SUPLEMENTARY MATERIAL C: RESULTS

In this supplementary material C are

- characteristics of the individual RCTs included in the review (Table C1)
- reported exergaming protocols and technologies used in the studies included in the review (Table C2).
- risk of bias in studies included in the review (Figure C1).
- summary of risk of bias across RCTs included in the meta-analysis (Figure C2).
- "summary of findings" table (Table C3).

Table C1. Characteristics of the individual RCTs included in the review.

		Partic	cipants				Intervention	as			
Study and Country of Origin	Group	N	Age (years)	Female %	Setting(s)	Duration (weeks)	Experimental	Comparison(s)	Sessions (x/week) / Session time (min)	Follow-up: Duration (weeks) / Procedure	Outcomes measuring walking
Bacha et al. 2018 Brazil	Community- dwelling	EG: 23 CG: 23	EG: 71.0 (66.0; 74.5) CG: 66.5 (65.0; 71.75)	EG: 65 CG: 83	Hospital clinic	7	Exercising with Xbox Kinect Adventures games	Conventional physical therapy exercises in a group- training program of six participants	2 / 60	4 / NR***)	FGA
Bieryla & Dold 2013 ² USA	Independently living	EG: 6 CG:	EG: 82.5 (1.6) CG: 80.5 (7.8)	NR	EG: Laboratory CG: Home	3	Exercising with Wii fit games	Normal daily activities	EG: 3 / 30	3 / Normal daily activities***)	TUG
Bieryla 2016 ³ USA	Independently living	EG: 6 CG:	EG: 82 (2.4) CG: 82.6 (6.9)	NR	EG: Laboratory CG: Home	3	Exercising with Kinect- designed specific games	Normal daily activities	EG: 3 / 30	3 / Normal daily activities***)	TUG
Chow & Mann 2015 ⁴ China	Community- dwelling	EG: 10 CG: 10	EG: 70.4 (5.4) CG: 68.0 (3.0)	EG: 70 CG: 60	Elderly day activity centre	2	Cyber-golfing training	Regular table games	7 / 30-45	NA	TUG
Christiansen et al. 2015 ⁵ USA	TKR patients	EG: 13 CG: 13	EG: 68.2 (8.6) CG: 66.6 (8.1)	EG: 46 CG: 54	Acute care, outpatient clinic, home	6	Acute care: postoperative physical therapy protocol Home: standard of care home exercise program and Wii games	Acute care and outpatient: postoperative physical therapy protocol Home: standard of care home exercise program	Acute care: 14 Home: 7 / EG: 30 CG: NR	20 / NR***)	WS
Daniel 2012 ⁶ USA	Pre-frail	EG: 8 CG1: 8 CG2: 7	EG: 80 (3.37) CG1: 78.13 (5.5) CG2: 72.6 (4.6)	EG: 63 CG1: 63 CG2: 57	EG, CG1: Laboratory	15	Exercising with Wii Fit games with added weight vest	CG1: Community-based seated group exercise classes CG2: Normal daily activities	EG, CG1: 3 / 45	NA	TUG, 6MWT
Delbroek et al. 2017 ⁷ Belgium	Institutionalized with MCI	EG: 10 CG: 10	EG: 86.9 (5.6) CG: 87.5 (6.6)	EG: 80 CG: 50	Residential care centre	6	Virtual reality cognitive- motor dual-task training**)	Standard of usual care	EG: 2 / 18- 30	NA	TUG, TUG Dual- task
Eggenberger et al. 2015 ⁸ Switzerland	Independently living or community- dwelling	EG: 24 CG1: 22 CG2: 25	EG: 77.3 (6.3) CG1: 78.5 (5.1) CG2: 80.8 (4.7)	EG: 58 CG1: 73 CG2: 64	EG, CG1: Outpatient clinic + home CG:2	26	Video game dancing in groups	CG1: Treadmill walking with simultaneous verbal memory training in groups CG2: Treadmill walking in groups	2 / 60	24 / Falls calendar***)	WS (habitual, fast), WS dual-task (habitual, fast), Gait variables

					Outpatient clinic						(habitual fast), 6MWT
Fung et al.	TKR patients	EG: 27	EG: 67.9 (9.5)	EG: 58	Outpatient	5	Wii Fit gaming after	lower extremity	2 / 15	NA	2MWT
2012 ⁹		CG: 23	CG: 68.2 (12.8)	CG: 42	department of a		physiotherapy session	strengthening and balance			
Canada					rehabilitation			exercises after physiotherapy			
					hospital			session			
Gomes et al.	Frail	EG: 15	EG: 83 (5.87)	NR	EG: Outpatient	7	Exercising with Wii Fit	General advice of physical	EG: 2 / 50	4 / NR***)	FGA
2018 10		CG: 15	CG: 85 (6.19)		clinic		Plus games	activity (WHO booklet)			
Brazil											
Gschwind et	Community-	EG: 78	EG: 74.7 (6.7)	EG: 56	Home*)	16	Exercising with	Normal daily activities	EG: 3 + 3 /	8 / Falls	TUG, WS, WS
al. 2015 11	dwelling	CG: 75	CG: 74.7 (6.0)	CG: 67			individually tailored		45-120	calendar	dual task
Germany,							iStoppFalls game**)				
Spain and											
Australia											
Htut et al.	Community-	EG: 21	EG: 75.8 (4.89)	EG: 52	Homes for the	8	Exercising with Xbox	CG1: Strength and balance	EG, CG1,	NA	TUG, TUG Dual-
2018 12	dwelling	CG1: 21	CG1: 75.9 (5.65)	CG1: 38	aged		360 games	exercising CG2: Board and	CG2: 3 / 30		task
Thailand		CG2: 21	CG2: 75.6 (5.33)	CG2: 43				card games CG3: Normal			
		CG3: 21	CG3: 76.0 (5.22)	CG3: 43				daily activities			
Hughes et	MCI	EG: 10	EG: 78.5 (7.1)	EG: 80	Centrally	24	Exercising with Nintendo	Healthy aging education in	1 / 90	28 / NR***)	WS
al. 2014 ¹³		CG: 10	CG: 76.2 (4.3)	CG: 60	located church		Wii games in groups	groups			
USA											
Imam et al.	Community	EG: 14	EG: 61.5 (50-78)	EG: 14	Outpatient	4	Exercising with Nintendo	Training with Wii Big Brain	3 / 40	3 / NR***)	2MWT
2017 14	living	CG: 14	CG: 62.5 (50-78)	CG: 43	clinic, home*)		Wii Fit games	games			
Canada	individuals										
	using the										
	prosthesis after										
	amputation of										
	the lower limb										
Jorgensen et	Community-	EG: 28	EG: 75.9 (5.7)	EG: 68	EG: Outpatient	10	Exercising with Nintendo	Daily use of EVA shoe insole	EG: 2/30-40	NA	TUG
al. 2013 15	dwelling	CG: 30	CG: 73.7 (6.1)	CG: 70	clinic CG:		Wii games in pairs				
Denmark					Home						
Jung et al.	At the risk for	EG: 8	EG: 74.3 (2.1)	100	Senior citizen	8	Exercising with Nintendo	CG1: Lumbar stabilization	EG, CG1: 2 /	NA	TUG, Crossing
2015 16	falls	CG1: 8	CG1: 74.3 (3.5)		centre		Wii Sport games	exercises CG2: Normal daily	30		velocity (CV),
Republic of		CG2: 8	CG2: 73.6 (2.4)					activities			Maximum vertical
Korea											heel clearance
											(MVHC)

