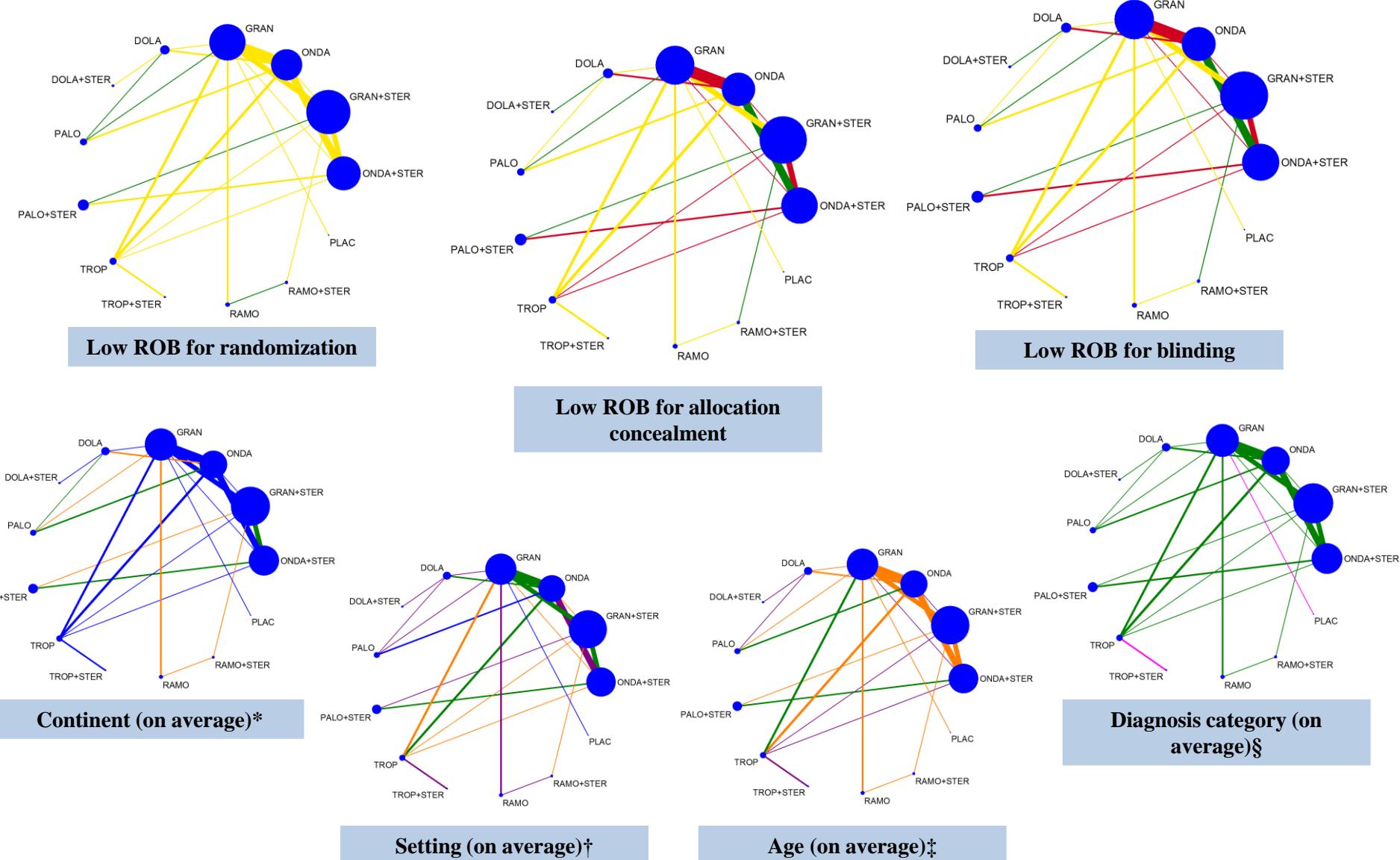


Appendix A. Network plots for patients without nausea



Abbreviations: ROB - risk of bias

* Blue - Europe; Orange - Asia; Purple - Multi-continent; Green - North America; Red - Not reported

