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Review question

What components and characteristics of digital and mobile health interventions are effective at changing sexual health behaviour?

Introduction

This review will cover digital and mobile health interventions for the individual. It will address established unhealthy behaviour relating to sexual health.

PICO table

PICO Element	Details
Population	<p>Included:</p> <p>Everyone, including young people under 16 (and their families or carers), who would benefit from changing current unsafe sexual behaviours, such as condomless sex.</p> <p>Specific consideration will be given to people with the following conditions, who may benefit from managing sexual behaviour because it affects their mental wellbeing:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • mental health conditions (including anxiety, depression and dementia) <p>Specific consideration will also be given to people with learning disabilities and people with neurodevelopmental disorders such as autism.</p> <p>Excluded:</p> <p>Those (including young people under 16) who currently exhibit safe sexual behaviours.</p> <p>Those who have previously exhibited unsafe sexual behaviour but no longer do so and those who want to maintain safe sexual behaviours.</p>
Intervention	<p>Included:</p> <p>Digital and mobile health behaviour change interventions that focus on changing current unsafe sexual behaviours. That is interventions that are delivered via a digital or mobile platform as a direct interface with participants. Examples include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Text message-based services (including picture messages and audio messages) • Those delivered by the internet (such as by apps, email, websites, videos, social networking sites and multi-media) • Interactive voice response interventions <p>Digital or mobile health interventions are typically automated, interactive and personalised although they may involve some direct or ongoing interaction with a practitioner or health care professional. However it should be the digital or mobile health technology itself that delivers the primary action, process of intervening or behaviour change techniques (as opposed to the healthcare practitioner or professional). The interventions may also focus on digital and mobile health strategies to improve mental wellbeing when managing sexual</p>

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	<p>behaviour (for example, managing stress, improving sleep and sleep hygiene, and reducing social isolation).</p> <p>Excluded: Interventions delivered solely by a healthcare professional or practitioner (for example counselling delivered over the telephone, video-links or by real-time live instant messaging), where the delivery of the primary action or process of intervening or behaviour change techniques is provided by the healthcare professional or practitioner</p> <p>Digital and mobile health interventions that aim to prevent the uptake of unsafe sexual behaviours (primary prevention) and/or to help maintain safe sexual behaviours.</p> <p>Clinical interventions to help with the diagnosis, treatment or management of a chronic physical or long-term mental health condition.</p> <p>Clinical or pharmacological methods of achieving behaviour change with no public health or health promotion element. For example, appointment reminders, medication reviews or self-care solely to improve medicine adherence.</p> <p>National policy, fiscal and legislative measures/</p> <p>Changes to the public realm to support behaviour change (such as condom distribution schemes).</p>
Comparator	<p>Other intervention for example a healthcare professional led intervention without a digital element or a combination of health professional and digital led interventions.</p> <p>Passive control group (usual care, no intervention)</p> <p>If longitudinal cohort and 'before-and-after' intervention studies need to be included (see 'study design'), then before and after (time) will be a comparator.</p> <p>Trials with more than one comparator will be included if at least one of the experimental arms meets the technology-based intervention inclusion criteria (see above).</p>
Outcomes	<p><u>Primary outcomes</u> Descriptive outcomes: Intervention components and study characteristics</p> <p>Short term and long term changes in sexual behaviours measured as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Contraceptive use at last sex • Condom use (at last sex, frequency, consistency) <p>Short or long term sexual health outcomes for example:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • prevalence or incidence of STI's/HIV/BBV's • unintended pregnancy; teenage pregnancy or repeat pregnancy <p>Extent of engagement (measured as self-report or automatically recorded usage data):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • programme adherence/attrition, number of log-ins/visits, number of pages visited, number of sessions completed, time spent on the device, number of device components/features used).

PICO Element	Details
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Self-reported interaction with the digital or m-health behaviour change intervention through quantitative approaches (i.e. self-report questionnaires) <p><u>Secondary outcomes</u> These will be extracted only if the study also reports a primary outcome.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health-related quality of life • Resources use and costs • Safety or adverse effects, including unintended consequences. <p>Cost/resource use associated with the intervention The following outcomes will be extracted in reviews of the health economic evidence, where available:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • cost per quality-adjusted life year • cost per unit of effect • net benefit • net present value • cost/resource impact or use associated with the intervention or its components <p>Excluded: Any study which does not include a primary outcome.</p>

Methods and process

This evidence review was developed using the methods and process described in Developing NICE guidelines: the manual. Methods specific to this review question are described in the review protocol in Appendix A. Information on the synthesis and quality assessment of included studies is discussed on page 21.

Declarations of interest were recorded according to NICE's 2018 conflicts of interest policy.

Condom use was defined in different ways (consistent condom use, frequency and condom use at last intercourse). Dichotomous outcomes were defined as: consistent condom use (100% condom use vs <100%), condom use at last intercourse (yes vs no). When a study defined the outcome on an ordinal scale (for example always, usually, sometimes/almost never, never), the response categories were dichotomised (for example always vs not always condom use) to develop a composite measure and re-express the outcome as consistent condom use, which could be pooled in the meta-analysis.

For dichotomous outcomes, risk ratio (RR) was used as the effect measure for pooling the results. When results presented as odds ratios (OR), then OR was converted to RR. When raw data were available, the 2x2 table was created by the analyst and the RR was calculated.

Condom use was analysed as a continuous outcome (mean value and SD was provided for individual studies) using the mean difference as the effect estimate when a single study was included in the meta-analysis using a single scale to measure the outcome. When the studies assessed the same outcome but measure it in a variety of ways (using different measurement scales), the results of the studies were standardized and therefore a standardized mean difference was used as a summary statistic for the meta-analysis.

For the second outcome of interest, STI incidence, when raw data were available, the analyst created the 2x2 table and a risk ratio was used for the analysis.

Public health evidence

Included studies

10424 references were identified from literature searches (between 2000 and 2019) outlined in Appendix E. 193 papers were ordered in full text. In total 15 primary studies met the inclusion criteria outlined below. 178 studies were excluded. See Appendix C for Public health evidence study selection.

Excluded studies

See appendix L for full list of excluded studies with reasons for exclusion.

Summary of studies included in the evidence review

Study	Population	Intervention	Comparator	Outcome used (relevant to protocol)	Risk of bias and follow-up
Internet-based interventions (n=12)					
Bannink et al 2014 (The Netherlands) Cluster RCT	Adolescents, third- and fourth-year secondary school students Recruited from schools N=1702	Computer based intervention (individually tailored feedback on a questionnaire that featured many health areas, including sexual health)	Same questionnaire without questions on negative sexual experience and suicide [other intervention]	Condom use ^b	High risk Follow-up, 4 months
Bailey et al 2016 (UK) RCT	Male ≥ 16 years recruited from 3 UK sexual health clinics N=159	Computer based intervention (individually tailored feedback website that addressed their barriers to condom use) plus usual care	Usual care [other intervention]	Condom use ^d STI incidence* Engagement	High risk Follow-up, 3 months
Bowen et al 2008 (USA) Before and after study	≥18 years old men having sex with men recruited through banner ads N=425	Post-test included 3 computer-based modules on knowledge, partners and context that included scripted discussions in 6 sessions that provided tailored feedback.	pre-test questionnaire	Condom use/, proportion of times used a condom	High risk Follow-up, 1 week
Carpenter et al 2010 (USA) RCT	Men who have sex with men aged 18–39 years Recruited through banner advertisements N=199	Computer based intervention (risk assessment and individually tailored feedback, motivational, skills and educational exercises, and a HIV knowledge test)	Stress reduction training programme [other intervention]	Unprotected sex ^a	High risk Follow up, 3 months
Cheng 2019 China	Men who have sex with men aged ≥18 years	Computer based intervention (scripted scenarios with choice points and interactive	HIV referral service [other intervention]	Condomless anal sex	Some concerns Follow up, 3 months

