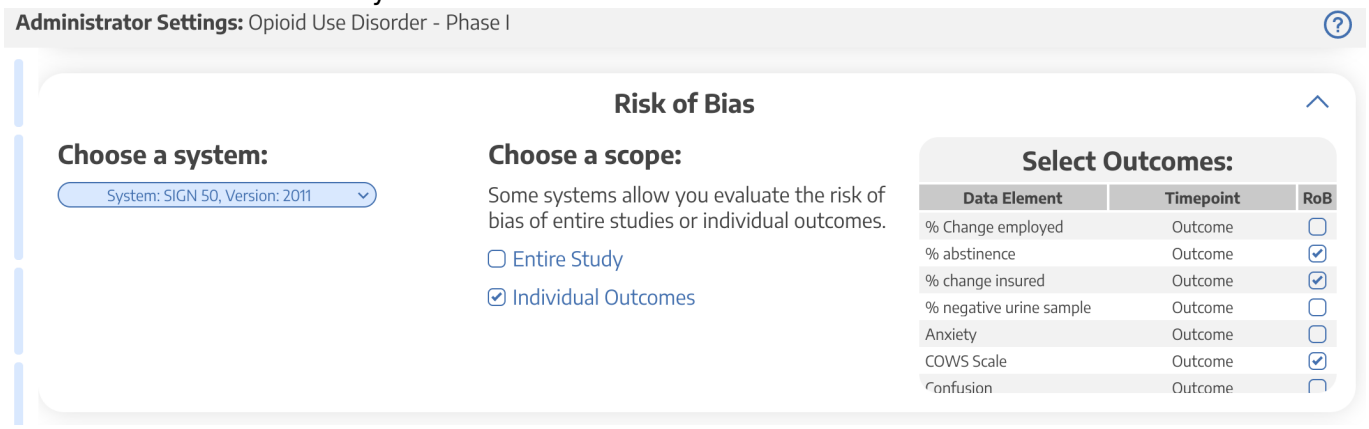
Configure Risk of Bias

From administrative settings, select the ROB mode.



Choose Scope

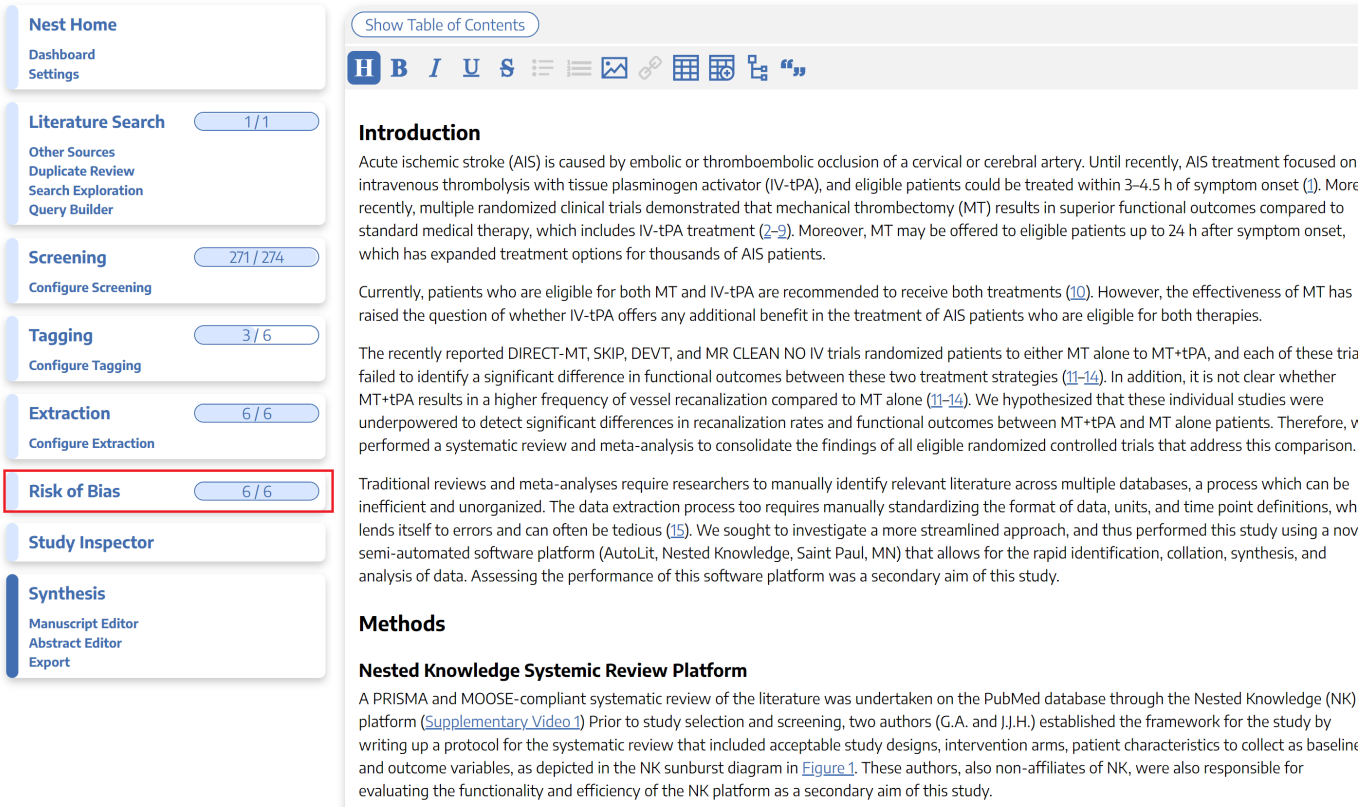
Assess Risk of Bias the study level or the outcome level:



Start Assessing Risk of Bias

Navigate to ROB Module

After selecting the system and scope, reviewers can begin assessing ROB. You may need to refresh. Once the page reloads, ROB will appear in the navigation menu.



Read study and select study type

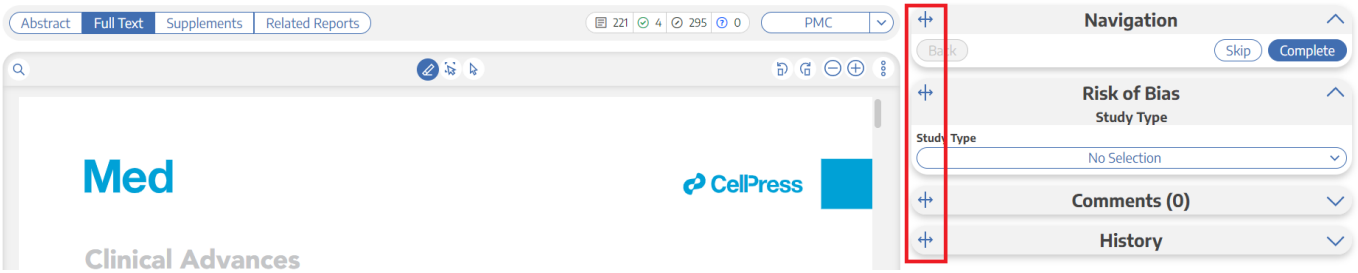
Depending on the selected ROB system, you may need to select a Cohort Study or Controlled Study to begin assessment.

Assess study bias

Fill out the ROB questions as you read through the uploaded study.

You can monitor your progress, skip studies (and return to them later), and leave comments!

Note: Anytime there is a module box with the adjustable icon, you can drag to adjust the width of the box depending on your preference.



Risk of Bias Visuals

By completing Risk of Bias, you automatically generate Risk of Bias visuals: Domain Distribution and Stoplight diagrams on Synthesis.