Grading of Recommendations Assessment, Development and Evaluation (GRADE) 101 intro for users

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Objectives

Participants will learn about GRADE and how to use it to create Summary of Findings tables for systematic reviews

Brief description of content

Participants will be introduced to GRADE and GRADEpro software, the steps involved in creating a Summary of Findings table, the factors to consider when GRADEing the evidence, presenting statistical results and using GRADEpro to create a Summary of Findings Table.

Readings / Resources:

1. Guyatt GH, Oxman AD, Vist GE, Kunz R, Falck-Ytter Y, Alonso-Coello P, Schünemann HJ: **GRADE: an emerging consensus on rating quality of evidence and strength of recommendations**. *BMJ* 2008, **336**(7650):924.

2. Guyatt GH, Oxman AD, Kunz R, Vist GE, Falck-Ytter Y, Schunemann HJ: **What is "quality of evidence" and why is it important to clinicians?** *Bmj* 2008, **336**(7651):995-998.