RCT	Recruited through banner advertisements N=199	dialogue, and HIV information)			
Grimley et al 2009 (UK) RCT	Adults (aged 18 to 44) recruited from a clinic waiting area N=430	Computer tailored intervention (individually tailored feedback counselling website; graphics, photographs, audio editing packages and multimedia delivered messages, topics or intervention strategies)	Multiple health risk assessment [no intervention]	Condom use (consistency) ^b STI incidence*	High risk Follow up, 6 months
Kiene et al 2006 (USA) RCT	Undergraduates recruited from the University of Connecticut Psychology Department N=157	Computer tailored intervention (quizzes with personalised feedback, activities, goal setting exercises to generate self-motivating strategies)	Nutrition education intervention [other intervention]	Condom use	Some concerns Follow up, 1 month
Klein 2017 (USA) RCT	Female (18-34-year-old) Recruited from health clinics N=321	Computer based intervention (audio narration, visual presentation, interactivity, games and telenovela style videos)	Clinic standard care+ information brochures [other intervention]	Condom use ^b STI prevalence	Some concerns Follow up, 6 months
Mevisen et al 2011 (The Netherlands) RCT	Adults recruited from universities/ colleges (18-25 years old) recruited from Universities/colleges N=218	Computer based intervention (interactive question-and-answer format; virtual consultant delivered safe sex advice and optional risk information)	Non tailored intervention Control group [did not receive any intervention]	Condom use (consistency at follow up)	High risk Follow up, 3 months
Milam et al 2016 (USA) RCT	HIV-infected men who have sex with men (age <18 years)	Computer based intervention (tailored website providing risk-appropriate messages that used social influences	Only monthly brief computer assessed behaviour survey [no intervention]	STI incidence*	High risk Follow up, 12 months

	recruited from clinics N=181	and promoted moments of positive behaviour the participant mentioned) plus the monthly survey			
Downs et al 2004 (USA) RCT	Female aged 14-18 recruited from four Pittsburgh area healthcare sites N=300	Interactive video-based intervention with choice points that lead toward or away from unsafe sex. 30s pause allows user to perform cognitive rehearsal, imagining what they'd say/do	Content matched control: page book [other intervention] Topic- matched control: commercially and research brochures [other intervention]	Condom use frequency ^c STI diagnosis (incidence)*	High risk Follow up, 3 months
Gilbert et al 2008 (USA) RCT	Adults (≥18 years old & HIV positive) recruited via clinic advertisements N=476	Interactive video doctor intervention (messages delivered to reduce risky sex and drug behaviours; interactive discussion and counselling; feedback on changes since baseline)	Usual care [other intervention]	Unprotected sex	Some concerns Follow up, 6 months
Text message-based interventions (n=3)					
Chernick et al 2017(USA) RCT	Females aged 14-19 in the Emergency Department Recruited from the emergency department N=100	Text message-based intervention (information on family planning clinics)	Standard referral (SR) arm [no intervention]	Condom use ^b (last intercourse) Pregnancy Engagement	High risk Follow up, 3 months
McCarthy et al 2019 (Palestine) RCT	Females aged 18-24 Recruited from PFPPA's service delivery points and outreach sites	Text message- based intervention (goal setting, belief selection, anticipated regret, guided practice, verbal persuasion, tailoring and cultural similarity)	Messages about trial participation [no intervention]	Effective contraception use Unintended pregnancy	High risk Follow up, 4 months

	N=578				
Suffoletto et al 2013 (UK) RCT	Adult females in the Emergency Department Discharged From the Emergency Department N=52	Text message-based intervention to set goals and increase motivation to change unhealth sex behaviour	Welcome text messages [no intervention]	Condom use ^b (last sex) Engagement	High risk Follow up, 3 months

* Raw data from primary studies were used and 2*2 tables were created, and a relative risk was calculated by the analyst

^a unprotected sex was converted to protected sex for the purpose of the analysis

^b Raw data from the primary studies were used for the condom use. 2*2 tables were created, and the relative risk was calculated by the analyst

^c only f value available from this study; therefore, could not be included in the meta-analysis

^d Study presented as median and interquartile range (with no raw data available); therefore, condom use was not included in the meta-analysis

Synthesis and quality assessment of effectiveness evidence included in the evidence review

All included studies in this review were RCTs and controlled before and after studies. Studies with a control group were assessed for risk of bias using the Cochrane's Risk of Bias 2.0 tool as referenced in Appendix H of the NICE methods manual. Meta-analysis was undertaken in Cochrane Review Manager (version 5.3).

With regards to imprecision, minimally important difference (MID) thresholds were used. Specifically, for dichotomous outcomes the default MID value of (0.8-1.25) was used. Uncertainty is present where confidence intervals cross the MID threshold. If the confidence interval crosses one lower MID threshold, this indicates 'serious' risk of imprecision. Crossing both MID thresholds indicates 'very serious' risk of imprecision in the effect estimate. When neither of the confidence intervals crossed the MID and the point estimate is also beyond the MID a minimally important difference is present. Overall, the change in the outcome is not meaningful when the CIs cross the MID. If the MID could not be calculated (e.g. because standard deviation of outcome measure at baseline was not reported in the paper) then we downgraded by 1 level as it was 'not possible to calculate imprecision from the information reported in the study.

GRADE evidence profiles were developed separately for pooled and non-pooled data. The studies reported multiple ways of measuring the same outcome. Therefore, to make the evidence clear, evidence statements were created to accompany the evidence profiles.

See appendix H for full GRADE tables.

Economic evidence

Included studies

A unified search for economic evidence was conducted across all review questions in the guideline. A total of 5,267 records were assessed against the eligibility criteria. 5,107 records were excluded based on information in the title and abstract. The full-text versions of 160 papers were retrieved and assessed and 1 study was assessed as meeting the inclusion criteria for this review question on unsafe sexual behaviour.

A re-run search was carried out in August 2019 to identify any additional economic evidence that was published during guideline development. 1,040 records were excluded based on information in the title and abstract. The full-text versions of 20 papers were retrieved and assessed and none were found to meet the inclusion criteria for this review question.

The selection process is shown in appendix D.

Excluded studies

179 full text documents were excluded for this question. The studies and the reasons for their exclusion are listed in appendix K. Studies were excluded for the following reasons: ineligible population (n=64), ineligible intervention (n=53), ineligible outcomes (n=29), ineligible study design (n=21) and systematic review (n=12).

