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## **II Input data for estimation**

### *i) Search strategy and selection criteria*

Neonatal terms ("infant, newborn"[MeSH Terms] OR ("infant"[All Fields] AND "newborn"[All Fields]) OR "newborn infant"[All Fields] OR "neonate"[All Fields]) OR ("infant, newborn"[MeSH Terms] OR ("infant"[All Fields] AND "newborn"[All Fields]) OR "newborn infant"[All Fields] OR "newborn"[All Fields])

AND

Infection terms; "Tetanus"[Mesh] OR "tetanus"[All Fields]; OR "Meningitis" [Mesh] OR "meningitis"[All Fields]; OR "Sepsis"[Mesh] OR "sepsis"[All Fields]; OR "Pneumonia"[Mesh] OR "pneumonia"[All Fields] OR "infection"[Mesh] OR "infection"[All Fields].

AND

Incidence terms; (rate [All Fields] OR ("epidemiology"[Subheading] OR "epidemiology"[All Fields] OR "incidence"[All Fields] OR "incidence"[MeSH Terms]))

AND

Community terms; population-based[All Fields] OR ("residence characteristics"[MeSH Terms] OR ("residence"[All Fields] AND "characteristics"[All Fields]) OR "residence characteristics"[All Fields] OR "community"[All Fields])

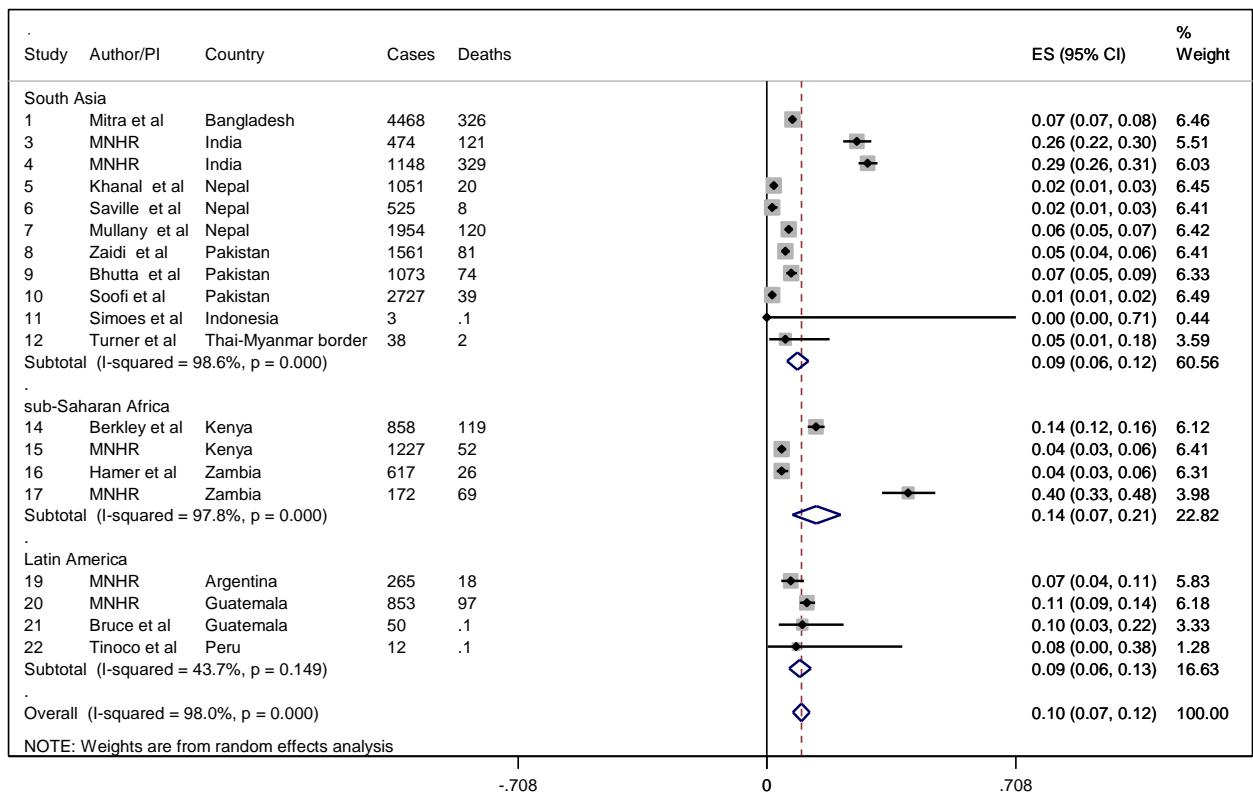
*ii) Signs and symptoms used for diagnoses*