Karahan et	Rehabilitation	EG: 48	EG: 71.3 (6.1)	EG: 44	EG: Outpatient	6	Exercising with Xbox	Balance, stretching and	5 / 30	NA	TUG
al. 2015 ¹⁷	clinic patients	CG: 42	CG: 71.5 (4.7)	CG: 43	clinic CG:		360 games	strengthening exercises			
Turkey					Home						
Ku et al.	Community-	EG: 18	EG: 64.7 (7.27)	50	EG: Laboratory	4	Exercising with the	lower-extremity	3 / 30	NA	TUG
2019 18	dwelling,	CG: 16	CG: 65.0 (4.77)		CG: Home		Kinect-designed specific	strengthening and endurance			
Republic of	ambulatory						games**)	training			
Korea	-										
Kwok &	Moderately	EG: 40	EG: 70.5 (6.7)	EG: 90	Laboratory and	12	Exercising with Nintendo	Gym exercises in groups,	1 / 60	12 + 28 /	TUG, WS, 6MWT
Pua 2016 19	frail	CG: 40	CG: 69.8 (7.5)	CG: 80	home		Wii Active games,	additional home exercises		Home	
Singapore			(,				additional home			exercises and	
Singupore							exercises			falls	
							oner enges			calendar***)	
Lauzé et al.	Aassisted	EG: 21	EG: 80.1 (7.5)	EG: 71	Assisted living	12	Exercising with Jintronix	Normal daily activities	EG: 2 / 45	12 / NR***)	TUG, WS
2017 ²⁰	living, moves	CG: 11	CG:83.2 (6.7)	CG: 91	residence*)	12	gaming system**)	Troffilar daily activities	EG. 27 43	12/14	100, 115
Canada	independently	CG. 11	CG.63.2 (0.7)	CG. 71	residence		gaining system				
Callaua	within the										
	residence										
		EC. (FG 72 17 (2.02)	EC 02	Home*)	12	T ' 'd T' .	NT 1.1.11 (1.1/2)	EC 2/50	12 / NR***)	THE WE
Lauzé et al. 2018 ²¹	Community living following	EG: 6 CG: 6	EG: 73.17 (2.93) CG: 76 (6.51)	EG: 83 CG: 100	Home*	12	Exercising with Jintronix	Normal daily activities	EG: 2 / 50- 55	12 / NK****)	TUG, WS
		CG: 0	CG: 76 (0.31)	CG: 100			gaming system**)		33		
Canada	a minor injury	EG. 22	EG 95 2 (4.7)	FC 06	D 1 122 C	2	E ' ' ' ' ' ' W'' E'		5 / 25	NT A	TILO
Laver et al. 2012 ²²	Hospitalised	EG: 22	EG: 85.2 (4.7)	EG: 86	Rehabilitation	2	Exercising with Wii Fit	Conventional physiotherapy	5 / 25	NA	TUG
		CG: 22	CG: 84.6 (4.4)	CG: 73	unit at hospital		games				
Australia	D	50.45	75 50 50 (155)	50 51	*** 10	10			EG 2 (50	27.1	mya wa a i
Lee & Shin	Diabetics	EG: 27	EG: 73.78 (4.77)	EG: 74	Welfare centre	10	Exercising with PS2	Health education (2 times)	EG: 2/50	NA	TUG, WS, Gait
2013 ²³		CG: 28	CG: 74.29 (5.20)	CG: 68			games in pairs + Health				cadence
Republic of							education (2 times)				
Korea											
Lee et al.	Women	EG: 26	EG: 68.77 (4.62)	100	Laboratory	8	Exercising with Xbox	Balance, coordination and	3 / 60	NA	TUG
2015 24		CG: 28	CG: 67.71				360 games	strength exercises in group			
Republic of			(4.31)								
Korea											
Lee et al.	Community-	EG: 21	EG: 76.15 (4.55)	EG: 57	Senior welfare	6	Exercising with Wii Fit	Fall prevention education (3	EG: 2 / 60	NA	TUG
2017 ²⁵	dwelling	CG: 19	CG: 75.71 (4.91)	CG: 58	centre		games in pairs + fall	times)			
Republic of							prevention education (3				
Korea							times)				

Liao et al. 26	MCI	EG: 18	EG: 75.5 (5.2)	EG: 61	Laboratory	12	Exercising with Kinect-	Combined physical and	3 / 60	NA	WS, WS Dual-
2019 Taiwan		CG: 16	CG: 73.1 (6.8)	CG: 75			designed specific games	cognitive training in groups			task, WS Motor-
							in groups**)				task, Gait variables
											(Single-, Dual-,
											Motor-task)
Liao, Chen	Pre-frail, frail	EG: 27	EG: 79.6 (8.5)	EG: 70	Laboratory	12	Exercising with Kinect-	Combined physical training	3 / 60	NA	TUG, WS
& Wang ²⁷		CG: 25	CG: 84.1 (5.5)	CG: 68			designed specific games	in groups			
2019 Taiwan							in groups**)				
Lim et al.	Independent	EG: 10	EG: 77.30 (5.62)	EG: 60	Laboratory	5	Combined exercises with	Balance exercise with Wii Fit	2 / 60	NA	TUG
2017 ²⁸	community	CG: 10	CG: 80.8 (5.14)	CG: 70			Wii Fit Plus games	Plus games			
Republic of	living										
Korea											
Lin et al. ²⁹	Patients with	EG: 29	EG: 61.6 (8.1)	EG: 69	EG, CG1:	8	Gamified proprioception	CG1: Closed kinect chain	EG,CG1: 3 /	NA	WS (Ground level,
2007 Taiwan	knee OA	CG1: 26	CG1: 61.0 (7.7)	CG1: 81	Laboratory		exercises**)	exercises CG2: Health	50		Stairs, Spongy
		CG2: 26	CG2: 62.8 (6.3)	CG2: 81				education (OA)			Surface, Figure 8)
Maillot et al.	Sedentary	EG: 15	EG: 73.47 (4.10)	NR	EG: Laboratory	12	Exercising with Wii Fit	Normal daily activities	EG: 2 / 60	NA	TUG, 6MWT
2012 30	lifestyle	CG: 15	CG: 73.47 (3.00)				games in pairs				
France											
Maillot et al.	Sedentary	EG: 8	EG: 74.13 (4.73)	NR	EG: Outpatient	12	Exercising with Wii Fit	Normal daily activities	EG: 2 / 60	NA	TUG, 6MWT
2014 ³¹	lifestyle	CG: 8	CG: 74.00 (2.14)				games in pairs				
France											
Martel et al.	Community	EG: 16	EG: 74.9 (7.1)	EG: 75	EG: Home*)	12	Exercising with Jintronix	CG1: Combined physical	EG, CG1: 2 /	NA	TUG, WS, SPPB
2018 ³²	living following	CG1: 16	CG1: 72.9 (6.7)	CG1: 63	CG1:		gaming system**)	training in groups CG2:	55		walking
Canada	a minor injury	CG2: 12	CG2: 72.7 (6.5)	CG2: 75	Community			Normal daily activities			
					centre						
Micarelli et	UVH / UVH +	EG: 12 /	EG: 74.3 (4.7) /	EG: 50 /	Home*) and	4	Vestibular rehabilitation	Vestibular rehabilitation	4 / 30-45	NA	DGI
al. 2019 ³³	MCI	12	72.5 (3.6)	58	policlinic		and exercising with				
Italy		CG: 11 /	CG: 76.9 (4.7) /	CG: 55 /			HMD games				
		12	76.3 (5.5)	58							
Mirelman et	Fallers / MCI	Fallers:	EG: 75.4 (6.2) /	NR	Clinical centre	6	Combined treadmill	Treadmill training	3 / 45	26 / Falls	WS during
al. 2016 ³⁴		109	80.3 (5.2)				training with VR			calendar***)	obstacle
Belgium,		MCI: 43	CG: 75.6 (6.2) /				component**)				negotiation,
Israel, Italy,			74.5 (5.4)								2MWT
the											
Netherlands,											
and the UK											