Summary of studies included in the economic evidence review

Study	Intervention and comparator key features	Costs	Effects	Incremental cost effectiveness and uncertainty	Quality assessment
<p>Bailey, 2016 (UK)</p> <p>Currency & cost year: £; 2014</p> <p>Cost-effectiveness and cost-utility analysis</p> <p>Population: Heterosexual sexually active men aged ≥ 16 years with female sexual partners and had recent condom-less sex or a suspected acute sexually transmitted infection (STI)</p>	<p>INTERVENTION: Men's Safer Sex website plus usual sexual health clinical care.</p> <p>The website provided individually tailored advice over a period of 1 year on barriers to condom use, especially on the impact of condoms on sexual pleasure.</p> <p>COMPARATOR: Usual sexual health clinical care only (no website)</p>	<p>Total costs: For the self-completed questionnaire total costs were not reported. However, the incremental cost for the intervention was reported as -£24 (95% CI -£145 to £97)</p> <p>For the resource use from clinical records a mean (SD) cost per patient was reported: Website: £189 (£159) No website: £214 (£264)</p>	<p>Intermediate outcome of condomless sex: Incidence rate ratio (IRR): 1.01 (95% CI: 0.52 to 1.96)</p> <p>Clinical diagnosis of STIs over 1 year: Control: 9/69 (13%) Intervention: 7/80 (8.8%) IRR: 0.75 (95% CI: 0.29 to 1.89)</p> <p>QALYs: Mean QALYs using EQ-5D-3L (SD) Intervention: 0.902 (0.112) Control: 0.904 (0.113)</p> <p>Mean QALYs using the sexual quality of life (SQoL) questionnaire (SD) Intervention: 0.936 (0.034)</p>	<p>Full incremental analysis Five separate incremental cost-effectiveness analyses were generated:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> EQ-5D-3L for utility and self-completed resource use questionnaire SQoL-3D for utility and self-completed resource use questionnaire Disutility of a STI and resource use from medical records Cost per STI prevented using self-completed resource use questionnaire Cost per STI prevented using resource use from medical records. <p>In analysis 1, 2 and 4 the intervention was dominant (i.e. improves health outcomes and reduces cost)</p> <p>Analysis 3 returned a cost-effectiveness result of £3,000 per QALY</p> <p>Analysis 5 returned an incremental cost per avoided STI of £291.</p> <p>Analysis of uncertainty Bootstrapping was used to generate cost-effectiveness acceptability curves. The impact of pregnancies in female sexual</p>	<p>Overall applicability: Directly applicable</p> <p>Overall quality: Potentially serious limitations</p>

Study	Intervention and comparator key features	Costs	Effects	Incremental cost effectiveness and uncertainty	Quality assessment
			Control: 0.940 (0.032)	<p>partners was included as a sensitivity analysis only.</p> <p>Probability intervention is cost effective at a threshold of £20,000/QALY: Analysis 1: 88% (same with or without pregnancies) Analysis 2: 68% (same with or without pregnancies) Analysis 3: 61% (69% if pregnancies included)</p> <p>The study also explored the impact of including the cost of developing the website on the results. Assuming the website cost £101,515 to develop and a trial population of 84 participants, this increased costs by £1,209 per participant and resulted in an ICER for analysis 1 of £39,466/QALY.</p>	

Abbreviations: CI: confidence interval; IRR: incidence rate ratio; QALY: quality-adjusted life year; QoL: quality of life; SD: standard deviation; STI: sexually transmitted infection

Economic model

No original economic modelling was undertaken for this question.

Summary of the evidence

Evidence statements

Condom use;

Internet based interventions;

- Consistent condom use; very low-quality evidence from 1 RCT (Grimley 2009) with 6 months follow up, found a significant increase compared to no intervention.
- Condom use at last intercourse; low quality evidence from 1 RCT (Klein 2017), with 6 months follow up showed no difference compared to another intervention.
- Consistency of condom use; very low-quality evidence from 2 RCTs (Bannick 2014, Gilbert 2008) with a 4-6 months follow up found increased consistency of condom use compared to other interventions.
- Always condom use; low quality evidence from 1 RCT using a tailored intervention (Mevisen 2011) with a 3 month follow up, found an increase compared to no intervention.
- Consistency of condom use; low quality evidence from 2 RCTs (Mevisen 2011, Kiene 2006) with 1-3 months follow up found increased consistency of condom use compared to other interventions.
- Unprotected sex in those with positive or any serostatus; low quality evidence from 1 RCT (Carpenter 2010) with 3 months follow up found no difference compared to another intervention.
- Frequency of condom use; low quality evidence from 1 RCT (Downs 2004) with 3 months follow up found no difference compared to no intervention.
- Condom use, before and after intervention; very low-quality evidence (Bowen 2008) from 1 before and after study showed that condoms were used more often after the intervention.

Text message interventions;

- Condom use at last intercourse; very low-quality evidence from 2 RCTs (Chernick 2017, Suffoletto 2013) with 3 months follow up showed no difference in compared to no intervention.

STI

Internet based interventions;

- Risk of STI; low quality evidence from 2 RCTs (Bailey 2016, Downs 2004) with 6-12 month follow up 6-12 months, found decreased risk compared to other intervention.

- Risk of STI; very low-quality evidence from 2 RCTs (Grimley 2009, Milam 2016) with 6-12 month follow up 6-12 months, showed no difference compared to no intervention.

Pregnancy

Text message interventions;

- Risk of unwanted pregnancy; very low quality evidence from 2 RCT (Chernick 2017, McCarthy 2019) with 3 and 4- month follow up showed no difference in the using text message based interventions compared to no intervention.

Engagement

Level of user engagement was reported only in 3 studies (Bailey 2016, Chernick 2017, Suffoletto 2013) but in a non-consistent way and no further conclusion could be made

Interactive voice response interventions

- No evidence was identified for this type of intervention

No evidence was identified on digital and mobile health behaviour change interventions for the following subgroups:

- People with mental health conditions (including anxiety, depression and dementia)
- People with learning disabilities and people with neurodevelopmental disorders

Economic evidence statements

One study assessed the feasibility and best design of a large-scale RCT and health economic evaluation of the Men's Safer Sex website in addition to usual care versus usual care. The analysis reported no statistically significant difference between the reported outcomes of STIs and QALYs. However, the analysis reported a dominant finding for the intervention in the base case. Because of the statistically insignificant findings for outcomes and overlap for costs the sensitivity analysis should report a range from dominated to dominant meaning it is difficult to present a meaningful finding from this analysis. The analysis was directly applicable to the review question with potentially serious limitations.

Recommendations

Please refer to the separate guideline document for recommendations.

Rationale and impact

Please refer to the separate guideline document for the rationale and impact.

The committee's discussion of the evidence

Interpreting the evidence

The outcomes that matter most

The primary outcomes of interest were behaviour outcomes such as condom use, health outcomes such as sexually transmitted infections (STIs), human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) status, and blood borne viruses (BBVs), and extent of engagement with the intervention. Condom use was defined in a variety of ways: condom use at last sex, frequency of condom use, and consistency of condom use. Within the studies condom use was reported in a variety of ways. When condom use was assessed in ordinal scales, response categories were dichotomised, in order to develop a composite measure which could be included in the meta-analysis. STI was defined as incidence rate ratio or incidence rate and pregnancy outcomes were also outcomes of interest within this review. The committee discussed these outcomes and agreed that all were important for this review. Secondary outcomes were health-related quality of life, resource use and costs, and safety or adverse effects (including possible unintended consequences).

The committee discussed that engagement is an important factor to consider when assessing how useful these interventions are. However, committee noted that the information on the level of engagement was insufficient as it was reported in only a small number of studies and reported in a non-consistent way.

