How to Search, Screen, Tag, and Extract for Your Systematic Review

Creating Your Search Terms

The strongest search terms take into account the PICO format, boolean operators, MeSH terms, and properly enclosed phrases.

Databases to Search

You will need to decide which databases you want to search.
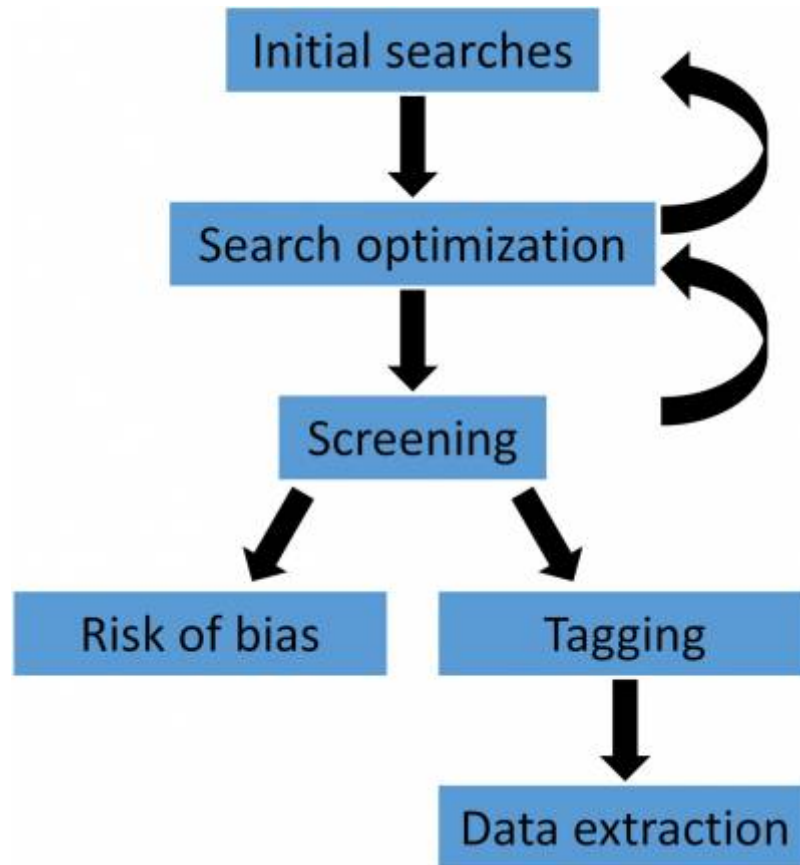
Best Practices for Screening

Tips and tricks on how to screen studies for inclusion or exclusion from your review.

Best Practices for Tagging

Recommendations on how to properly tag included studies.

Best Practices for Data Extraction

How to extract data of interest from included studies.

The steps involved with conducting a systematic review.