Monteiro-	Living at long	EG: 9	EG: 85 (8)	67	Long term-care	8	Exercising with Wii Fit	Physical exercise	2 / 30-45	NA	TUG, WS, Gait
Junior et al.	term care	CG: 9	CG: 86 (5)		institution		games				variables
2017 35	institution										
Brazil											
Montero-	Primary care	EG:508	EG: 75.1 (72.6–	EG: 62	Nursing home	12	Exercising with Wii Fit	Normal daily activities	EG: 2 / 30	36 / Falls	Tinetti's gait
Alía et al.	centre visitors	CG: 469	78.7)	CG: 53			games			calendar***)	
2019 36			CG: 75.4 (72.7–								
Spain			78.6)								
Morat et al.	Community-	EG1: 15	EG1: 67.5 (5.1)	EG1: 67	EG1, CG1:	8	Group exercising with	CG1: Group exercising with	EG1, CG1: 3	NA	TUG, TUG Dual-
2019 37	dwelling	CG1: 15	CG1: 69.7 (6.2)	CG1: 60	Laboratory		Dividat Senso games	Dividat Senso games under	/ 10-12		task
Germany		CG2: 15	CG2: 71.1 (5.2)	CG2: 60			under unstable	stable conditions CG2:			
							conditions**)	Normal daily activities			
Padala et al.	Mild AD	EG: 11	EG: 79.3 (9.8)	73	Assisted living	8	Exercising with Wii Fit	Indoor walking in groups	5 / 30	NA	TUG
2012 38 USA		CG: 11	CG: 81.6 (5.2)		facility		games				
Park et al.	Community-	EG: 12	EG: 66.5 (8.1)	EG: 25	NR	8	Exercising with Wii Fit	Ball exercises	3 / 30	NA	TUG
2015 39	dwelling	CG: 12	CG: 65.2 (7.9)	CG: 17			games				
Republic of											
Korea											
Pichierri et	Residents of	EG: 11	EG: 86.9 (5.1)	EG: 73	Senior citizens	12	Resistance and balance	Resistance and balance	2 / EG: 50-	NA	WS (habitual, fast,
al. 2012 ⁴⁰	hostels for the	CG: 11	CG: 85.6 (4.2)	CG: 91	hostels		training in groups and	training in groups	55 CG: 40		cognitive,
Switzerland	aged						additional exercising				cognitive-fast),
							with dancing game				Gait variables
											(habitual, fast,
											cognitive,
											cognitive-fast)
Pitta et al.	Community-	EG: 11	EG: 69.7 (5.6)	100	Laboratory	12	Vigorous exercising with	Moderate exercising with	3 / 40	NA	TUG, WS, WS
2020 41 /	dwelling, pre-	CG: 9	CG: 69.1 (5.0)				Xbox 360 games	Xbox 360 games			fast, Gait variables
Santos et al.	frail										(habitual, fast)
2019 42											
Brazil											
Pluchino et	Independent	EG: 12	EG: 70.72 (8.46)	EG: 67	Laboratory*)	8	Exercising with Wii Fit	CG1: Tai Chi CG2: Standard	2 / 60	NA	TUG, Tinetti's gait
al. 2012 ⁴³	community	CG1: 14	CG1: 69.28	CG1: 57			games	balance exercises			
USA	living	CG2: 14	(6.03)	CG2: 64							
			CG2: 76.00								
			(7.74)								

Ray et al. 2012 ⁴⁴ USA	Moves independent, no	EG: 29 CG1: 40	75	67	Community-	15	Exercising with Wii Fit games	CG1: Traditional senior fitness exercising CG2:	EG, CG1: 3 /	NA	TUG, 6MWT
	falls	CG2: 18			2		8	Normal daily activities			
Rendon et	Community-	EG: 20	EG: 85.7 (4.3)	NR	EG: Outpatient	6	Exercising with Wii Fit	Normal daily activities	EG: 3 / 35-	NA	TUG
al. 2012 ⁴⁵	dwelling, at the	CG: 20	CG: 83.3 (6.2)		clinic		games		45		
USA	risk for falls										
Rutkowski	Patients with	EG: 34	EG: 60.5 (4.3)	EG: 50	Hospital	2	Standard pulmonary	Standard pulmonary	5 / EG: 75	NA	TUG, 6MWT
et al. 2019 46	COPD	CG: 34	CG: 62.1 (2.9)	CG: 47			rehabilitation in groups	rehabilitation in groups	CG: 60		
Poland							and additional exercising with Xbox 360 games				
Sajid et al.	Prostate cancer	EG: 8	EG: 77.5 (6.7)	0	Home*)	6	Exercising with Wii Fit	CG1: Aerobic and resistance	EG, CG1: 5 /	6 / EG, CG1:	6MWT
2016 ⁴⁷ USA	patients with	CG1: 6	CG1: 75.7 (9.5)				games	exercising CG2: Normal	NR	Continued	
	hormone	CG2: 5	CG2: 71.8 (5)					daily activities		exercising***)	
	therapy										
Santamaria	Senior citizens	EG: 14	EG: 63.21	EG: 79	EG: Laboratory	5	Video game dancing in	Normal daily activities	EG: 3 / NR	NA	TUG
et al. 2018 ⁴⁸		CG: 13	(6.05)	CG: 77			groups				
Costa Rica			CG: 63.08 (5.74)								
Sato et al.	Locally	EG: 28	EG: 70.07 (5.35)	EG: 79	EG: Laboratory	7	Exercising with Kinect-	Normal daily activities	EG: 2-3 / 40-	NA	WS, Gait variables
2015 49	residing	CG: 26	CG: 68.5 (5.47)	CG: 81			designed specific		60		
Japan							games**)				
Schoene et	Residents of	EG: 15	EG: 77.5 (4.5)	NR	EG: Home*)	8	Exercising with stepping	Normal daily activities	EG: 2-3 / 15-	NA	TUG, TUG dual-
al. 2013 ⁵⁰	independent-	CG: 17	CG: 78.4 (4.5)				game		20 (minim.)		task
Australia	living units of a										
	retirement										
	village										
Schwenk et	Residents in	EG: 17	EG: 84.3 (7.3)	EG: 59	EG: Room in	4	Exercising with specific	Normal daily activities	EG: 2 / 45	NA	TUG, WS
al. 2014 ⁵¹	senior living	CG: 16	CG: 84.9 (6.6)	CG: 69	senior living		balance games**)				(habitual, fast),
USA	community				community						Gait variability
											(habitual, fast)
Schättin et	Independently	EG: 13	EG: 80 (73; 83)	EG: 38	Senior	8	Exercising with specific	Conventional balance	3 / 30	NA	WS, Cadence and
al. 2016 ⁵²	living or senior	CG: 14	CG: 80 (72.25;	CG: 50	residence		Dividat games in	training in groups			Stride length in
Switzerland	residency		81.75)		dwelling		groups**)				four conditions
	dwelling										(habitual, fast,
											dual- task, dual-
											task fast)

Segura-Orti	HD patients	EG: 9	EG: 68.3 (15.6)	EG: 33	Hospital	4	Exercising with Kinect-	Aerobic and strengthening	3 / 40	NA	WS, 6MWT
et al. 2019 ⁵³		CG: 9	CG: 61.8 (13.0)	CG: 44			designed specific games	exercise			
Spain											
Singh et al.	Community-	EG: 18	EG: 61.12 (3.72)	NR	Senior citizens'	6	Exercising with Wii Fit	Balance exercises in group	2 / 40	NA	TUG
2013 54	dwelling	CG: 18	CG: 64.00 (5.88)		club		games				
Malaysia											
Smaerup et	Patients with	EG:30	EG: 76.65 (7.56)	EG: 58	Hospital and	16	Hospital: Rehabilitation	Hospital: Rehabilitation	Hospital: 2	NA	DGI
al. 2015 ⁵⁵	vestibular	CG: 30	CG: 78.68 (6.56)	CG: 65	home*)		training Home:	training Home: Exercising	Home: 7 /		
Denmark	dysfunction						Exercising with specific	following printed instructions	20-30		
							Mitii games**)				
Smaerup et	Patients with	EG: 28	EG: 76.39 (7.63)	EG: 57	Home*)	12	Exercising with specific	Exercising following printed	7 / 20-30	NA	DGI
al. 2016 ⁵⁶	vestibular	CG: 29	CG: 78.93 (6.58)	CG: 63			Mitii games**)	instructions			
Denmark	dysfunction										
Stanmore et	Dwelling in	EG: 56	EG: 77.9 (8.9)	EG: 80	Sheltered	12	Exercising with Kinect-	Falls prevention exercising	EG: 3 / 15	NA	TUG
al. 2019 ⁵⁷	assisted living	CG: 50	CG: 77.8 (10.2)	CG: 76	housing		designed specific	following program leaflet	(exergaming)		
UK	facilities						games**) and falls				
							prevention exercising				
							following program leaflet				
Sutanto et	COPD patients	EG: 10	EG: 65.1 (7.5)	EG: 10	Outpatient	6	Outpatient exercising	Outpatient exercising	3 / EG: 60	NA	6MWT
al. 2019 ⁵⁸		CG: 10	CG: 65.6 (4.7)	CG: 0	clinic		program and exercising	program	CG: 30		
Indonesia							with Wii Fit program				
Szturm et al.	Community-	EG: 15	EG: 80.5 (6)	EG: 67	Geriatric day	8	Exercising with specific	Strengthening and balance	2 / 45	NA	TUG, WS, Gait
2011 59	dwelling	CG: 15	CG: 81 (7)	CG: 60	hospital		video games**)	exercises			variables
Canada	individuals with										
	balance and										
	mobility										
	difficulties										
Tollar et al.	Mobility-	EG: 28	EG: 69.2 (2.80)	EG: 50	EG: CG1:	5	Exercising with Xbox	CG1: Cycling CG2: Normal	EG, CG1: 5 /	NA	6MWT, DGI
2019 ⁶⁰	limited	CG1: 27	CG1: 70.2 (4.08)	CG1: 56	Hospital's PT		360 games	daily activities	60		
Hungary		CG2: 28	CG2: 69.5 (3.67)	CG2: 54	gym						
Toulotte et	Independently	EG: 9	EG: 72.2 (8.6)	EG: 56	EG, CG1, CG2:	20	Exercising with Wii fit	CG1: Exercising with Wii fit	EG, CG1,	NA	Tinetti's gait
al. 2012 ⁶¹	living	CG1: 9	CG1: 76.4 (4.7)	CG1: 67	Gymnasium		games	games + Adapted Physical	CG2: 1 / 60		
France		CG2: 9	CG2: 84.2 (8.1)	CG2: 67				activities training CG:2			
		CG3: 9	CG3: 71.8 (8.0)	CG3: 56				Adapted physical activities			
								training, CG3: Normal daily			
								activities			