Study	Country	Feeding difficulty	Lethargy/dec consol level	Tachypnoea	Fever	Hypothermia	Severe indrawing	Convulsion	Difficulty breathing	Severe diarrhoea /vomiting	Skin/ umbilical infection	Weak cry	Grunting	capillary refill > 2 secs	Nasal flaring	cough	sore throat	rhinorrhoea	Glucose imbalance	Abdo distension	Bilious aspirates	Blood in stool	Jaundice
<b>Study no.</b>	<b>YICSS</b>	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓																
1	Bangladesh	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓																
2	India	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓		✓													
3	India	✓			✓	✓		✓	✓		✓												
4	India	✓			✓	✓		✓	✓		✓												
5	Nepal	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓						✓	✓										
6	Nepal	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓					✓	✓	✓									
7	Nepal*	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓														
8	Pakistan	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓							✓	✓						
9	Pakistan	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓														
10	Pakistan	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓														
11	Indonesia	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓																
12	Thai-Myanmar		✓	✓									✓						✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
13	Ghana	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓														
14	Kenya	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓														
15	Kenya	✓			✓	✓			✓	✓													
16	Zambia	✓	✓		✓	✓			✓	✓													✓
17	Zambia	✓			✓	✓			✓	✓													
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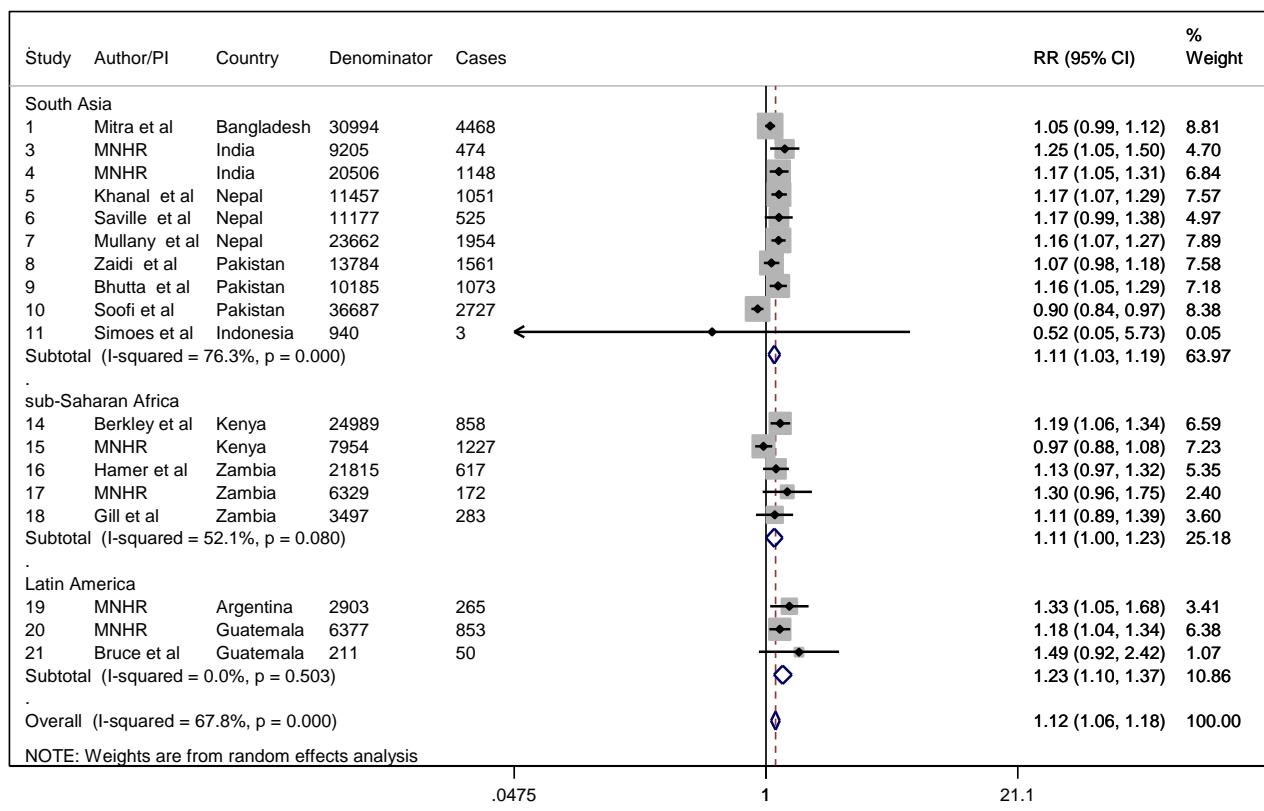
\*any two criteria

