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Table 7.3.a: Checklist of items to consider in data collection or data extraction

Source	Outcomes
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Study ID (created by review author).</li> <li>Report ID (created by review author).</li> <li>Review author ID (created by review author).</li> <li>Citation and contact details.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Outcomes and time points (i) collected; (ii) reported*.</li> </ul>
<b>Eligibility</b>	<i>For each outcome of interest:</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Confirm eligibility for review.</li> <li>Reason for exclusion.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Outcome definition (with diagnostic criteria if relevant).</li> <li>Unit of measurement (if relevant).</li> <li>For scales: upper and lower limits, and whether high or low score is good.</li> </ul>
<b>Methods</b>	<b>Results</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Study design.</li> <li>Total study duration.</li> <li>Sequence generation*.</li> <li>Allocation sequence concealment*.</li> <li>Blinding*.</li> <li>Other concerns about bias*.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Number of participants allocated to each intervention group.</li> </ul>
	<i>For each outcome of interest:</i>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sample size.</li> <li>Missing participants*.</li> <li>Summary data for each intervention group (e.g. 2x2 table for dichotomous data; means and SDs for continuous data).</li> </ul>
<b>Participants</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>[Estimate of effect with confidence interval; P value].</li> <li>[Subgroup analyses].</li> </ul>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Total number.</li> <li>Setting.</li> <li>Diagnostic criteria.</li> <li>Age.</li> <li>Sex.</li> <li>Country.</li> <li>[Co-morbidity].</li> <li>[Socio-demographics].</li> <li>[Ethnicity].</li> <li>[Date of study].</li> </ul>	<b>Miscellaneous</b>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Funding source.</li> <li>Key conclusions of the study authors.</li> <li>Miscellaneous comments from the study authors.</li> <li>References to other relevant studies.</li> <li>Correspondence required.</li> <li>Miscellaneous comments by the review authors.</li> </ul>
<b>Interventions</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Total number of intervention groups.</li> </ul>	
<i>For each intervention and comparison group of interest:</i>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Specific intervention.</li> <li>Intervention details (sufficient for replication, if feasible).</li> <li>[Integrity of intervention].</li> </ul>	