



Supplementary Figure 1. Funnel plots (A) and Egger's publication bias plot (B) examining smallstudy effects on the pooled GDM prevalence among pregnant women in the MENA region, 2000– 2019; Egger's test p < 0.0001. Slope coefficient 0.082 (95% CI 0.06–0.10; p < 0.001).

GDM, gestational diabetes mellitus.