Tsang & Fu	Nursing home	EG: 39	EG: 82.3 (3.8)	EG: 59	Nursing home	6	Exercising with the Wii	Conventional balance	3 / 60	NA	TUG
2016 ⁶²	residents with	CG: 40	CG: 82.0 (4.3)	CG: 63			balance games	training			
China	poor walking										
	ability										
Uzor &	History of falls	EG: 16	EG: 76.4 (6.41)	EG: 63	Home*)	8	Exercising with tailored	Standard care (booklet,	3 / 30	NA	WS
Baillie 2019		CG: 22	CG: 75.4 (6.04)	CG: 64			exergame system**) in	exercise video)	(minim.)		
63 England							addition to standard care				
Villumsen et	Patients with	EG: 23	EG: 67.6 (4.6)	0	Home*)	12	Aerobic and strength	Normal daily activities	EG: 3 / 60	12 / Physical	6MWT
al. 2019 ⁶⁴	prostate cancer	CG: 23	CG: 69.8 (4.4)				exercises with Xbox360			activity diary	
Denmark							games				
Yeşilyaprak	History of falls	EG: 7	EG: 70.1 (4.0)	EG: 43	Nursing home	6	Balance training with the	Conventional balance	3 / 45-55	NA	TUG
et al. 2016 ⁶⁵		CG: 11	CG: 73.1 (4.5)	CG: 82			VR rehabilitation	training			
Turkey							system**)				
Yuen et al.	Idiopathic	EG: 10	EG: 67.4 (7.4)	EG: 50	Home*)	12	Exercising with Wii fit	Cognitive video game	3 / 30	NA	6MWT
2019 ⁶⁶ USA	Pulmonary	CG: 10	CG: 72.2 (8.4)	CG: 20			games	training			
	Fibrosis										
	patients										

EG = Experimental Group, CG = Comparison Group, NR = Not reported, NA = Not Applicable

Participants: Group; MCI = Mild Cognitive Impairment, TKR = Total Knee Replacement, OA = Osteoarthritis, UVH = Unilateral Vestibular Hypofunction, AD = Alzheimer's Disease, COPD = Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease, HD = Hemodialysis, Age (years); Mean (SD), Medium/Median (Q1; Q3), Median (range), Female %; Rounded to even

 $Interventions: HMD = Head-Mounted\ Displays,\ Setting^{**} = unsuperviced\ exergaming,\ Experimental,\ ^{**} = Game\ technology\ used\ developed\ for\ physical\ rehabilitation,\ Follow-up^{***} = Outcomes\ reassessed$

Outcomes measuring walking: 2MWT = Two Minute Walking Test, 6MWT = Six Minute Walking Test, FGA = Functional Gait Assessment, TUG = Timed Up & Go, WS = Walking speed

Table C2. Reported exergaming protocols and used technologies in studies (n=66) included in the review.

					Exergaming protocol		Technology	7
Study and Country of Origin	Type of training	In addition to other exercising	Guidance	Super- viced	Session description	Progression	Hardware	Games made for rehabili- tation purposes
Bacha et al. 2018 ¹ Brazil	Exercising with Xbox Kinect Adventures games	N	Sessions guided by a physical therapist	Y	Participants trained with four games and were allowed five attempts at each game	Players engaged in games with the goal of obtaining the highest number of adventure points that affect game progression.	360 Xbox Kinect videogame console, Kinect sensor, TV	N
Bieryla & Dold 2013 ² USA	Exercising with Wii fit games	N	Session were supervised, no physical assistance	Y	Participants trained yoga (half moon, chair, warrior), aerobic (torso twists), and balance games (soccer heading, ski jump). Exercising order was: yoga, aerobic, balance x2, yoga, aerobic	Participants were challenged consistently.	Nintendo Wii, Nintendo Wii Balance Board	N
Bieryla 2016 ³ USA	Exercising with the Kinect- designed specific games	N	Verbal instructions for the games were provided before starting the training. No physical assistance. When necessary, participants were reminded of the goal of the game during training.	Y	Participants trained with two Kinect games (Your Shape: Fitness Evolved and Kinect adventures)	NR	Kinect for Xbox 360	N
Chow & Mann 2015 ⁴ China	Cyber-golfing training	N	Golf swing demonstration sessions (2x30 min) given by trained research assistant before experimental procedures.	Y	Participants trained with "Tiger Woods PGA Tour 13 / The 10-hole gaming mode" games and were required to finish the whole game in every session	NR	Xbox 360 Kinect	N
Christiansen et al. 2015 ⁵ USA	Weight-bearing biofeedback exercise with Wii games	N	Physical therapist gave feedback on proper performance while participant was exergaming	Y	Participants trained with Wii Fit Plus games	Depending on participant's ability level, speed was increase and dynamic, unilateral and lunging activities were added	Nintendo Wii, Nintendo Wii Balance Board	N
Daniel 2012 ⁶ USA	Exercising with Wii fit games with added weight vest	N	Sessions were directed by staff	Y	Participants wore weight vest and trained with basic games such as bowling, tennis, and boxing	Core and quadriceps muscle groups were progressively overloaded with 2% of their body weight added to the weight vest every 2 weeks	Nintendo Wii	N

Delbroek et al. 2017 ⁷ Belgium Eggenberger	Virtual reality cognitive-motor dual-task training Video game	N Y	Sessions were guided by a physical therapist, exergaming system gave real-time feedback on the movement of the centre of pressure Sessions were guided by two	Y	While standing on platform, participants trained with nine games to train balance, weight bearing, memory, attention and dual tasking. Two 90-second break per session were allowed. Participants did aerobic endurance training with	Difficulty levels were adjusted by participants' skill levels, duration of session was gradually increased from 18 to 30 minutes To achieve moderate-to-vigorous exercise	BioRescue (RM Ingenierie, France; includes a platform (610 × 580 × 10 mm3) Impact Dance	Y
et al. 2015 ⁸ Switzerland	dancing in groups		trained postgraduate students		video game dancing in addition to strength and balance exercises (20 minutes each)	intensity, treadmill speed and inclination, step frequency in DANCE, or number of sets and repetitions were adapted	Platforms (Positive Gaming BV, Haarlem, the Netherlands), StepMania software	
Fung et al. 2012 ⁹ Canada	Wii Fit gaming after physiotherapy session	Y	Sessions were guided by a physical therapist	Y	15 min Wii Fit games engaging in postural control and balance in addition to 60 min physiotherapy session	Protocol started with the 'Deep Breathing' and 'Ski Slalom' games and progressed to other games after top-level scoring	Nintendo Wii, Nintendo Wii Balance Board	N
Gomes et al. 2018 ¹⁰ Brazil	Exercising with Wii Fit Plus games	N	Sessions were guided by a physical therapist	Y	Participants played block A and B games (five 2-3 min games in each block) on alternate days. Each game was played twice in each session: first attempt with the manual guidance and verbal feedback, second attempt independently	NR	Nintendo Wii	N
Gschwind et al. 2015 ¹¹ Germany, Spain and Australia	Exercising with individually tailored iStoppFalls game	N	Participants received safety guidance by an experienced researcher and they were instructed with games two times by a trained research staff: at the beginning of the training and after two weeks of training. Phone support, additional home visits, and guidance through the tablet computer were offered if required.	N	Per week, participants performed at least 3 balance gaming sessions (40 min each) and 3 muscle strength gaming sessions (15-20 min each)	Task challenges, such as narrowing base of support, adjusting speed of movement, increasing the number of repetitions, were increased	ICT-based iStoppFalls system; television, personal computer (Shuttle Barebone Slim-PC), Google TV set top box (STB) by Sony, a Microsoft Kinect (3D Depth sensor), a Senior Mobility Monitor (SMM) by Philips (3D accelerometer, barometer), Nexus 7 Android tablet	Y