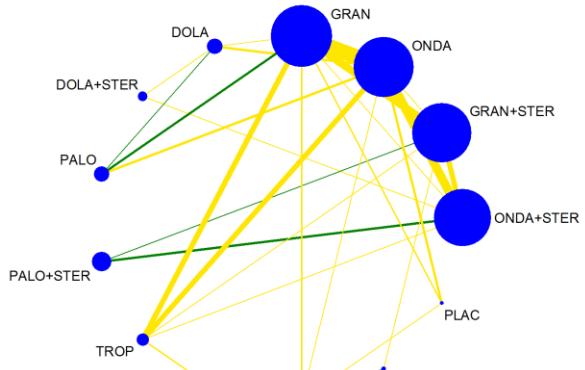
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‡ Blue - Adults & Elderly (18-99); Orange - Adults (18-65); Purple - All groups; Green - Children (<=18)

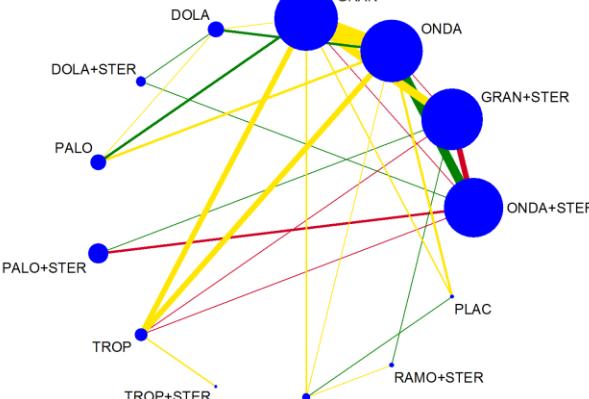
§ Brown - Acute Lymphocytic Leukemia; Blue - Acute Lymphocytic Leukemia; Purple - Breast; Red - Lung; Green - Multiple; Magenta - Not reported; Orange - Ovarian

Treatment Abbreviations: DOLA - dolasetron; DOLA+STER - dolasetron+steroid; GRAN - granisetron; GRAN+STER - granisetron+steroid; ONDA - ondansetron; ONDA+STER - ondansetron+steroid; PLAC - placebo; PALO - palonosetron; PALO+STER - palonosetron+steroid; RAMO - ramosetron; RAMO+STER - ramosetron+steroid; TROP - tropisetron; TROP+STER - tropisetron+steroid

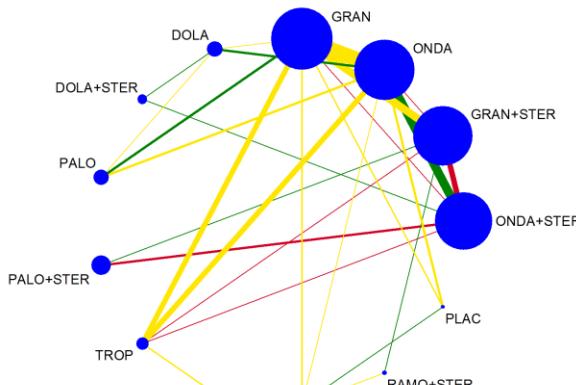
Appendix B. Network plots for patients without vomiting



