

Additional file 2. Article selection by preestablished criteria.

Database	Selected	Excluded	Included
Pubmed ^a	96	41	55
Malaria Journal ^b	135	117	18
Science Direct ^c	27	23	4
CAPES ^d	51	46	5
TOTAL	309	227	82

^a <https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/>

^b <https://malariajournal.biomedcentral.com/>

^c <http://www.sciencedirect.com/>

^d <http://www.capes.gov.br/>