The quality of the evidence

The quality of the evidence ranged from low to very low using GRADE. The overall low quality of the evidence was discussed by the committee and they agreed that this would make it difficult to make strong recommendations. Outcomes were downgraded mainly due to high risk of bias, to attrition rates and self-reporting of outcomes. As agreed with the committee, further subgroup analyses according to digital platform (internet vs text message interventions) and condom use measurements (consistent condom use vs condom use at last intercourse) were also performed.

The committee was mindful of the variation in reporting of the outcomes, that few studies reported STI results, that the interventions were all multicomponent and the fact that this is a rapidly growing field with new evidence. However, after taking all of the above into account, the committee discussed that there is some evidence of effectiveness and wished to reflect this in the recommendations. The committee noted that there is evidence of the effectiveness of internet-based interventions at changing sexual behaviour, even if it is not of high quality. Specifically, the committee noted that internet-based interventions increased condom use; however, it was unclear if this would be a sustained behaviour change as there wasn't evidence after 6 months. The committee agreed that there is some evidence that internet-based interventions reduced the risk of STI, but they were aware that this evidence arises from a limited number of studies.

The committee noted that condom use was assessed using self-reporting; and they discussed that this can possibly exaggerate positive behaviours. The committee was aware of this risk of bias however, they discussed and accepted that self-reporting outcomes in sexual health studies is unavoidable. Condom use was divided in two outcomes, consistent condom use, and condom use at last intercourse. The committee agreed that interventions seemed to be more effective in studies that reported consistent condom use compared to studies reported condom use at last intercourse. The committee agreed that STIs were reported more rigorously using clinical evaluation compared to condom use.

The committee noted that many of the studies were focused on targeted groups (men who have sex with men, those who are HIV positive, those attending the emergency department). Consequently, the committee questioned the generalisability of the results to a wider population. The committee discussed that some of these targeted groups are those that may be more likely to attend clinics and may have greater interaction with healthcare professional and clinicians compared to others. The committee also discussed whether there may be themes in the studies with specific populations (such as men who have sex with men, people in the emergency department).

The committee noted the lack of data in certain areas. Evidence of effectiveness for long-term outcomes is poor as only 1 study reported outcomes for 12month follow up. Therefore, they discussed that whether there is sustainable behaviour change with internet-based interventions. They discussed that it would be beneficial if long-term outcomes were captured to help establish whether the behaviour change is sustained over time. The committee also noted that none of the studies included populations that are considered hard to reach. However, the committee discussed that digital interventions may be a discreet option for accessing these populations as there may be an element of potential stigma or reluctance to engage with sexual health services. Therefore, they decided to make a research recommendation.

The committee discussed that internet-based interventions may have an additive effect when offered to people who are at risk of unsafe sexual behaviour and who are already in clinics, surgeries or in community settings. The intervention would be readily available in clinics so people could use them while they wait, or after they have finished their appointment and are more willing to complete an intervention. They further discussed that it may be helpful to investigate the willingness of people to engage with these interventions in public spaces.

The committee noted that there was under-reporting of behaviour change techniques in the studies and this made it difficult to make recommendations relating specifically to behaviour change techniques. Feedback and monitoring followed by goal and planning and shaping knowledge were the most commonly reported techniques. The committee discussed and considered with their expertise that certain components may work better in some interventions as they could be drivers of the behaviours. The committee further noted that specific components such as scripted dialogues, and choice points seemed to be more effective in some digital and mobile health interventions. Choice points arise during an interactive scripted video, which give the person using the intervention options on what the character should do next at key moments. This models how the person would react in a similar situation in real life, and the consequences of their actions. The intervention can give feedback on how choosing differently may help them change their behaviour. 2 interventions using interactive videos and scripted dialogues were found to be effective at increasing condom use. Another intervention using videos, choice points and cognitive rehearsal was found to be effective at decreasing STI risk. This agreed with their understanding that rehearsal and restating of facts can aid behaviour change. Therefore, the committee decided to make a recommendation on these specific components. The committee discussed that planning or scripting which seems to work for sexual health behaviour may be different from other behaviours. They further mentioned that active interventions may be more effective for sexual health in particular; whereas daily interactions (such as regular text messages) may work for smoking but may be less effective within sexual health. The committee noted that

this may be because the virtual situations allows people to experience difficult sexual situations and develop healthy response mechanisms that can be used in real life, without having to experience the situation first-hand and putting themselves in possible danger.

The committee were also mindful that only a few studies reported level of engagement and therefore no further conclusions relating to engagement with the interventions could be made. The committee also noted that there was a high rate of attrition in the included studies, and they discussed that it will be useful to capture the point that people don't engage.

According to expert testimony, erotic content that includes condom use can help to improve the association between safety, and enjoyment and pleasure. The committee discussed that the content of some interventions may be restricted as people cannot offer content that is sexually explicit to people younger than 18. The committee further discussed expert testimony on potential harms that are associated with the use of commercially available apps especially for vulnerable population such as people being trafficked, and young groups who are vulnerable to sexual exploitation. Therefore, they discussed that it is important to consider patient history and predisposition when recommending apps.

The experts also explained to the committee that digital and mobile health interventions may be more likely to get engagement from groups with a vested interest in the target behaviour and where digital engagement already happening. As a specific example, experts described the digital condom promotion intervention, which may be more appealing to those accessing self-screening for STI infections online.

The committee discussed that it is helpful for those considering using digital and mobile health interventions to have resources that they can access. The committee gave specific examples, such as the NHS Apps library or PHE resources. Therefore, the committee decided to recommend using reputable sources when choosing digital and mobile health interventions. However, the committee also discussed that digital technology moves quickly. This can make it difficult for those evaluating a specific digital or mobile health intervention to be completed in a timely manner.

Benefits and harms

The committee took into consideration that digital and mobile health interventions on sexual health is an emerging field with fast growing evidence and therefore they agreed that the review was challenging, and new evidence will emerge in the future. Therefore, the committee discussed the importance of using specific sources (NHS digital, NHS X, PHE) when considering the use of digital interventions.

The committee agreed that there is some evidence, that internet-based interventions had some effect on increasing condom use. The committee noted that there is a small amount of evidence that internet-based interventions are effective at decreasing the risk of STI, but they noted that this evidence came from a limited number of studies (only 2) with low participant numbers. The committee also noted that text message interventions were not effective at increasing condom use. However, they were mindful that this evidence also only arose from 2 studies. They mentioned that timing and intensity of text messages may also be important. Motivation to change sexual behaviour may be different than other behaviour changes. Specifically, the committee discussed that regular text messages may be more effective or appropriate if trying to reduce smoking or alcohol consumption rather than unsafe sexual behaviour. Furthermore, the committee commented that timely and relevant delivery of the text messages in order to be received when they needed is important.

The committee noted that single session interventions or brief interventions that had been used in the included studies showed some effectiveness at changing sexual behaviour. They further discussed the online nature of some of these and noted that this is likely to be a helpful way to deliver these and allow the privacy that those seeking these interventions may

want. Therefore, the committee agreed that there was evidence to recommend the use of online brief interventions at changing unsafe sexual behaviour.

The committee also discussed the multifactorial nature of many problem behaviours. Alcohol and drug use may have an influence on areas such as unsafe sexual health behaviour. They further discussed that if harmful behaviours happen in combination whether digital and mobile health interventions should consider this and be tailored or designed differently.

The committee agreed that it would be useful to compare components and characteristics across different behaviours in order to identify whether the components are the same or different across behaviours (smoking, diet and exercise, smoking, sexual health), and investigate the most effective ones. Therefore, the committee discussed that more research would be beneficial on effective components and characteristics, and they made a research recommendation.

