FIGURE 1: Flow diagram of the systematic review

PRISMA 2009 Flow Diagram

Records identified through database searching
(n = 4705)

Records after duplicates removed
(n = 3445)

Records screened
(n = 3445)

Records excluded
(n = 3048)

Full-text articles assessed for eligibility
(n = 397)

Full-text articles excluded, with reasons
(n = 372)
- No Latin America: 142
- Irrelevant study design: 53
- No Outcomes: 72
- No IBD: 26
- Duplicated: 6
- Others: 1

Studies included in the systematic review
(n = 25)


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