

## Information for Journalists

- Cochrane has 11,000 members and over 35,000 supporters from more than 130 countries, worldwide
- Cochrane has eight Networks of Cochrane Review Groups (CRGs) responsible for the production of high-quality systematic reviews that address the most important research questions for decision makers
- We have official geographic Cochrane Groups in 43 countries. These Groups represent Cochrane and support the use of Cochrane evidence in health policy and practice, and support Cochrane's members and supporters who live there
- Cochrane has 11 thematic Fields which focus on dimensions of health care other than a condition or topic - including the setting of care (primary care), the type of consumer (children, older people), or the type of provider (nursing)
- There are 17 Methods Groups which provide policy advice and space for discussion on the development and implementation of methods used in the preparation of Cochrane Reviews
- The Cochrane Library is a collection of databases that contain different types of high-quality, independent evidence to inform healthcare decision-making. The Cochrane Library is owned by Cochrane and published by Wiley
- The Cochrane Library is available as a Spanish language version.  
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- There are over 7,800 reviews on the Cochrane Library with over 1,400 published since 2016
- A Cochrane Review is a systematic review of research in health care and health policy that is published in the Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews
- Cochrane Reviews base their findings on the results of studies that meet certain quality criteria. Authors of Cochrane Reviews apply methods which reduce the impact of bias across different parts of the review process
- Cochrane Reviews are updated to reflect the findings of new evidence when it becomes available because the results of new studies can change the conclusions of a review
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