Search strategy

PICOTS:

- **Population**: patients with any health condition within primary health care.
- **Index test**: Machine learning prediction models.
- Comparator: usual care, any other non-machine learning model, or none.
- Outcome: specific primary outcome of each health condition.
- **Timing**: before or at diagnosis point and short- or long-term follow up points.
- **Setting**: ambulatory settings worldwide.

Search string:

Literature search using only population and index test search strings. Primary outcomes of health conditions were not used as search terms for the wide scope of the review. Search string were as follows:

Population	Index test
Primary health care [MeSH Term]	Machine Learning [MeSH term]
Primary healthcare / Primary care	Artificial intelligence [MeSH Term]
General practice [MeSH Term]	Deep Learning [MeSH Term]
Family practice / Family medicine	
Ambulatory care / Ambulatory setting	
Nursing	

Database search:

Applied filters: 1990-2022, primary studies and reviews, and all fields/full-text search. Search was conducted on **05.08.2021 and updated on 04.01.2022.**

Timespan=1990-2022, Search language=Auto TS=("primary health care" OR "primary healthcare" OR "primary care" OR 1,077,79 "general pract*" OR "family pract*" OR "ambulatory setting*" OR nurs* OR "ambulatory care" OR "family medicine") Databases= WOS, BCI, BIOSIS, CCC, KJD, MEDLINE, RSCI, SCIELO Timespan=1990-2022 Search language=Auto #1 AND #2 PubMed ("machine learning" OR "artificial intelligence" OR "deep learning") Filters applied: Clinical Trial, Observational Study, Randomized Controlled Trial, Review, Systematic Review, Validation Study ("primary health care" OR "primary healthcare" OR "primary care" OR "general pract*" OR "family pract*" OR "ambulatory setting*" OR nurs* OR "ambulatory care" OR "family medicine") Filters applied: Clinical Trial, Observational Study, Randomized Controlled Trial, Review, Systematic Review, Validation Study Trial, Review, Systematic Review, Validation Study	Web of Science (include 8 databases)	
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Reviews, Trials (Word variations have been searched)	Reviews, Trials (Word variations have been searched)	

("primary health care" OR "primary healthcare" OR "primary care" OR "general	86,323
pract*" OR "family pract*" OR "ambulatory setting*" OR nurs* OR	
"ambulatory care" OR "family medicine") with Cochrane Library publication	
date Between Jan 1990 and Jan 2022, in Cochrane Reviews, Trials (Word	
variations have been searched)	
#1 AND #2	138
Elsevier-Embase	
('machine learning'/exp OR 'machine learning' OR 'artificial intelligence'/exp	
OR 'artificial intelligence' OR 'deep learning'/exp OR 'deep learning') AND	293,714
[1990-2022]/py	
('primary health care' OR 'primary healthcare' OR 'primary care' OR 'general	
pract*' OR 'family pract*' OR 'ambulatory setting*' OR nurs* OR 'ambulatory	
care' OR 'family medicine') AND [1990-2022]/py	
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Elsevier-Scopus	
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learning}) AND PUBYEAR > 1989 AND (LIMIT-	
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Elsevier-ScienceDirect	
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2021, reviews, articles, medicine and dentistry, computer science	
("primary health care" OR "primary healthcare" OR "primary care" OR "general	168,917
practice" OR "family practice" OR "ambulatory setting" OR nurs OR	
"ambulatory care" OR "family medicine") 1990-2022, reviews, articles,	
medicine and dentistry, Nursing and health profession	
#1 AND #2	2,358
BioRxiv and MedRxiv	
"machine learning" and posted between "01 Jan, 1990 and 04 Jan, 2022"	16,363
"primary health care" and posted between "01 Jan, 1990 and 04 Jan, 2022"	633
"general practice" and posted between "01 Jan, 1990 and 04 Jan, 2022"	933
#1 AND #2OR#3, subjects: all	10,333
#1 AND #2OR#3, subjects: Primary care research, nursing, bioinformatics	1,259
ACM Digital Library	
[All: "machine learning"] OR [All: "artificial intelligence"] OR [All: "deep	19,970
learning"] AND [Publication Date: (01/01/1990 TO 01/04/2022)]	

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"ambulatory setting*"] OR [All: nurs*] OR [All: "ambulatory care"] OR [All:	
"family medicine"] AND [Publication Date: (01/01/1990 TO 01/04/2022)]	
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IEEE Xplore Digital Library	
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OR "All Metadata": "deep learning") Filters Applied: Journals, 1990 - 2022	
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OR "All Metadata": "primary care" OR "All Metadata": "general pract*" OR "All	
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Total retrieved studies	23,045