Appendix B: Supplementary Tables

Table S1 Inclusion and Exclusion Criteria Applied for Selection of Selection of Papers Includedin the Review

Inclusion criteria	Exclusion criteria
Peer-reviewed methodological papers which	Non-peer reviewed reports, books or book
describe the method(s) in detail such that they	chapters, theses, or other grey literature;
can be applied without the need for further	
assumptions;*	
Methods explicitly applied to adjust for non-	Papers which merely apply previously developed
adherence in estimating treatment-effects for	method(s) without any additional extension to the
survival-time outcomes and/or cost-	original method(s)+;
effectiveness;	
Papers published from databases inception to	Methods which are not explicitly applied to adjust
date; and	for non-adherence to treatments
Papers published in the English language.	Methods based on aggregated data such as meta-
	analysis; or
	Theoretical papers with no application of the
	method.

* This criterion is not objective and required a judgement on my part informed by expert advice

+ This implied that the first paper proposing the method was included and any paper published afterwards with the application of the method without any methodological extension was excluded.

Table S2 Data Extraction Form

Basic information				Methodological origin			
Paper ID#	Author(s)	Year of publication	Journal	Method	Method acronym	Methods Group	Type of methodological contribution (original/extension)

Table S2 Data Extraction Form (continued)

Methodological origin (continued)		Theoretical suitability				
Was the method originally developed to adjust for non- adherence?	If not, what was the original context and how the method was adapted?	Does the method represent an extension to another method adjusting for non- adherence?	How does the method work?	What are the key assumptions?	What are the potential biases?	Why might the method not be appropriate?

Table S2 Data Extraction Form (continued)

Theoretical s (contin	•	Application				
What are the advantages and disadvantages associated with the method?	What are the similarities and differences of the method compared to other methods identified?	Has the method been applied to adjust for non- adherence in a case/ simulation study?	What disease/ condition applied in the case/ simulation study?	What are intervention(s) assessed in the case/simulation study?	Outcome(s) assessed	What were the results compared to traditional approaches (ITT/PPT/AT)?

Table S3 Appraisal Framework

Domain	Issues considered				
Origin of the method	Was the method originally developed to adjust for non-adherence?				
	If not, what was the original context and how the method was adapted?				
	Does the method represent an extension to another method adjusting for non-adherence?				
Theoretical suitability	How does the method work?				
	What are the key assumptions?				
	What are the potential biases?				
	Why might the method not be appropriate?				
	What are the advantages and disadvantages associated with the method?				
	What are the similarities and differences of the method compared to other methods identified?				
Application	Has the method been applied to adjust for non-adherence in a case study/simulation study?				
	What disease/condition is applied in the case/simulation study?				
	What is/are the intervention(s) assessed in the case/simulation study?				
	What were the results compared to simple methods (ITT/PP/AT), if compared?				

Characteristic	No. (%)				
Year					
2014-2018	6(30)				
2009-2013	1(5)				
2004-2008	3(15)				
1999-2003	7(35)				
Before 1999	3(15)				
Journal					
Statistics in Medicine	6(30)				
Biometrics	5(25)				
Journal of the Royal Statistical Society	3(15)				
Journal of the American Statistical Association	2(10)				
Clinical Pharmacology & Therapeutics	1(5)				
Communication in Statistics - Theory and Methods	1(5)				
Epidemiology	1(5)				
Value in Health	1(5)				
Type of study to which the method was applied					
Simulation study	3(15)				
Case study	6(30)				
Both simulation study and case study	11(55)				
Disease area					
Breast cancer	5(25)				
AIDS	3(15)				
Depression	2(10)				
Lung cancer	2(10)				
Leukaemia	2(10)				
Colorectal cancer	1(5)				
Atrial fibrillation	1(5)				
Gout	1(5)				
Vitamin A deficiency	1(5)				
Hypertension	1(5)				
Hypothetical condition	1(5)				

Table S4 Characteristics of Papers Included in the Review (n=20)