Htut et al.	Exercising with	N	Sessions were conducted by a	Y	In 30 min session, participants played 6 games	Participants progressed to advanced levels	Xbox 360	N
2018 ¹²	Xbox 360 games	1,	physical therapist	_	out of ten (Light Raise, Virtual Smash,	of each game when they obtained the	110011000	1,
Thailand	Abox 500 games		physical therapist		Stack'em Up, One Ball Roll, Pin Push, Super	highest score in a previous level		
Thananu					Saver, Target Kick, Play Paddle Panic, Body	ingliest score in a previous level		
					Bally, Bamp Bash), games involved upper and			
					lower limb and balance training			
Hughes et	Exercising with	N	Sessions were guided by	Y	After 10-15 min discussion of healthy aging	New games (e.g., Boom Blox, Wii Play,	Nintendo Wii	N
al. 2014 ¹³	Nintendo Wii in		interventionists		topics, participants trained 60 min with "core"	and Sports Resort) were added to the end		
USA	groups				games (bowling, golf, tennis, baseball).	of the session (final 15-30 min). "Wii		
						tournaments" were held in weeks 10 and		
						20.		
Imam et al.	Exercising with	N	In clinic, a trainer conducted	N	During sessions, participants played yoga,	Participants progressed to advanced levels	Nintendo Wii,	N
2017 ¹⁴	Nintendo Wii Fit		sessions. During home sessions,		balance, strength training and aerobic games.	of each game when they performed well in	Nintendo Wii Balance	
Canada	games in clinic		participants' were contacted once			a previous level	Board	
	and at home		a week by a trainer to monitor					
			safety and equipment function.					
Jorgensen et	Exercising with	N	Sessions were supervised by a	Y	Participants played five balance games (table	NR	Nintendo Wii	N
al. 2013 15	Nintendo Wii in		trained physical therapist		tilt, slalom ski, perfect 10, tight rope tension,			
Denmark	pairs				penguin slide) for 2/3 of session's duration and			
	•				muscle strengthening game (standing rowing			
					squat) for 1/3 of the session's duration.			
					Participants rotated between games and had 10			
					minute pauses.			
Jung et al.	Exercising with	N	Participants got various visual	Y	Participants played 3 games out of 4	NR	Nintendo Wii	N
2015 16	Nintendo Wii	1,	and audio feedback and guidance	•	(Wakeboard, Frisbee dog, Jet ski, Canoe game)		Timenas viii	11
Republic of	Sport games		from gaming system		on a unstable floor, a 2-minute break followed			
_	Sport games		nom gaming system		every 10 minutes			
Korea	Ei-ii-th	N	C	37		NID	VI 260 Vi 46	NT.
Karahan et	Exercising with	N	Games were instructed to	Y	Participants played football, tennis, table tennis,	NR	Xbox 360 Kinect, 46-	N
al. 2015 ¹⁷	Xbox 360 Kinect		participants by physicians,		skiing, golf, volleyball, and bowling games		inch LCD TV	
Turkey	Adventures, Sports		sessions were companied by an					
	and Sports Season		experienced nurse					
	2 games							
Ku et al.	Exercising with	N	Sessions were monitored by the	Y	Participants played the balloon game and cave	The research assistant adjusted training	Microsoft Kinect	Y
2019 18	the Kinect-		research assistant		game for exercising hip and knee	levels individually	sensor, 3D	
Republic of	designed specific				flexion/extension, and rhythm game for		environment	
Korea	games				enhancing one-leg standing ability		displayed on a large	

							screen, personal	
							computer	
Kwok &	Exercising with	N	Sessions were guided and	Y	Participants played Wii Active games using	NR	Nintendo Wii,	N
Pua 2016 19	Nintendo Wii		supervised by a physical		balance board and resistance band. Exercising		Nintendo Wii Balance	
Singapore	Active games,		therapist and a therapist assistant		included cardiovascular, strengthening,		Board	
	additional home				calisthenics and balance training. Additionally			
	balance and				balance and strengthening exercising was done			
	strengthening				at home on non-intervention days and during			
	exercises				follow-up period			
Lauzé et al.	Exercising with	N	Mainly at the beginning of	Y/N	Participants played according to individually	Individual degree of difficulty was	A computer and a TV	Y
2017 20,	Jintronix gaming		intervention, a kinesiologist		tailored parameters. Session included warm-up	adjusted by a kinesiologist according to	screen or portable	
Lauzé et al.	system		supervised 6 sessions, and other		period, aerobic, resistance and balance	the Web-portal reports	computer, Jintronix	
2018 ²¹			time was available for individual		exercises, and cool-down period.		software, Microsoft	
Canada			support over the phone or in				Kinect, a TV screen	
			person. Participants got various					
			visual and audio feedback and					
			guidance from gaming system					
Laver et al.	Exercising with	N		Y		NR	Nintendo Wii,	N
2012 ²²	Wii Fit games		Sessions were supervised by a		Participants played balance, strength and		Nintendo Wii Balance	
Australia			physical therapist		aerobic games while standing		Board, wireless	
							pointer	
Lee & Shin	Exercising with	N	Sessions were guided and helped	Y	Participants had warm-up and cool-down	Participants started with 4 simple games	PlayStation 2,	N
2013 ²³	PS2 EyeToy		by a research assistant (exercise		periods and played six 2-3 minutes games	for the first 2 weeks. From the third week,	Logitech motion-	
Republic of	games in pairs		trainer). Participants got various		(Wishi Washi: Window Washing, Keep Ups:	more challenging games (Kung Foo, Boot	tracking camera, 25-	
Korea			visual and audio feedback and		Heading Game, Bowling, Bubble Pop, Boot	Camp) were added. Kung Foo game	inch liquid Crystal	
			guidance from gaming system		Camp, and Kung Foo) that challenged balance,	progressed to levels that are more difficult	Display monitor	
					strength and aerobics. Participants were allowed	after participant completed previous stage.		
					to take a 5-min break after 3 games.			
Lee et al.	Exercising with	N	A research assistant gave	Y	Sessions included warm-up and cool-down	NR	Microsoft Kinect,	N
2015 ²⁴	Xbox 360 games		information on the exergame		exercises and games in where motions were		Microsoft Xbox 360,	
Republic of			protocol on the first day of		based on tai chi. After 30 min of exercising, a		a 1625.6mm monitor	
Korea			intervention. After that, research		5-min break was given.		screen, Your Shape	
			assistant supervised session, but				Fitness Evolved	
			did not interact with participants.				software	
			Participants got various visual					
			and audio feedback and guidance					