### iii) Pooled estimates

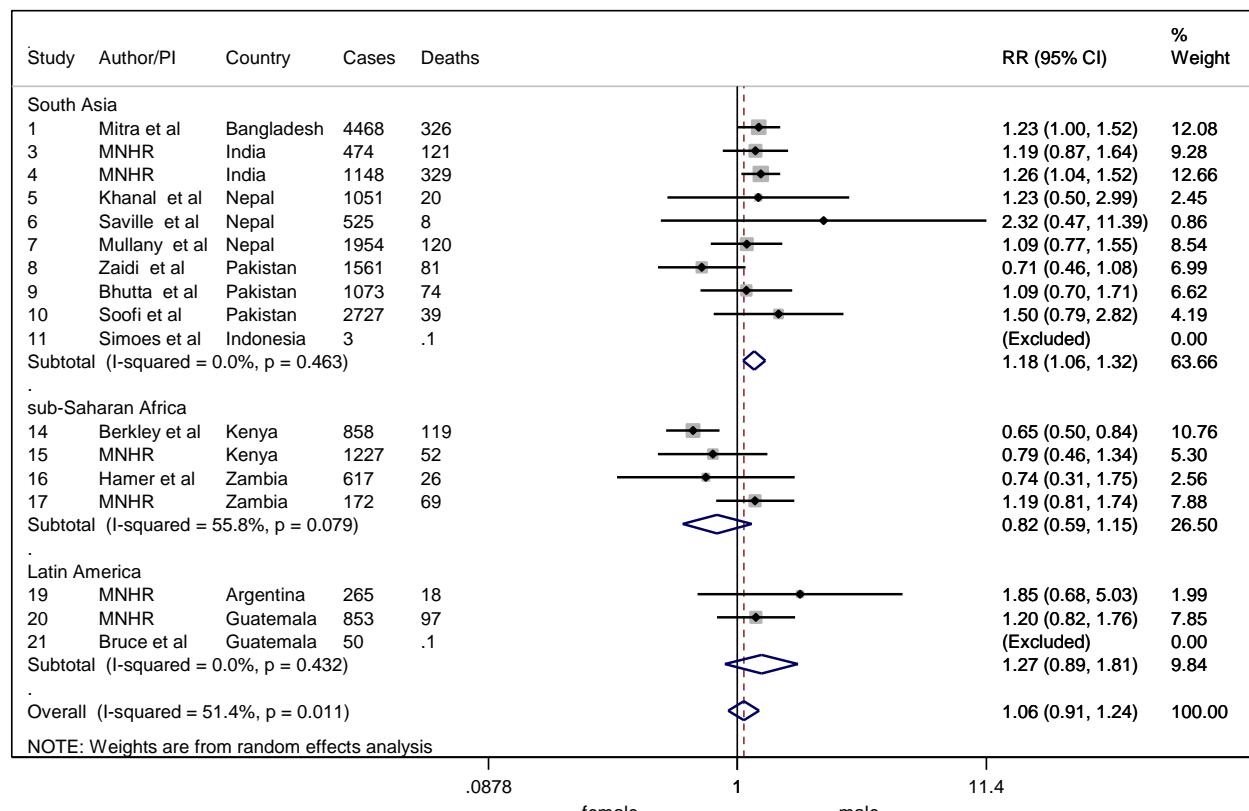
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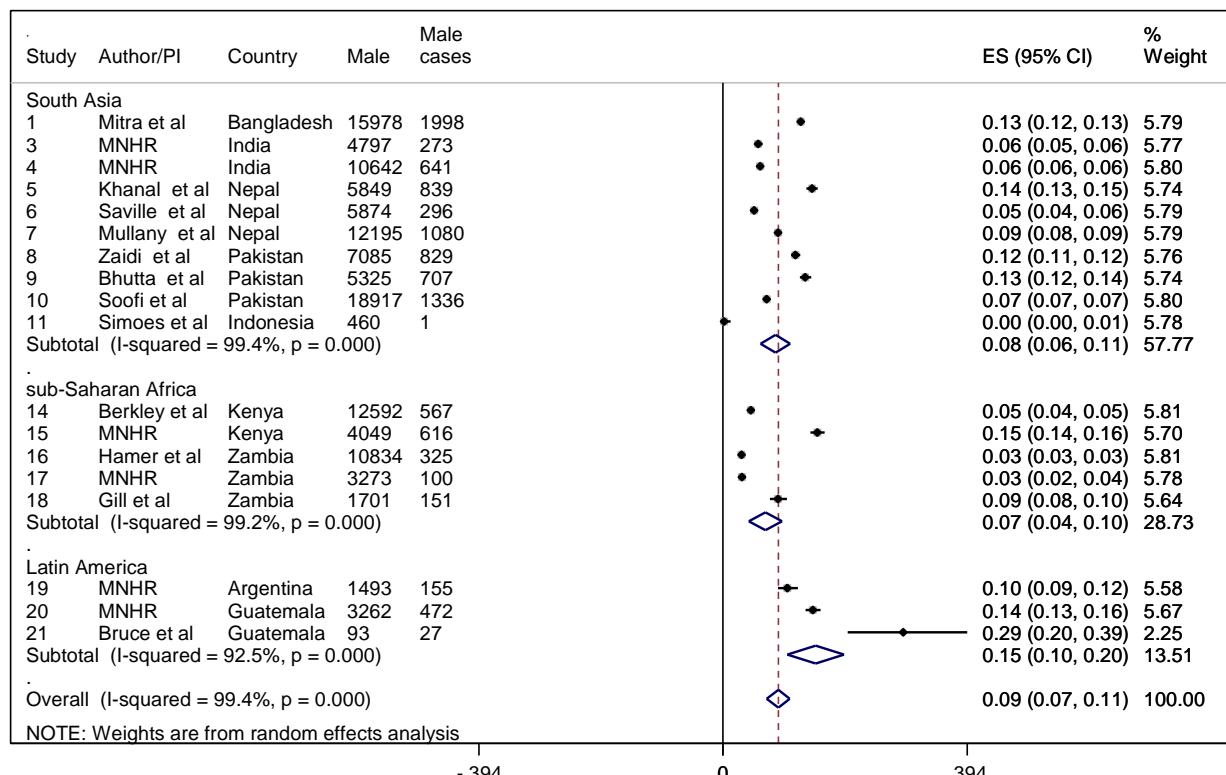