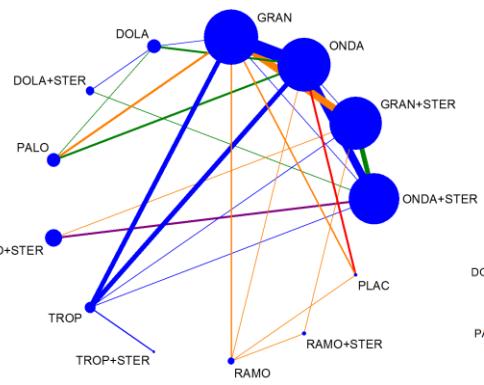
Low ROB for randomization



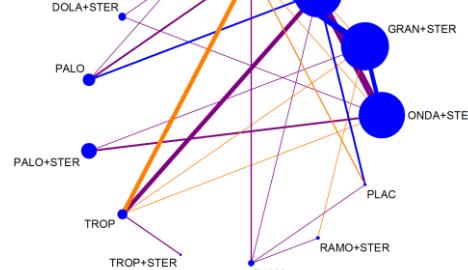
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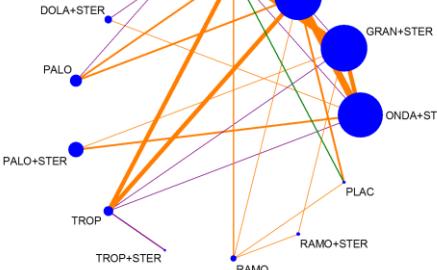
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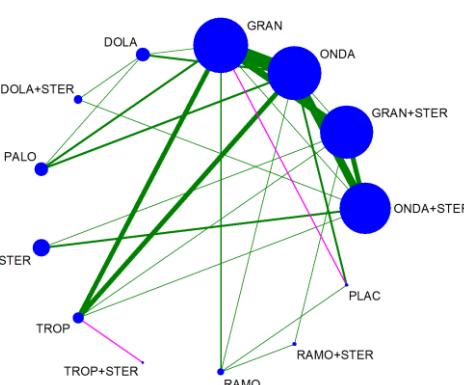
Continent (on average)*



Setting (on average)†



Age (on average)‡



Diagnosis category (on average)§

Abbreviations: ROB - risk of bias

* Blue - Europe; Orange - Asia; Purple - Multi-continent; Green - North America; Red - South America; Magenta - Not reported

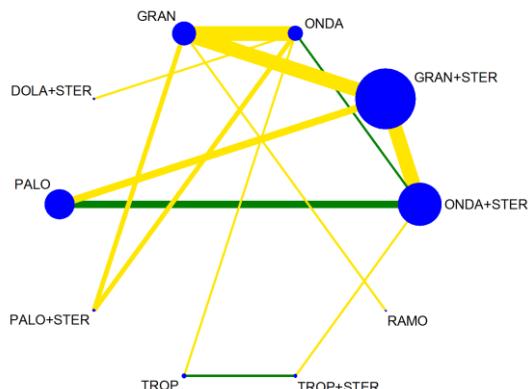
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‡ Blue - Adults & Elderly (18-99); Orange - Adults (18-65); Purple - All groups; Green - Children (<=18); Red - Adults & Children (0 to <65); Magenta - All groups

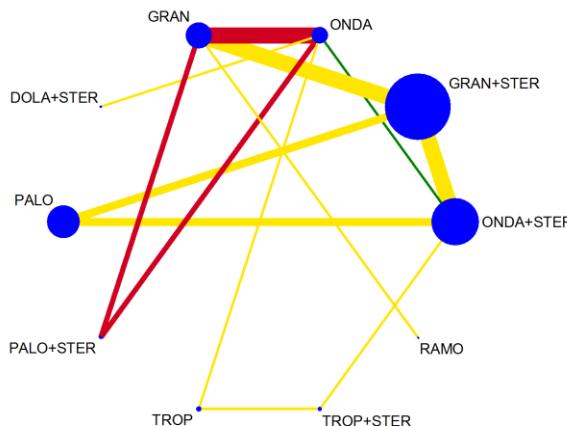
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Treatment Abbreviations: DOLA - dolasetron; DOLA+STER - dolasetron+steroid; GRAN - granisetron; GRAN+STER - granisetron+steroid; ONDA - ondansetron; ONDA+STER - ondansetron+steroid; PLAC - placebo; PALO - palonosetron; PALO+STER- palonosetron+steroid; RAMO - ramosetron; RAMO+STER - ramosetron+steroid; TROP - tropisetron; TROP+STER - tropisetron+steroid

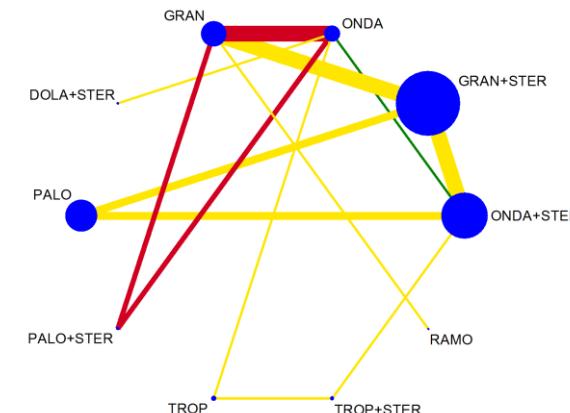
Appendix C. Network plots for patients without CINV