Lee et al. 2017 ²⁵ Republic of Korea	Exercising with Wii Fit games in pairs Exercising with	N	Sessions were monitored and instructed by six volunteer assistant, who also encourage participants to actively exergame. An avatar providing visual and auditory feedback while exergaming. Sessions were supervised by an	Y	Session included warm-up and cool-down periods, and six games (jogging for gait, swordplay for agility and balance, ski jump for balance, hula-hoop for balance and lower extremity strength, tennis for balance and agility, and step dance for gait and lower extremity strength) that were played competitively as circuit training. To improve balance, stability, strength and	NR Virtual tasks got more challenging after	Nintendo Wii, Nintendo Wii Balance Board, Nintendo Wii joystick, a 42-inch LCD 3D TV, polarized glasses Microsoft Kinect, VR	N
2019 Taiwan	Kinect-designed specific games in groups		experienced physical therapist		endurance, session included Tai Chi, resistance, and aerobic exercises, and functional and cognitive tasks that simulated daily activities	participants completed the simpler tasks.	glasses	
Liao, Chen & Wang ²⁷ 2019 Taiwan	Exercising with Kinect-designed specific games in groups	N	Sessions were supervised by an experienced physical therapist	Y	Session included Tai Chi, resistance and aerobic exercises from PAPAMAMA program, and balance games (window cleaning, firework hitting, goldfish grasping), 20 minutes each.	Intensity was adjusted according to heart rate (50–75% of the maximal heart rate) and perceived exertion (13 to 14, equal to "somewhat hard")	Microsoft Kinect, Tano and LongGood software packages, a screen (230 cm × 230 cm)	Y
Lim et al. 2017 ²⁸ Republic of Korea	Combined or balance exercises with Wii Fit Plus games	N	Sessions were supervised by an experienced physical therapist, who at the first session instructed exergame protocol to participants.	Y	Session included warm-up period before exergaming that included balance, strength, flexibility, and endurance games or alternatively just balance games	NR	Nintendo Wii, Nintendo Wii Balance Board	N
Lin et al. ²⁹ 2007 Taiwan	Gamified proprioception exercises	N	Sessions were instructed by an experimenter, who provided verbal instructions and demonstrations	Y	Participants trained one leg at the time for 20 minutes, and had a 10-min break before training the other leg. Game included up-and-down and left-to-right movements that were controlled by the participant stepping onto pedals.	Games started with the slowest speed and progressed to faster speed after participants completed the slower tasks.	A personal computer, a colour computer screen, and a plantar control board (length and width: 57×57 cm, thick: 4cm, pedals: 8x9 cm)	Y
Maillot et al. 2012 ³⁰ France	Exercising with Wii Fit games in pairs	N	Sessions were supervised by a physical trainer	Y	Session was divided into three periods in where participants played sport games that included tasks that required balance, stamina, cognitive judgment and combination of variety of skills. In first period participants played Tennis or Boxing game and Bowling game in three sessions, in second period Soccer Headers, Ski Jump and Marbles games, and in final period	Participants were advised to try to increase games' level of challenge and improve their performance during the intervention	Nintendo Wii, Nintendo Wii Remote and the Nunchuk, Nintendo Wii Balance Board	N

					Ski Slalom, Hula Hoop, Trampoline and Tennis			
					Return of Serve.			
Maillot et al.	Exercising with	N	NR	Y	Session was divided into two periods in where	Participants were advised to try to increase	Nintendo Wii,	N
2014 31	Wii Fit games in				participants played sport games that included	games' level of challenge and improve	Nintendo Wii	
France	pairs				tasks that required balance and stamina. In first	their performance during the intervention	Remote, Wii	
					period, participants played Tennis or Boxing		Nunchuk, Nintendo	
					game, and in second period Soccer Headers, Ski		Wii Balance Board, a	
					Jump, Hula Hoop and Marbles games.		portable screen	
							(76*102 cm)	
Martel et al.	Exercising with	N	A trained kinesiologist made six	Y/N	Session included warm-up period, aerobic,	Individual degree of difficulty was	Jintronix software,	Y
2018 32	Jintronix gaming		in-person supervision visits		strengthening and balance exercises, and cool-	adjusted by a kinesiologist according to	Microsoft Kinect	
Canada	system		(sessions 1, 2, 4, 6, 12 and 18)		down period.	the Web-portal reports		
			and follow-up calls (weeks 4 and					
			8).					
Micarelli et	Exercising with	Y	At the beginning of protocol,	N	Daily sessions included 20-minute exergaming	The trainers evaluated compliance, correct	Track Speed Racing	N
al. 2019 ³³	HMD games in		participants were trained by an		while sitting on chair or sofa.	adjustments and performance twice a week	3D game, the 5.2"	
Italy	addition to the		otoneurologist with expertise in			in the clinic.	display of a Windows	
	Vestibular		HMD implementation.				Phone, the HMD	
	Rehabilitation						'Revelation' 3D VR	
							Headset	
Mirelman et	Combined	N	Session were supervised by a	Y	During session, participants walked on	Individualized progression was performed	modified Microsoft	Y
al. 2016 ³⁴	treadmill training		trainer. Participants got various		treadmill in computer simulated environment	by adjusting treadmill's speed, duration of	Kinect, computer,	
Belgium,	with VR		visual and audio feedback and		that included real-life challenges, consisting of	walking bouts, and size and frequency of	large screen	
Israel, Italy,	component		guidance from gaming system		obstacles, multiple pathways, and distractors	the virtual obstacles and the distractors.		
the					that necessitated continual adjustment of steps.			
Netherlands,								
and the UK								
Monteiro-	Exercising with	N	Sessions were supervised by	Y	In one session, the participant once played each	NR	Nintendo Wii	N
Junior et al.	Wii Fit games		expert in sports medicine or		of the following games: Rowing Squat,			
2017 35			physiotherapist		Penguim Slide, Basic Run Plus, Bump and Set,			
Brazil					Heavy Bag, and Dance Basic 1.			
Montero-	Exercising with	N	Session were guided and	Y	Participants played various balance exercises	The personnel managed the sessions so	Nintendo Wii,	N
Alía et al.	Wii Fit games		managed by trained personnel.		while standing barefoot on the balance board.	that participants did all the exercises in	Nintendo Wii Balance	
2019 ³⁶			Participants got various visual			each session for the time specified in the	Board	
Spain			and audio feedback and guidance			protocol. The number of repetitions varied		
			from gaming system			for participants according to their agility.		

Morat et al.	Group exercising	N	A qualified study assistant	Y	The session included two to three pre-selected	Progression was adjusted by increasing the	Dividat Senso device	Y
2019 37	with Dividat Senso		guided sessions.		motor and cognitive games. The motor games	degree of instability	(training platform	
Germany	games under				in where the stepping was the main task were		1.13 m*1.13 m with	
	unstable				Objects, Shared, Simon, Flexi, Snake, Tetris,		force sensors), screen	
	conditions				Habitats, Birds and Hexagon. Games with		combining Dividat	
					cognitive challenges were Ski and Rockect.		Senso system with	
					toginary chancinges were sail and rescribed.		swinging Posturomed	
							system	
Padala et al.	Exercising with	N	Session were guided by research	Y	Sessions included warm-up and cool-down	NR	Nintendo Wii, mobile	N
		IN .	,	1		INK	,	IN
2012 38 USA	Wii Fit games		personnel		exercise (walk to and from room to gaming		television unit	
					room), and strength, yoga, and balance games,			
					10 minutes each.			
Park et al.	Exercising with	N	NR	Y	Sessions included training with Soccer	NR	Nintendo Wii	N
2015 39	Wii Fit games				Heading, Snowboard Slalom, and Table Tilt			
Republic of					games, 10 minutes each.			
Korea								
Pichierri et	Resistance and	Y	Sessions were supervised and	Y	Session included warm-up period (5 min),	Progression was performed thru	TX 6000 Metal DDR	N
al. 2012 ⁴⁰	balance training in		conducted by the investigators		physical exercises (resistance training (25 min),	increasing number of repetitions and the	Platinum Pro,	
Switzerland	groups and				balance exercises (10 min)) and video game	load (weight vests) (physical exercises),	modification of the	
	additional				dancing (10-15 min). In dancing, four 2-3	and beats per minute and the difficulty	StepMania	
	exercising with				minutes song were played with a 30 seconds	level (video game dancing).		
	dancing game				break after each song.			
Pitta et al.	Vigorous	N	Sessions were guided by a	Y	Session included following periods: warm-up (5	Progression was adjusted by increasing	Microsoft Xbox 360,	N
2020 41 /	exercising with		qualified instructor guided who		min), strength exercises (20 min), dynamic	sets and repetitions of strength training (4	Microsoft Console,	
Santos et al.	Xbox 360 games		monitored exercise intensity and		balance and cardiorespiratory exercises (10	repetitions from 8 repetitions to 6	Kinect	
2019 42			postures/movements during		min) and cool-down (5 min).	repetitions during the intervention period).		
Brazil			exergaming					
Pluchino et	Exercising with	N	Participants got various visual	N	Session included warm-up (5 min), exercising	Games started with easier levels of	Nintendo Wii,	N
al. 2012 ⁴³	Wii Fit games		and audio feedback and guidance		with balance games (50 min) and cool-down (5-	difficulty and progressed to	Nintendo Wii Balance	
USA			from gaming system.		min).	advanced/higher levels after participants	Board	
						got maximum score of the level		
Ray et al.	Exercising with	N	Sessions were supervised by an	Y	Sessions included exercises using balance board	Progression was adjusted by increasing	Nintendo Wii,	N
2012 ⁴⁴ USA	Wii Fit games	- '	assistant who supported	_	and weighted vests.	weight of the vest every two weeks from 2	Nintendo Wii Balance	- '
2012 CDA	in guines		participants ensuring their safety		and weighted vests.	to 10 pound.	Board	
						to 10 pound.	DUATU	
			through gaming challenges					

