

Risk of bias assessment of the studies included in the narrative synthesis, according to the New Castle-Ottawa scoring scale.

Study	Selection				Comparability	Outcome			Score
	Representativeness of the Exposed Cohort 0-1	Selection of the Non-Exposed Cohort 0-1	Ascertainment of Exposure 0-1	Demonstration That Outcome of Interest Was Not Present at Start of Study 0-1	Comparability of Cohorts on the Basis of the Design or Analysis 0-2	Assessment of Outcome 0-1	Follow-Up Long Enough for Outcomes to Occur 0-1	Adequacy of Follow Up of Cohorts 0-1	
C. Fan 2020	(b) ★	(a) ★	(a) ★	(b)	★	(b) ★	(b)	(b) ★	6/9
C. Fan 2013	(b) ★	(a) ★	(a) ★	(a) ★	★ ★	(b) ★	(b)	(c)	7/9
Chen 2010	(b) ★	(a) ★	(a) ★	(a) ★	★	(b) ★	(b)	(c)	6/9
Yang 2019	(b) ★	(a) ★	(a) ★	(a) ★	★	(b) ★	(a) ★	(c)	7/9
X-W Fan 2020	(b) ★	(c)	(a) ★	(a) ★	NA	(a) ★	(a) ★	(a) ★	6/9