

**Table S1** Detailed search strategy of one database as an example (database: PubMed)

Items	Specification
1. Open the website of PubMed	pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov
2. Search with keywords	Keywords: exosome, cardiovascular disease, biomarker, clinical trial, therapy; combination with “AND”, “OR”
3. Filters	No filters with “results by year”, “text availability”, “article attribute”, or “article type”, “publication date” on the left column, except for “English” was selected in “language” (those columns are on the left side of the website)
4. Get the results	–