Rendon et	Exercising with	N	Sessions were supervised by a	Y	Session included warm-up and cool-down	NR	Nintendo Wii,	N
al. 2012 ⁴⁵	Wii Fit games		physical therapist who assisted		periods, and exercising with three games that		Nintendo Wii	
USA			participants and ensured their		included lunges, single leg extensions and		Remote, Nintendo	
			safety during exergaming		twists. Game sequence was altered week-to-		Wii Balance Board	
					week during intervention. Participants were			
					allowed to have resting periods between games.			
Rutkowski	Standard	Y	A physiotherapist supervised	Y	Exergaming part of the session included 15-30	The heart rate level of the exercise was	Microsoft Xbox 360,	N
et al. 2019 46	pulmonary	1	sessions. Participants got	•	minutes exercising with four Kinect Adventures	measured and when the participant did not	Kinect,	1,
Poland	rehabilitation in		instructions from gaming		games at a basic level. Gaming involved	reach the heart rate specified for the	a projector with	
1 Giana	groups and		system.		rafting, cross-country running, hitting a ball	exercise, the exercise was continued.	speakers	
	additional		system.		projected towards the player, and a roller-	exercise, the exercise was continued.	speakers	
	exercising with				coaster ride.			
	Xbox 360 games				coaster riue.			
Collid at al	_	N	Dortiginants received one	N	Session included individually tailored eversion	Intensity of sames were increased often	Nintendo Wii	N
Sajid et al. 2016 ⁴⁷ USA	Exercising with	IN	Participants received one	IN	Session included individually tailored exercise	Intensity of games were increased after	Millendo WII	IN
2016 " USA	Wii Fit games		teaching session given by an		program using different exercises modules of	participant demonstrated increase in		
~	771		exercise physiologist		game technology	physical performance	27 - 1 - 2	
Santamaria	Video game	N	Participants got instructions how	Y	During session, participants danced 14 songs in	NR	Nintendo Dance	N
et al. 2018 ⁴⁸	dancing in groups		to operate the video game.		random order at the beginner's level.		Dance Revolution	
Costa Rica							(DDR®), control mats	
							in front of screen,	
							Nintendo Wii console	
Sato et al.	Exercising with	N	A physical therapist, a student,	Y	Sessions included exergaming with Apple,	The games had different levels of	Microsoft Kinect,	Y
2015 49	Kinect-designed		and game development staff		Tightrope, Balloon popping and One-leg	difficulty.	Microsoft Kinect	
Japan	specific games		operated sessions. Gaming		standing games		SDK version 1.5,	
			system gave audio feedback to				Unity version 3.4.2, a	
			participants.				three-dimensional	
							(3D) support	
							tool/engine used with	
							Kinect.	
Schoene et	Exercising with	N	Participants was instructed and	N	Participants played stepping game, in where	Games started with easier levels of	Modified DDR	N
al. 2013 ⁵⁰	stepping game		they got manual how to operate		they synchronizing their stepping with	difficulty and progressed to	Stepmania, computer,	
Australia			and play the stepping game.		instructions presented on the screen while	advanced/higher levels after participants	television	
			During intervention, participants		listening the music they had selected. Music	performed well at current level		
			were contacted four times by		was not synchronized with the game.			
			phone and they were able to					
			contact research staff when they					
			needed help.					
			<u> </u>					

Schwenk et al. 2014 51 USA Schättin et	Exercising with specific balance games Exercising with	N	A study coordinator, who gave instructions of balance tasks at the first session, supervised sessions. Participants got sensorbased feedback from the gaming system. Session were supervised and	Y	Sessions included 6 blocks with 20 cycles of exercise tasks and three series of obstacle crossing with 15 repetitions each. Participants got one-minute break between successive blocks. Session included warm-up and cool-down	By the judgement of supervisor, progression was adjusted by moving to more advanced tasks and by increasing obstacle height. Progression was adjusted individually by	a 24-inch computer screen, game-based virtual interface (MatLab®), Psych toolbox V2.54, 5 wearable inertial sensors (LegSys TM) Impact Dance	y
al. 2016 ⁵² Switzerland	specific Dividat games in groups		instructed by three post graduate students.		periods (5 min each), 20 minute exercising with four different games.	training intensity that should achieve a moderate to vigorous training level and by increasing difficulty level of the games.	Platform (87.5 ×87.5× 2.5 cm), desktop computer, projector	
Segura-Orti et al. 2019 ⁵³ Spain	Exercising with Kinect-designed specific games	N	Before first session, participants had instruction and test session. A physical therapist monitored exergaming sessions.	Y	Sessions included warm-up and cool-down sessions, 5 minutes each. 30 minutes exergaming was held in 3 minutes bouts, rest period between bouts. Intensity was held between "somewhat hard" to "hard" (RPE 13-15/20).	Progression was adjusted by increasing the number of exercise bouts (from 1 to 10) and the difficulty of game. The physical therapist adjusted game-break periods and level of difficulty depending on the participant's performance.	standard computer, a TV, Microsofts Kinect, adapted version of ACT (A la Caza del Tesoro) program	N
Singh et al. 2013 ⁵⁴ Malaysia	Exercising with Wii Fit games	N	NR	Y	Session included warm-up and cool-down periods, 5 min each, and 30 minutes exercising with games Ski Slalom, Table Tilt, Penguin Slide, Soccer Heading, Tight Rope Walk, Perfect 10 and Tilt City.	Games started with beginners level and progressed to advanced/expert levels after participants performed well at current level	Nintendo Wii, Nintendo Wii Balance Board	N
Smaerup et al. 2015 ⁵⁵ Denmark	Rehabilitation training at hospital and exercising with specific Mitii games at home	Y	Participants got oral and written instructions of Mitii home exercises. During study period, game technology instructed exercises.	Y/N	Individualized sessions included drag-and-drop and follow-the-leader exercises aiming to enhance endurance, gaze stability, reflexes, smooth-pursuit eye movements and postural control	Once a month the physical therapist contacted participants to adjust progression by increasing duration, speed, and task challenges of games	Internet-connected computer, web camera connected to a cloud-based interactive training system using the Adobe Flash technology, headband	Y
Smaerup et al. 2016 ⁵⁶ Denmark	Exercising with specific Mitii games at home	N	Game technology instructed exercises and registered the duration of exercising. The physical therapist followed duration and contacted	N	Daily sessions included drag-and-drop and follow-the-leader games played in standing position for 20-30 minutes.	NR	Internet-connected computer, web camera connected to a cloud-based interactive training system using the	Y