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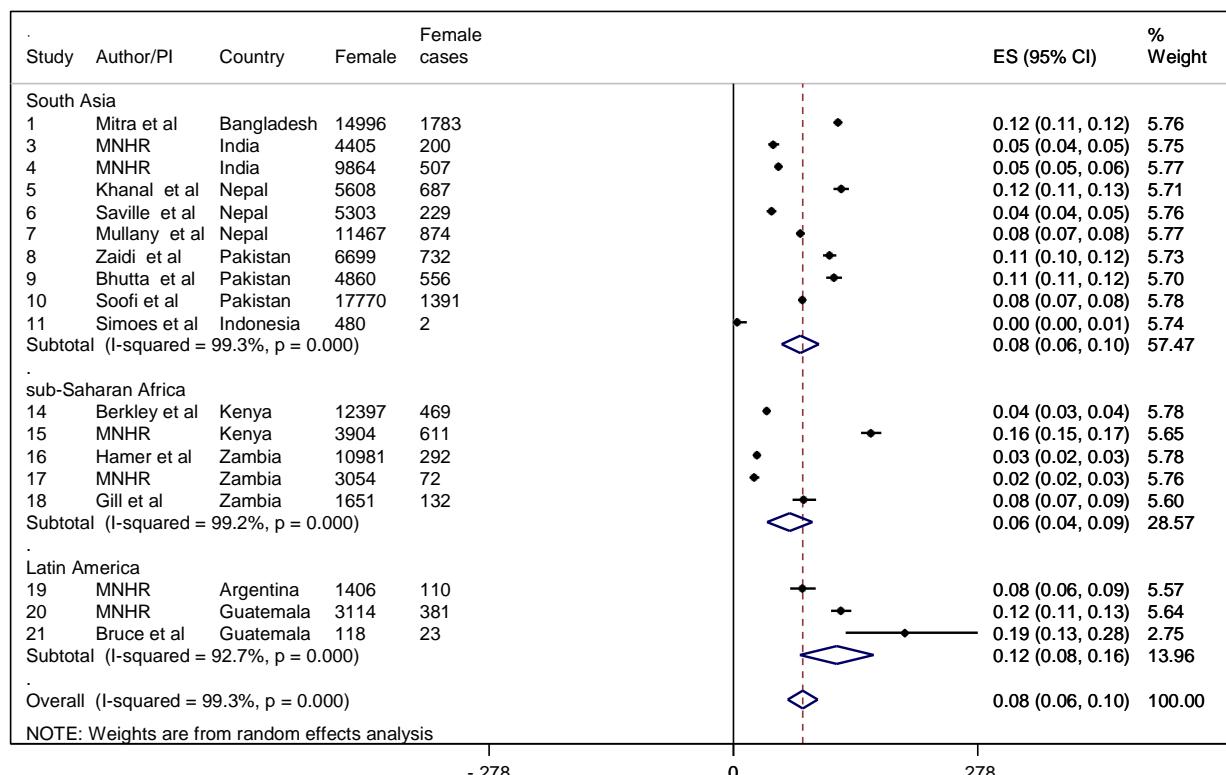
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**d) Incidence risk of pSBI in males, by region**

