

Supplementary file 5: Levels of plagiarism and redundancy per section

Total n=495	Any	Level 1: 1-2 sentences copied	Level 2: 3-6 separate sentences copied	Level 3: 4+ linked or 6+ separate sentences copied
<i>Plagiarism</i>				
Abstract	49 (10%)	42 (8%)	6 (1%)	1 (0.2%)
Introduction	232 (47%)	113 (23%)	67 (14%)	52 (11%)
Methods	148 (30%)	86 (17%)	53 (11%)	9 (2%)
Results	15 (3%)	8 (2%)	6 (1%)	1 (0.2%)
Discussion	195 (39%)	89 (18%)	64 (13%)	42 (9%)
<i>Redundancy</i>				
Abstract	16 (3%)	9 (2%)	5 (1%)	2 (0.4%)
Introduction	16 (3%)	7 (1%)	4 (1%)	5 (1%)
Methods	52 (11%)	16 (3%)	20 (4%)	16 (3%)
Results	13 (3%)	5 (1%)	7 (1%)	1 (0.2%)
Discussion	13 (3%)	6 (1%)	6 (1%)	1 (0.2%)