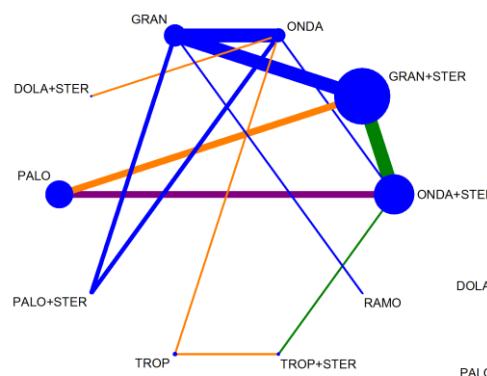
Low ROB for randomization



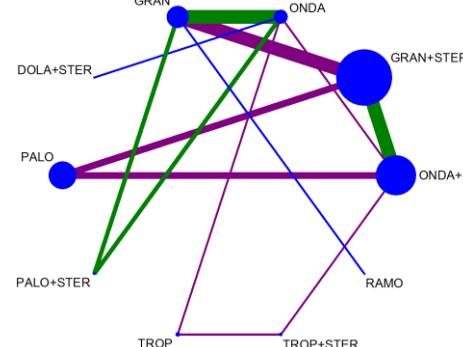
Low ROB for allocation concealment



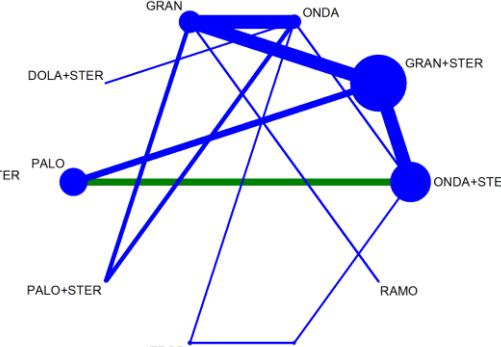
Low ROB for blinding



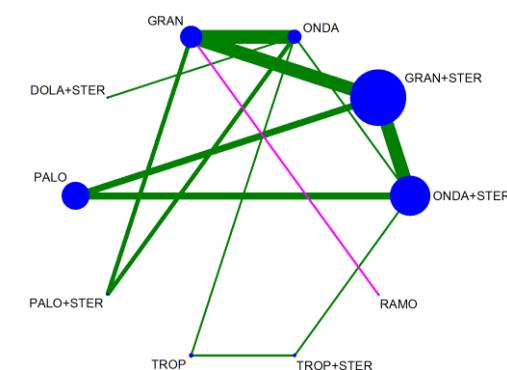
Continent (on average)*



Setting (on average)†



Age (on average)‡



Diagnosis category (on average)§

Abbreviations: CINV – chemotherapy-induced nausea and vomiting; ROB - risk of bias

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† Blue - Hospital; Orange - Medical Centre; Purple - Multi-Centre; Green - Not Reported