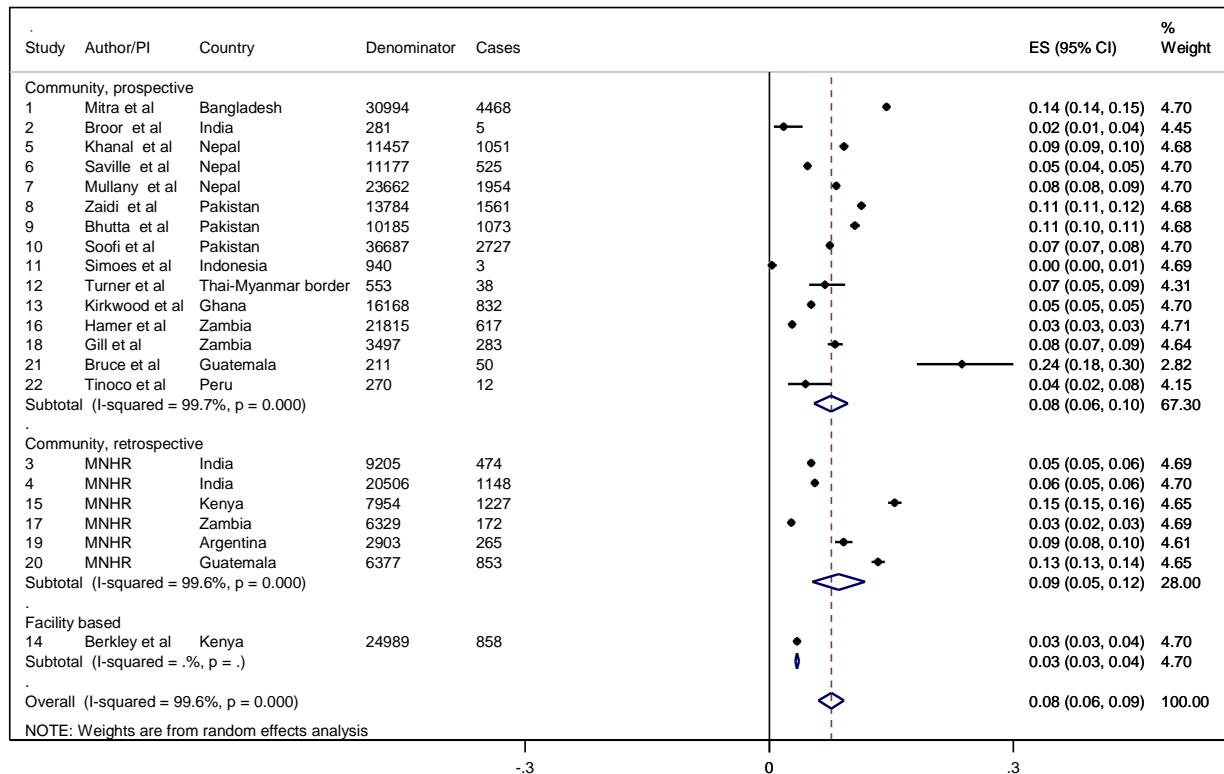


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