

Additional file 4 – Table 1: Excluded studies

Author name	Reason for exclusion
Vasudevan [108]	Not an evaluation of a relevant ERAS component.
Burry [109]	
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McDonald [111]	
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