Folic acid supplements and colorectal cancer risk: meta-analysis of randomized controlled trials

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Supplementary Table S1. Assessments for the eligible studies.

Features used to assess quality of trial reports	Enrolled studies (Author / Publication year)							
	Lonn *et al.* / 2006	Cole *et al.* / 2007	Logan *et al.* / 2008	Zhang *et al.* / 2008	Wu *et al.* / 2009	Armitage *et al.* / 2010	Hankey *et al.* / 2012	Gao *et al.* / 2013
1. Was the study described as randomized?	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
2. Was the study described as double-blind?	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N
3. Did the trial report the following methods for generating the allocation sequence: computer, random numbers table, shuffled cards or tossed coins?	Y	Y	Y	U	Y	Y	Y	Y
4. Did the trial report the numbers and reasons for withdrawal?	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
5. Did the trial report allocation concealment?	Y	Y	Y	U	Y	Y	Y	Y

Y for "Yes", N for "No", U for "Unclear"