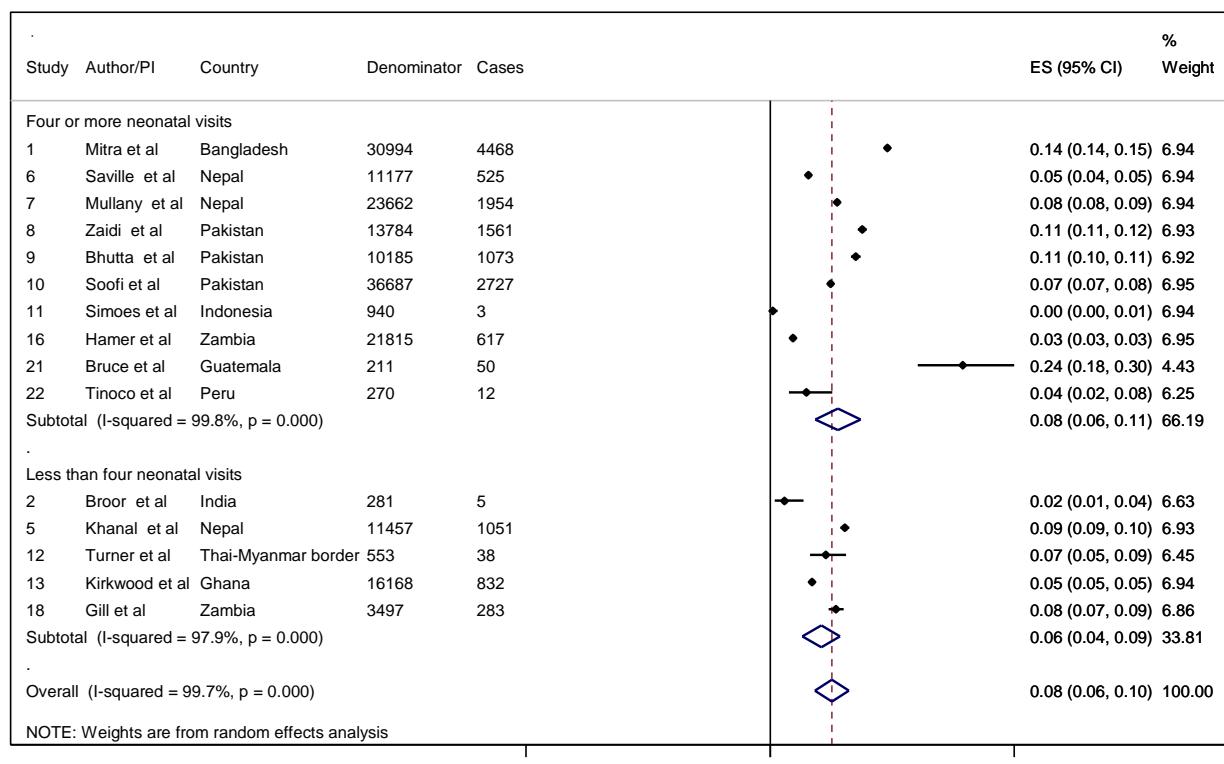


