

S9 Table. Assessment of global inconsistency within networks using the ‘design-by-treatment’ model

Network outcome	Chi square	P value for test of global inconsistency
HbA1c	3.52	0.4745
FPG	5.43	0.0663
Body weight	1.80	0.1800
Hypoglycemia	3.81	0.4329
Serious adverse event	0.00	0.9966

Note: HbA1c, glycated hemoglobin; FPG, fasting plasma glucose.