The committee discussed that digital and mobile health interventions should be considered alongside, and may enhance, existing services. This is for 2 reasons: the committee did not want digital and mobile health interventions to replace existing, effective services; and the committee did not want to recommend these interventions as standalone since evidence of their effectiveness is still emerging. For more information on this, consult the overall discussion of the evidence found in the separate guideline document, evidence review 1: smoking.

The committee also noted that none of the included studies reported harms, adverse effects or any unintended consequences related to the interventions. They consider this to be a considerable omission in this evidence and consider that it is important that research should consider if there are potential harms of the use of digital and mobile health intervention and therefore, they made a research recommendation. For more information on harms across behaviours, consult the overall discussion of the evidence found in the separate guideline document, evidence review 1: smoking.

Cost effectiveness and resource use

The committee discussed evidence from 1 published cost-effectiveness study (Bailey 2016b) conducted in the UK that compared a website designed to provide tailored advice on barriers to condom use in a sexual health clinic waiting room compared to sexual health clinic care alone. The study was a within-trial analysis with a 12-month time horizon. The randomised controlled trial upon which the cost-effectiveness analysis was based was designed as a feasibility study and explored different approaches to collecting data on resource use to estimate costs and on health-state utilities to estimate quality-adjusted life years (QALYs). Cost-effectiveness results were reported in terms of both cost per STI prevented and cost per QALY. Under different cost per QALY scenarios, the authors reported that the intervention ranged from being dominant (more effective and less costly) to being cost effective with an incremental cost-effectiveness ratio (ICER) of £3,000 per QALY versus usual care. However, the trial was designed as a feasibility study with a limited sample size; the authors noted some technical errors and poor response to collection of self-reported cost and outcomes data and results were subject to a high degree of uncertainty. The committee agreed that it was not possible to draw any formal conclusions about the cost effectiveness of the intervention or to make any generalisations about the cost effectiveness of different components and characteristics of digital interventions aimed at changing unsafe sexual behaviour on the basis of a single study.

The committee discussed the different cost components of relevance to economic evaluations of digital interventions. It noted that in the base case, the Bailey 2016b analysis did not take into account costs associated with development of the website but estimated these separately at £101,515. Taking the number of participants in the trial (n=84) as the denominator, the cost per patient for website development would be £1,209. If website development costs were factored into the cost-effectiveness analysis, the ICER for

intervention versus usual care was estimated at approximately £40,000 per QALY. The committee discussed that the development cost of the intervention per patient was highly dependent on the number of people who would use the intervention and the expected uptake outside the context of a clinical trial but nonetheless agreed these costs can have a large impact on the cost effectiveness of digital interventions. The committee felt that in order to minimise these costs, it would be advisable for commissioners and practitioners to consider existing evidence-based digital interventions before commissioning development of a new digital intervention. If a decision has been made to commission a new digital intervention, the committee felt that it is important to consider regional-level collaboration or partnerships across the health and care system in order to maximise the reach and uptake of the intervention and to achieve economies of scale.

Overall discussion of the evidence across all review questions

Please refer to the separate guideline document (evidence review 1 – smoking behaviour) for the committee discussion of the evidence across all review questions.

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Appendices

Appendix A – Review protocols

Review protocol for sexual health

Field (based on PRISMA-P)	Content
Review question	What components and characteristics of digital and mobile health interventions are effective at changing unsafe sexual behaviour?
Type of review question	Effectiveness
Objective of the review	<p>This review aims to describe individual-level digital and mobile health interventions for changing behaviour in the target area of sexual health and identify the critical components and intervention characteristics shown to be effective. Intervention components may include:</p> <p>Specific behaviour change techniques used</p> <p>Mode of delivery (digital platform type)</p> <p>Intervention intensity and duration of provision (e.g. number of sessions or messages, total digital contact time or duration of active digital support).</p> <p>Recommendation or professional endorsement of an intervention</p> <p>Other intervention characteristics may include:</p>

	<p>Particular groups of interest (see 'population')</p> <p>Extent of targeting to a group or tailoring/personalisation to an individual</p> <p>Sociodemographic factors of the target audience (such as age, gender, socioeconomic group, and ethnicity and digital literacy)</p> <p>Level of healthcare professional/practitioner induction or interaction</p> <p>Level of user engagement</p>
<p>Eligibility criteria – population/disease/condition/issue/domain</p>	<p>Included:</p> <p>Everyone, including young people under 16 (and their families or carers), who would benefit from changing current unsafe sexual behaviours.</p> <p>Specific consideration will be given to people with the following conditions, who may benefit from managing sexual behaviour because it affects their mental wellbeing:</p> <p>mental health conditions (including anxiety, depression and dementia)</p> <p>Specific consideration will also be given to people with learning disabilities and people with neurodevelopmental disorders such as autism.</p> <p>Excluded:</p> <p>Those (including young people under 16) who currently exhibit safe sexual behaviours.</p>

	<p>Those who have previously exhibited unsafe sexual behaviour but no longer do so and those who want to maintain safe sexual behaviours.</p>
<p>Eligibility criteria – intervention(s)/exposure(s)/prognostic factor(s)</p>	<p>Digital and mobile health behaviour change interventions that focus on changing current unsafe sexual behaviours. That is interventions that are delivered via a digital or mobile platform as a direct interface with participants. Examples include:</p> <p>Text message-based services (including picture messages and audio messages)</p> <p>Those delivered by the internet (such as by apps, email, websites, videos, social networking sites and multi-media)</p> <p>Interactive voice response interventions</p> <p>Digital or mobile health interventions are typically automated, interactive and personalised although they may involve some direct or ongoing interaction with a practitioner or health care professional. However, it should be the digital or mobile health technology itself that delivers the primary action, process of intervening or behaviour change techniques (as opposed to the healthcare practitioner or professional).</p> <p>The interventions may also focus on digital and mobile health strategies to improve mental wellbeing when managing sexual behaviour (for example, managing stress, improving sleep and sleep hygiene, and reducing social isolation).</p> <p>Studies must primarily focus on changing behaviours in regard to sexual health. If multiple behaviours are targeted within the technology results on these must be reported separately in order for extraction and analysis to be carried out. If the intervention focuses on changing multiple behaviours then results on alcohol consumption must be reported separately for</p>

	<p>extraction and analysis to be carried out. If the intervention reports on separate behaviours it may be included in multiple reviews with the relevant outcomes extracted according to the protocol, and could be further considered in a multi-behaviour meta-regression if data requirements are met for such an approach.</p> <p>Excluded:</p> <p>Interventions delivered solely by a healthcare professional or practitioner (for example counselling delivered over the telephone, video-links or by real-time live instant messaging), where the delivery of the primary action or process of intervening or behaviour change techniques is provided by the healthcare professional or practitioner.</p> <p>Digital and mobile health interventions that aim to prevent the uptake of unsafe sexual behaviours (primary prevention) and/or to help maintain safe sexual behaviours.</p> <p>Clinical interventions to help with the diagnosis, treatment or management of a chronic physical or long-term mental health condition.</p> <p>Clinical or pharmacological methods of achieving behaviour change with no public health or health promotion element. For example, appointment reminders, medication reviews or self-care solely to improve medicine adherence.</p>
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	<p>National policy, fiscal and legislative measures</p> <p>Changes to the public realm to support behaviour change (such as condom distribution schemes).</p> <p>Settings:</p> <p>Any setting where people may be referred to, self-refer to, or access technology-based behaviour change interventions, including online or other digital access platforms.</p> <p>All countries to be included.</p>
<p>Eligibility criteria – comparator(s)/control or reference (gold) standard</p>	<p>Included:</p> <p>Other intervention for example a healthcare professional led intervention or a combination of health professional and digital led interventions.</p> <p>Passive control group (usual care, no intervention)</p> <p>If longitudinal cohort and ‘before-and-after’ intervention studies need to be included (see ‘study design’), then before and after (time) will be a comparator.</p> <p>Trials with more than one comparator will be included if at least one of the experimental arms meets the technology-based intervention inclusion criteria (see above).</p>