### III Sensitivity analyses

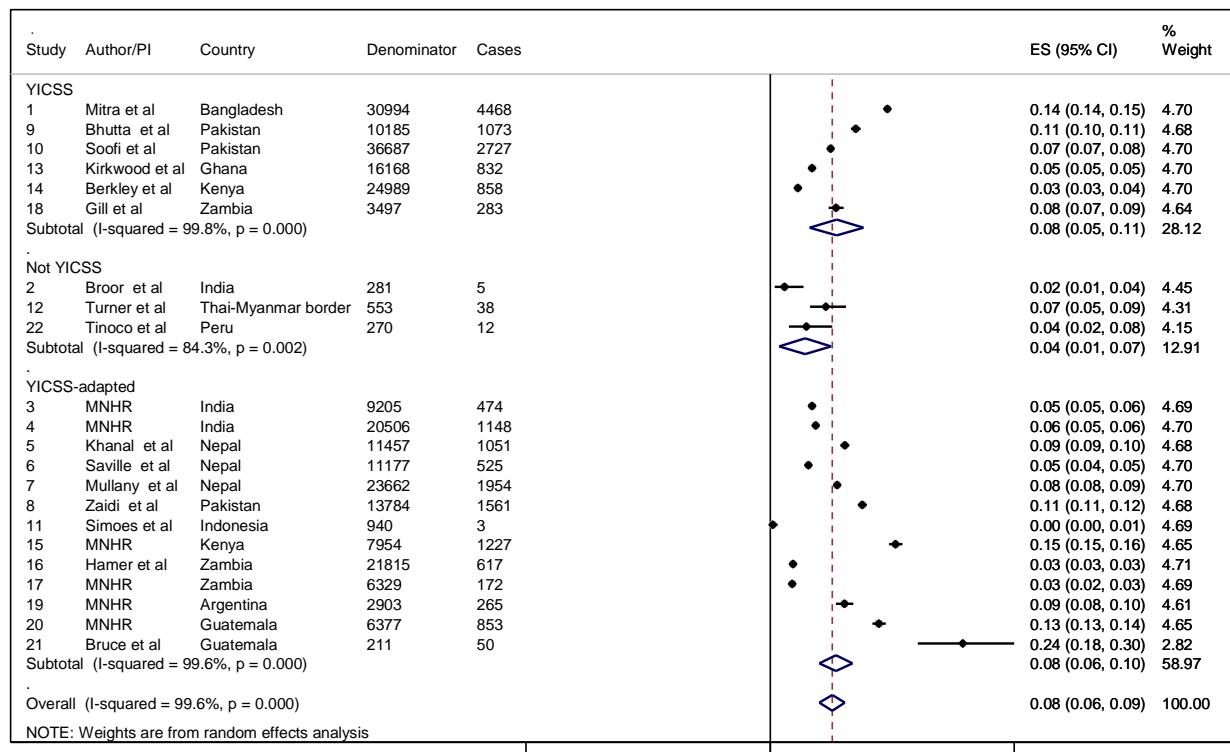
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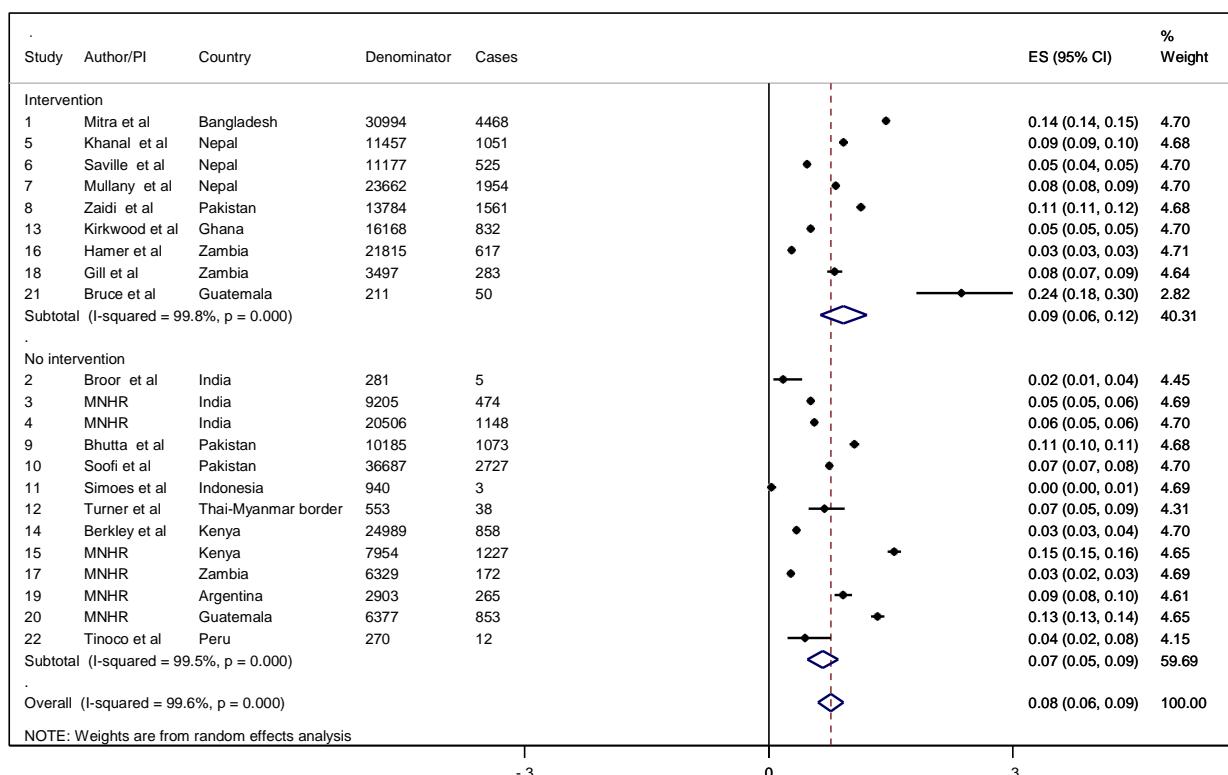
**g) Incidence risk of pSBI categorised by number of neonatal visits, in studies with prospective follow up.**



### h) Incidence risk of pSBI categorised by algorithm used



i) Incidence risk of pSBI based on study type (intervention or non-intervention)



**j) Sensitivity analysis: Incidence risk of pSBI using only studies with prospective community follow up and using YICSS algorithm (exact and modified).**