			participants if they had not				Adobe Flash	
			trained for seven days.				technology,	
							headband	
Stanmore et	Exercising with	Y	The physiotherapist advised the	Y	Sessions included exercising with games that	Progression was tailored over the 12	laptop, Microsoft	Y
al. 2019 ⁵⁷	Kinect-designed		participants. Sessions were		suited the participant's starting level of ability	weeks by increasing number of games	Kinect	
UK	specific games and		supervised by a physiotherapist		and usual falls prevention exercises	within session, game challenge and		
	falls prevention		or physiotherapist's assistant			duration.		
	exercising							
	following program							
	leaflet							
Sutanto et	Outpatient	Y	Supervised session with one-to-	Y	Session included 30 min cycle exercise training	NR	Nintendo Wii,	N
al. 2019 ⁵⁸	exercising		one exergaming instruction		at intensity of 5 on modified 10-point Borg		Nintendo Wii Balance	
Indonesia	program and				scale and 30 min exergaming with Yoga deep		Board, flatscreen TV	
	exercising with				breathing, Yoga half-moon, Torso twist and			
	Wii Fit program				Free run games.			
Szturm et al.	Exercising with	N	NR	Y	Sessions included exercising with three games	Progression was adjusted individually by	FSA pressure mat,	Y
2011 59	specific video				(Under Pressure, Memory Match and Balloon	increasing movement amplitude, game	FSA interface box,	
Canada	games				Burst) by making horizontal or vertical motions	speed, game task precision, and exercise	laptop computer	
					while standing on pressure mat.	duration.		
Tollar et al.	Exercising with	N	Sessions were delivered by	Y	Sessions included warm-up and cool-down, 5	Training intensity was targeted to be 80%	Xbox 360	N
2019 ⁶⁰	Xbox 360 games		physical therapists who were		min each, and exergaming with three gaming	of maximum HR. When HR deviated ±5%		
Hungary			trained and supervised by the		modules (Reflex Ridge, Space Pop, Just	from target, the Polar monitor gave		
			principal investigator		Dance), 15 min each. Participants were allowed	feedback to participant.		
					to have 5 min rest.			
Toulotte et	Exercising with	N	NR	Y	Games, such as heading soccer, ski jumping,	Progression was adjusted individually with	Nintendo Wii	N
al. 2012 ⁶¹	Wii Fit games				yoga, downhill skiing, game balls and tightrope	game levels		
France					walker, were used for training, a chair in front			
					of participant for safety.			
Tsang & Fu	Exercising with	N	NR	Y	The Wii Fit balance training games included	NR	Nintendo Wii,	N
2016 ⁶²	the Wii Fit balance				Soccer Heading, Table Tilt, and Balance		Nintendo Wii Balance	
China	games				Bubble.		Board	
Uzor &	Exercising with	N	Research assistant made home	N	Participants trained with six exergames for	Progression was adjusted by three levels of	2 IMU sensors, laptop	Y
Baillie 2019	tailored exergame		visit to ensure a safe		strength (Pigeon Express, Horse Hurdles, Fire	game difficulty (easy, normal, difficult).	computer, Recov-R	
63 England	system in addition		environment and train		Rescue) and balance (River Gems, Panda Peak,		software	
	to standard care		participants to exergames		Snow Flags).			

Villumsen et	Aerobic and	N	A physical therapist gave	N	Sessions included warm-up and cool-down	To gradually increase intensity, use of free	Microsoft Xbox 360	N				
al. 2019 ⁶⁴	strength exercises		individual 90 min instruction		period and aerobic and strength exercises by	weights (0.5, 1.0 and 2.0 kg) were added	Kinect					
Denmark	with Xbox360		before home training		games.	to exergaming program						
	Sport and		exergaming									
	Adventure games											
Yeşilyaprak	Balance training	N	Sessions were provided by a	Y	Session included exergames for warm-up (5	Progression was adjusted by closing eyes	BTS NIRVANA VR	Y				
et al. 2016 ⁶⁵	with the VR		trained physical therapist.		min), training (35-45 min) and cool-down (5	while gaming, and by reducing base of	Interactive System					
Turkey	rehabilitation		Participants followed visual and		min)	support and increasing speed, duration and						
	system		audio feedback of gaming			challenge of games.						
			system.									
Yuen et al.	Exercising with	N	To support of participants,	N	Session included exergaming with intensity of	NR	Nintendo Wii U,	N				
2019 66 USA	Wii Fit games		research assistant contacted them		moderate to heavy (3 to 5 on 10-point Borg		Nintendo Balance					
			week after baseline assessment		scale)		board					
			and once a month during									
			intervention									
Y = Yes, N = No	, NR = Not reported		Y = Yes, N = No, NR = Not reported									

Figure C1. Risk of bias in studies (n=66) included in the review: (A) Randomization process, (B) Deviations from the intended interventions, (C) Missing outcome data, (D) Measurement of the outcome, (E) Selection of the reported results, (F) Overall.

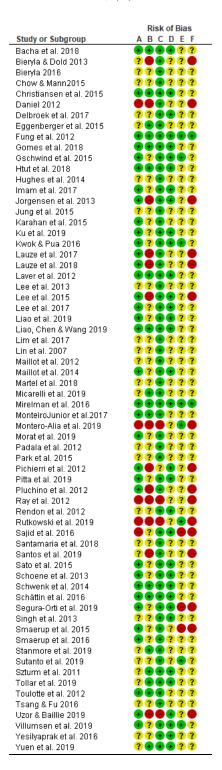


Figure C2. Summary of risk of bias across RCTs (n=58) included in meta-analysis.

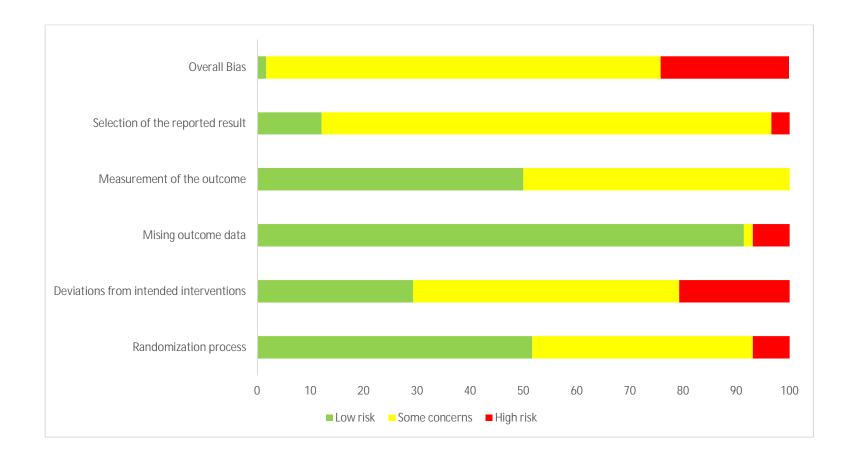


Table C3. Summary of Findings

Exergaming intervention compared to comparison group intervention³

Patients or population: Older adults aged 60 years or older with no common neurological condition

Settings: Varies

Intervention: Exergaming

Comparison: Other exercising protocol (other exergaming, other exercising, cognitive training) and no exercising protocol (control), i.e. active and inactive control respectively

Outcomes	SMD with 95% Confidence Interval Heterogeneity (I², p)	No of studies with high overall risk of bias ²	No of Participants (Studies)	Publication bias ^s	Certainty of the evidence (GRADE)	Comments
Walking post intervention	-0.21 [-0.36, -0.06] 76.3%, <.0001	14	3102 (58)	Not serious	⊕⊕⊕⊝Moderate¹	Walking was assessed with validated and standardized meters (Timed Up & Go test, walking speed test, 2- and 6-minute walking test, Dynamic Gait Index, Functional Gait Assessment, Tinetti's Gait).
Walking post follow-up	-0.32 [-0.64, 0.00] 72.8%, <.0001	4	1028 (13)	Not serious	⊕⊕⊖⊝Low¹⁴	Walking was assessed with validated and standardized meters (Timed Up & Go test, walking speed test, 2-minute walking test, Functional Gait Assessment and Tinetti's Gait).

¹ Downgrading by one level due to inconsistency: Substantial heterogeneity.

² No downgrading due to risk of bias, as meta-regression analysis did not revealed significant association when high risk of bias was assessed by domains. In studies post intervention, high risk of bias was identified in randomization process (4), deviations from intended intervention (12), missing outcome data (4) and selection of the reported results (2). In studies post follow-up, high risk of bias was identified in randomization process (1), deviations from intended intervention (4) and missing outcome data (1).

³ No downgrading due to indirectness; Correspondence to review's PICO criteria.

⁴ Downgrading by one level due to imprecision: Wide confidence interval including null effect and small amount of studies.

⁵ No downgrading due to publication bias: Asymmetry in the funnel plots indicated possibility of publication bias, but studies in favor of both groups has been published equally.

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