Outcomes and prioritisation	<p><u>Primary outcomes</u></p> <p>Descriptive outcomes: Intervention components</p> <p>Short term and long term changes in sexual behaviours measured as:</p> <p>Contraceptive use at last sex</p> <p>Condom use (at last sex, frequency, consistency)</p> <p>Short or long term sexual health outcomes for example:</p> <p>prevalence or incidence of STI's/HIV/BBV's</p> <p>unintended pregnancy; teenage pregnancy or repeat pregnancy</p> <p>Extent of engagement (measured as self report or automatically recorded usage data):</p> <p>program adherence/attrition, number of log-ins/visits, number of pages visited, number of sessions completed, time spent on the device, number of device components/features used).</p> <p>Self-reported interaction with the digital or m-health behaviour change intervention (i.e. self-report questionnaires)</p>
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	<p><u>Secondary outcomes</u></p> <p>These will be extracted only if the study also reports a primary outcome.</p> <p>Health-related quality of life</p> <p>Resources use and costs</p> <p>Safety or adverse effects, including unintended consequences.</p> <p>Cost/resource use associated with the intervention</p> <p>The following outcomes will be extracted in reviews of the health economic evidence, where available:</p> <p>cost per quality-adjusted life year</p> <p>cost per unit of effect</p> <p>net benefit</p> <p>net present value</p> <p>cost/resource impact or use associated with the intervention or its components</p> <p>Excluded:</p>
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	Any study which does not include a primary outcome.
Eligibility criteria – study design	<p>Included study designs:</p> <p><u>Effectiveness studies:</u></p> <p>Systematic reviews of effectiveness studies</p> <p>Studies of effectiveness including:</p> <p>RCTs (including cluster RCTs)</p> <p>non-randomised controlled trials such as before and after studies</p> <p>interrupted time series</p> <p><u>Economic studies:</u></p> <p>Cost-utility (cost per QALY)</p> <p>Cost benefit (i.e. net benefit)</p> <p>Cost-effectiveness (Cost per unit of effect)</p> <p>Cost minimization</p> <p>Cost-consequence</p> <p>Excluded study designs:</p>

	Cross-sectional studies
Other inclusion exclusion criteria	<p>Systematic reviews (SRs) identified from database searches may be included as a primary source of data. Quality of identified SRs will be assessed against the inclusion criteria for this protocol. Where partially or fully applicable, the quality of the SR will be assessed using the ROBIS tool. Where the SR is:</p> <p>Fully applicable and moderate or high quality: details or data from systematic review will be used.</p> <p>Partially applicable and moderate or high quality: details or data from systematic review will be used. Any sections of the protocol not covered by the SR will be covered by usual searches.</p> <p>In addition to any SRs meeting the above criteria, other primary studies will be included if they were published after the publication date of the SR and meet the protocol inclusion criteria.</p> <p>Where SRs identified from database searches do not meet the above criteria, the included studies will be sifted to identify any primary studies not already identified by the searches that meet the inclusion criteria for this review.</p> <p>Full economic analyses and costing studies identified from searches will be included. Costing data will not be used for the purpose of the effectiveness review. Health economics reviews and modelling will be conducted by the York Health Economics Consortium (YHEC).</p> <p>Only papers published in the English language will be included.</p> <p>Only studies published since the year 2000 will be included.</p> <p>Only full published studies (not protocols or summaries) will be included.</p>

Proposed sensitivity/sub-group analysis, or meta-regression	<p>Where sufficient data are available, subgroup analysis or meta-regression will be used to identify the critical components or characteristics of interventions shown to be effective. Intervention components may include:</p> <p>Specific behaviour change techniques used</p> <p>Mode of delivery (digital platform type)</p> <p>Intervention intensity and duration of provision (e.g. number of sessions or messages, total digital contact time or duration of active digital support).</p> <p>Recommendation or professional endorsement of an intervention</p> <p>Other intervention characteristics may include:</p> <p>Particular groups of interest (see 'population')</p> <p>Extent of targeting to a group or tailoring/personalisation to an individual</p> <p>Sociodemographic factors of the target audience (such as age, gender, socioeconomic group, and ethnicity and digital literacy)</p> <p>Level of healthcare professional/practitioner induction or interaction</p> <p>Level of user engagement</p>
Selection process – duplicate	The review will use the priority screening function within the EPPI-reviewer systematic reviewing software.

screening/selection/analysis	<p>Double screening will be carried out for 10% of titles and abstracts by a second reviewer. Disagreements will be resolved by discussion. Inter-rater reliability will be assessed and reported. If below 90%, a second round of 10% double screening will be undertaken.</p> <p>The study inclusion and exclusion lists will be checked with members of the PHAC to ensure no studies are excluded inappropriately.</p>
Data management (software)	<p>EPPI Reviewer will be used:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> to store lists of citations to sift studies based on title and abstract to record decisions about full text papers to order freely available papers via retrieval function to request papers via NICE guideline Information Services to store extracted data <p>Cochrane Review Manager 5 will be used to perform meta-analyses. R will be used for meta-regression.</p>
Information sources – databases and dates	<p>The purpose of the search is to identify the best available evidence to address the questions without producing an unmanageable volume of results.</p> <p>The following methods will be used to identify the evidence:</p>

	<p>the databases listed below will be searched with an appropriate strategy.</p> <p>the websites listed below will be searched or browsed with an appropriate strategy.</p> <p>Database strategies</p> <p>The database strategy will be adapted as appropriate from the one used in PH49 in 2013, taking into account the resources available to this review, the subscriptions that NICE has, changes in indexing policies and the final scope for the current evidence reviews.</p> <p>The principal search strategy is listed in Appendix A. The search strategy will take this broad approach:</p> <p>Behaviour change AND unhealthy behaviours (as detailed in the scope) AND digital OR mobile health interventions AND 2000-Current AND Limits</p> <p>Each unhealthy behaviour (lack of physical activity, unhealthy eating patterns or sedentary behaviour, smoking, hazardous or binge drinking and unsafe sexual behaviour) will be searched separately according to the individual Review Protocols.</p>
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	<p>Feedback on the principal database strategy was sought from PHAC members.</p> <p>The principal search strategy will be developed in MEDLINE (Ovid interface) and then adapted, as appropriate, for use in the other sources listed, taking into account their size, search functionality and subject coverage. The other databases will be:</p> <p>Cochrane Central Register of Controlled Trials (CENTRAL) via Wiley</p> <p>Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews (CDSR) via Wiley</p> <p>DARE (records up to March 2014 only) (CRD)</p> <p>Embase via Ovid</p> <p>Health Management Information Consortium (HMIC) via Ovid</p> <p>MEDLINE via Ovid</p> <p>MEDLINE-in-Process (including Epub Ahead-of-Print) via Ovid</p> <p>PsycINFO via Ovid</p> <p>Social Policy and Practice (SPP) via Ovid</p>
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	<p>Database search limits</p> <p>Database functionality will be used, where available, to exclude:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">non-English language papersanimal studieseditorials, letters and commentariesconference abstracts and postersregistry entries for ongoing or unpublished clinical trialsduplicates. <p>Sources will be searched from 2000 to current.</p> <p>The database search strategies will not use any search filters for specific study types.</p> <p>Cost effectiveness evidence</p>
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A separate search will be done for cost effectiveness evidence. The following databases will be searched again with agreed study-type search filters applied to a strategy based on the one in Appendix A:

