

Study selection criteria

Inclusion criteria	Exclusion criteria
<p>Time frame data collection: data collection finished after 1/1/2005</p> <p>Geographic location: data collection in Germany</p> <p>Setting: no restrictions</p> <p>Participants: no restrictions</p> <p>Reported outcomes: HBV vaccination coverage in humans</p>	<p>Time frame data collection: data collection finished before 1/1/2005</p> <p>Geographic location: no data from Germany</p> <p>Reported outcomes: no report of vaccination coverage</p>
<p>Time frame publication: published after 01/01/2005</p> <p>Study design:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • original study data of observational studies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ cross-sectional studies ○ cohort studies ○ cases of case-control studies ○ case series • surveillance data • secondary/registry data • meta-data from systematic reviews <p>Type of publication: Original work with clear origin of analysed data</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • articles in scientific journals • reports • dissertations • conference abstracts including data on research question plus additional information from author <p>Peer review: no restriction</p>	<p>Time frame publication: Published before 01/01/2005</p> <p>Study design: Expert opinions, narrative reviews, editorials, comments</p> <p>Type of publication:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Non-published data • Abstracts: No full text existing or available for study team, no relevant data on outcome in the abstract, no consultation of the data provider possible • Data already used in other publication (Publications reporting identical outcomes of the same study and no new and relevant aspects according to the research questions) → publication with more relevant information will be included <p>Availability:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No full text available

Publication language:
no restriction

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