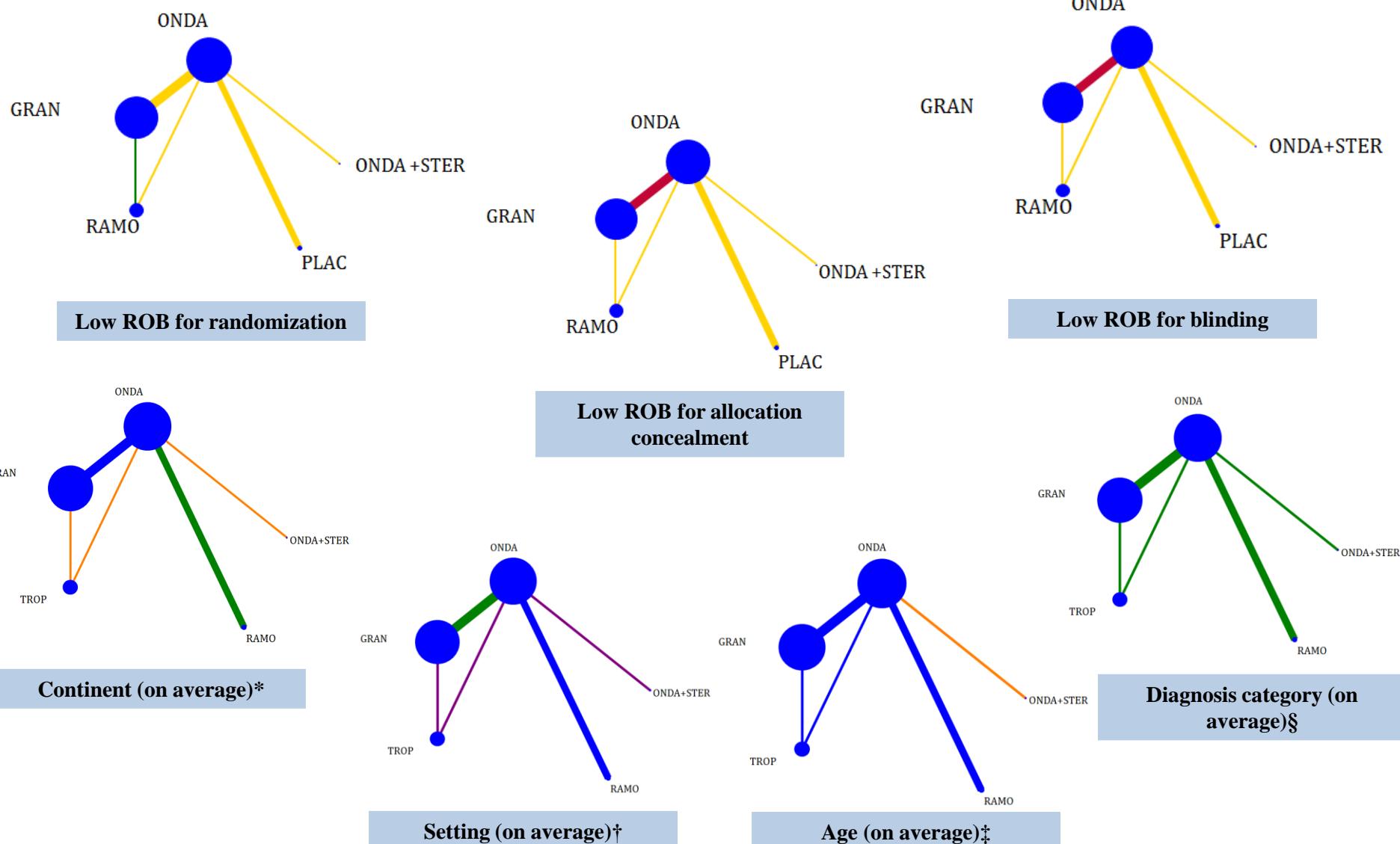
‡ Blue - Adults & Elderly (18-99); Orange - Adults (18-65); Green - Children (<18)

§ Green - Multiple; Blue - Colorectal Cancer; Magenta - Not reported

Treatment Abbreviations: DOLA+STER - dolasetron+steroid; GRAN -

gransetron; GRAN+STER - gransetron+steroid; ONDA - ondansetron; ONDA+STER - ondansetron+steroid; PALO - palonosetron; PALO+STER - palonosetron+steroid; RAMO - ramosetron; TROP - tropisetron; TROP+STER - tropisetron+steroid

Appendix D. Network plots for patients experiencing severe vomiting



Abbreviations: ROB - risk of bias

* Blue - Europe; Orange - Asia; Purple - Multi-continent; Green - North America;

† Blue - Hospital; Orange - Medical Centre; Purple - Multi-Centre; Green - Not Reported; Red - Single-Centre

‡ Blue - Adults & Elderly (18-99); Orange - Adults (18-65)

§ Green - Multiple; Magenta - Not reported

Treatment Abbreviations: GRAN - granisetron; ONDA - ondansetron;

ONDA+STER - ondansetron+steroid; RAMO - ramosetron; TROP - tropisetron