Embase via Ovid

MEDLINE via Ovid

MEDLINE-in-Process (including Epub Ahead-of-Print) via Ovid

In addition, the following sources will be searched without study filters:

EconLit via Ovid

HTA database via CRD <https://www.crd.york.ac.uk/CRDWeb/>

NHS EED via CRD <https://www.crd.york.ac.uk/CRDWeb>

Website searching

The following websites will be searched with an appropriate strategy and the first 50 results examined to identify any UK reports or publications relevant to the review that have not already been identified:

Google (restricting to uk domains) www.google.co.uk

Google Scholar www.scholar.google.com

NICE Evidence Search <https://www.evidence.nhs.uk>

Searches will also be conducted on the following key websites for relevant UK reports or publications:

Public Health England (www.gov.uk/government/organisations/public-health-england)

Public Health Wales (www.wales.nhs.uk)

Scottish Public Health Observatory (www.scotpho.org.uk)

Department of Health (www.gov.uk/government/organisations/department-of-health)

Public Health Agency (Northern Ireland) (www.publichealth.hscni.nt)

	<p>Public Health Institute (www.cph.org.uk)</p> <p>Royal Society for Public Health (https://www.rsph.org.uk/)</p> <p>Centre for Behaviour Change UCL (https://www.ucl.ac.uk/behaviour-change)</p> <p>The Kings Fund (https://www.kingsfund.org.uk/)</p> <p>The Behavioural Insights Team (https://www.behaviouralinsights.co.uk/)</p> <p>Nesta (https://www.nesta.org.uk/)</p> <p>dblp computer science bibliography (https://dblp.uni-trier.de/)</p> <p>ACM Digital library (https://dl.acm.org/)</p> <p>The website results will be reviewed on screen and documents in English that are potentially relevant to review questions will be listed with their title and abstract (if available) in a Word document.</p> <p>Quality assurance</p> <p>The guidance Information Services team at NICE will quality assure the principal search strategy and peer review the strategies for the other databases.</p>
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	<p>Any revisions or additional steps will be agreed by the review team before being implemented. Any deviations and a rationale for them will be recorded alongside the search strategies.</p> <p>Search results</p> <p>The database search results will be downloaded to EndNote before duplicates are removed using automated and manual processes. The de-duplicated file will be exported in RIS format for loading into EPPI-Reviewer for data screening.</p>
Identify if an update	[If an update to an existing review, include question and date of original search. If helpful, add recommendations that might change as a result of this update.]
Author contacts	Please see the guideline development page
Highlight if amendment to previous protocol	For details please see section 4.5 of Developing NICE guidelines: the manual
Search strategy – for one database	For details please see appendix D of the full guideline
Data collection process – forms/duplicate	A standardised evidence table format will be used and published as appendix F (effectiveness evidence tables) or I (economic evidence tables) of the full guideline.

Data items – define all variables to be collected	For details please see evidence tables in appendix F (effectiveness evidence tables) or I (economic evidence tables) of the full guideline.
Methods for assessing bias at outcome/study level	<p>Standard study checklists were used to critically appraise individual studies. For details please see Appendix H of Developing NICE guidelines: the manual</p> <p>Where appropriate, the risk of bias across all available evidence was evaluated for each outcome using an adaptation of the ‘Grading of Recommendations Assessment, Development and Evaluation (GRADE) toolbox’ developed by the international GRADE working group http://www.gradeworkinggroup.org/</p> <p>When applying GRADE, where RCTs are considered the best available evidence for the question and outcome in question, they will start as high quality evidence. Where RCTs are not the most appropriate study design for a particular question or outcome, GRADE will be modified to allow for the study design considered most appropriate to start as high quality.</p> <p>Any adaptations of GRADE will be explained fully including a rationale to support the adaptation.</p>
Criteria for quantitative synthesis (where suitable)	Studies will be grouped according to the type of intervention as appropriate. For details please see section 6.4 of Developing NICE guidelines: the manual
Methods for analysis – combining studies and exploring (in)consistency	<p>For full details please see the methods chapter of the full guideline.</p> <p>Meta-analysis will be firstly used to determine the effect of digital and mobile health interventions within the specified behaviour area by synthesising all available data, regardless of study components or characteristics. This will provide an overall estimate of the effect of the interventions on behaviour. In order to carry out a meta-analysis, there will need to be similar</p>

