Appendix A. Search Strategy and results in Pubmed (MEDLINE)

| ID | Query | Results |
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| 1 | diabetes and (mobile phone) | 609 |
| 2 | diabetes AND ((mobile phone) OR (cell phone) OR (smart phone)) | 873 |
| 3 | diabetes AND ((mobile phone) OR (cell phone) OR (smart phone) or app) | 1262 |
| 4 | diabetes AND mobile app | 506 |
| Including mobile health keywords | | |
| 5 | (Type 1 Diabetes) AND (mobile app) | 100 |
| 6 | (Type 1 Diabetes OR T1DM) AND (mobile app) | 103 |
| 7 | (Type 1 Diabetes OR T1DM) AND (mobile app OR mHealth) | 339 |
| 8 | (Type 1 Diabetes OR T1DM) AND (mobile app OR mHealth OR app) | 365 |
| 9 | ((Type 1 Diabetes) OR (T1DM)) AND ((mobile health) OR (app) OR (mobile app) or mobile))) | 454 |
| Including Randomized Controlled Trial keywords | | |
| 10 | #9 AND (Randomized Controlled Trial) | 79 |
| 11 | #9 AND (Randomized Controlled Trial OR RCT) | 79 |
| 12 | #9 AND (Randomized Controlled Trial OR RCT OR Randomised Controlled Trial) | 79 |
| 13 | ((Type 1 Diabetes) OR (T1DM)) AND ((mobile health) OR (app) OR (mobile app) or mobile) AND (Randomized Controlled Trial OR RCT OR Randomized Trial) | 82 |
| Including self-management keywords | | |
| 14 | #1 AND self-management | 230 |
| 15 | #3 AND (self-management or self-care) | 303 |
| 16 | #5 AND (self-management or self-care) | 444 |
| 17 | #9 AND (self-management or self-care) | 221 |
| 18 | #13 AND (self-management or self-care) | 48 |