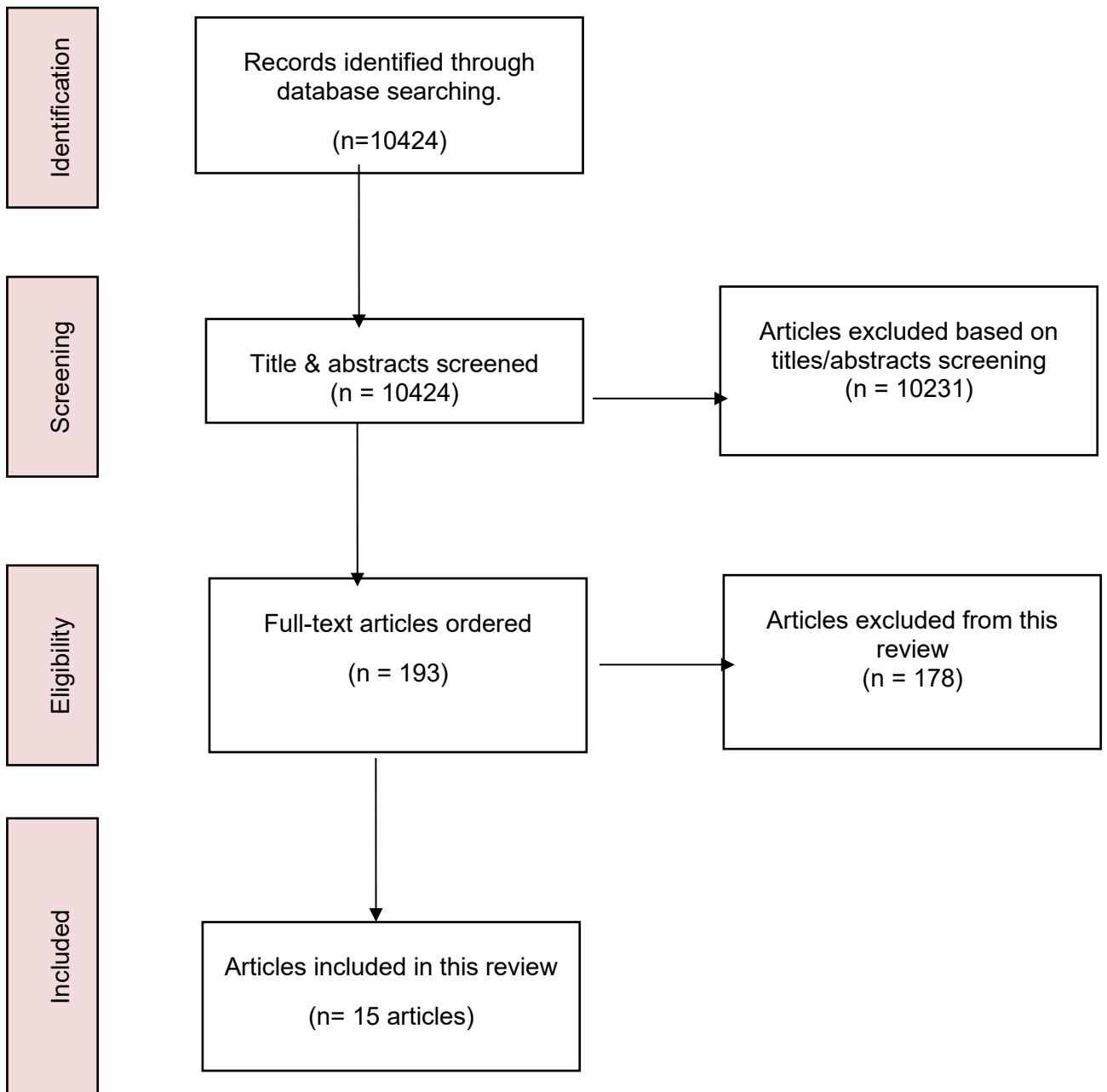
	<p>studies meeting the inclusion criteria. Data from different studies will be meta-analysed if the studies are similar enough in terms of population, interventions, comparators and outcomes.</p> <p>Where meta-analysis is appropriate, a random effects model will be used to allow for the anticipated heterogeneity. This assumption will be tested with a fixed effects model. Unexplained heterogeneity will be examined where appropriate with sensitivity analysis. If the studies are found to be too heterogeneous to be pooled statistically, a narrative synthesis will be conducted.</p> <p>Methods for pooling cluster and individual randomised controlled trials will be considered where appropriate. If data are suitable for meta-analysis, subgroup meta-analyses will be used to answer the sub-questions identified above.</p> <p>If meta-analysis is deemed possible, sub group analysis or meta-regression may (if appropriate) be used to assess whether between-study variation in intervention effectiveness can be attributed to the presence of various study components or characteristics. Regression coefficients and their test of significance will be reported.</p>
<p>Meta-bias assessment – publication bias, selective reporting bias</p>	<p>For details please see section 6.2 of Developing NICE guidelines: the manual.</p>
<p>Assessment of confidence in cumulative evidence</p>	<p>For details please see sections 6.4 and 9.1 of Developing NICE guidelines: the manual</p>

Rationale/context – Current management	For details please see the introduction to the evidence review in the full guideline.
Describe contributions of authors and guarantor	<p>A multidisciplinary committee will develop the guideline. The committee will be convened by Public Health Internal Guidelines Development (PH-IGD) team and chaired by Ralph Bagge in line with section 3 of Developing NICE guidelines: the manual.</p> <p>Staff from Public Health Internal Guidelines Development team will undertake systematic literature searches, appraise the evidence, conduct meta-analysis where appropriate and draft the guideline in collaboration with the committee. Cost-effectiveness analysis will be conducted by YHEC where appropriate. For details please see Developing NICE guidelines: the manual.</p>
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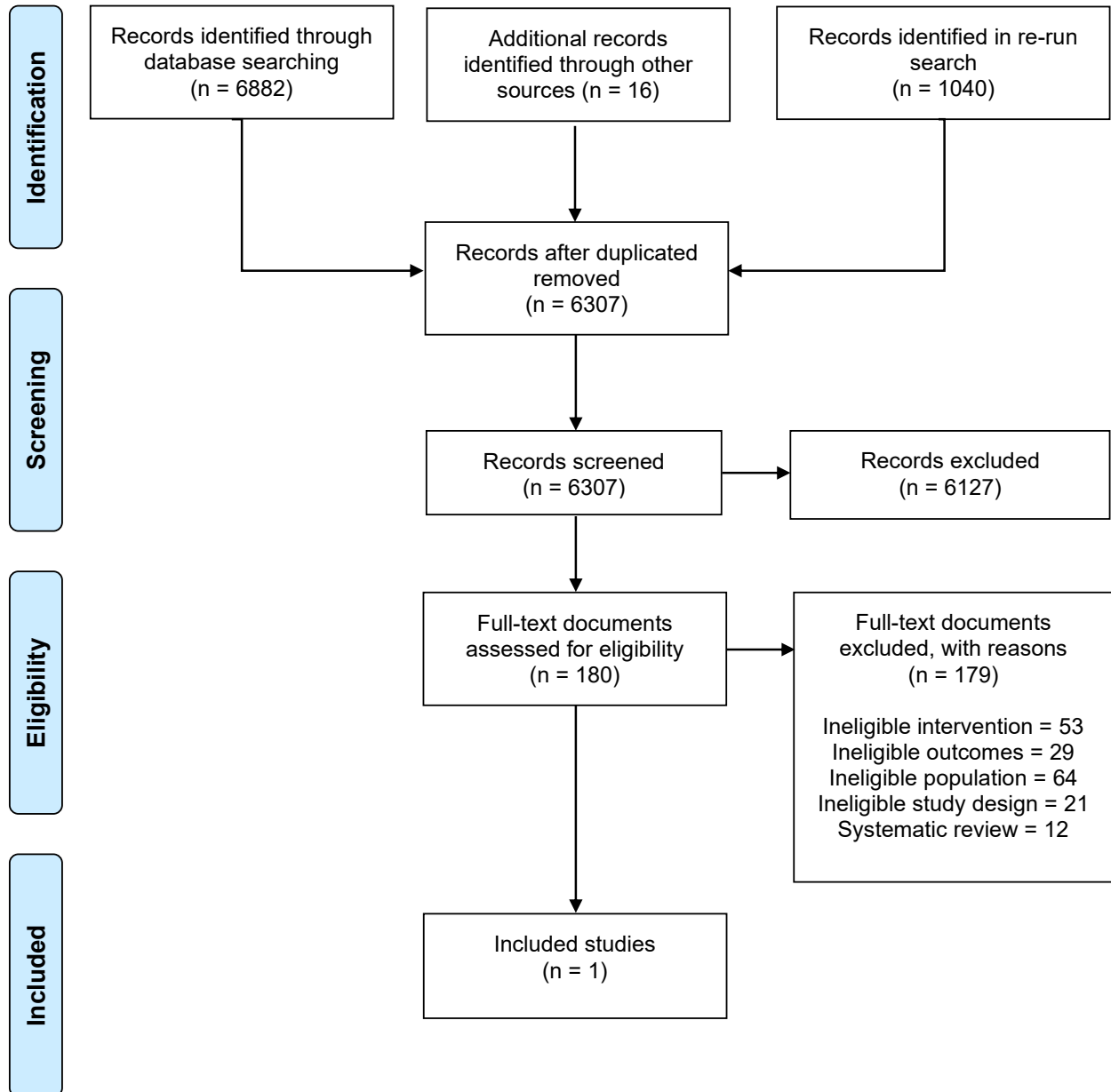
Appendix B – Research recommendation

See evidence review A (smoking) for all research recommendations and PICO tables.

Appendix C – Public health evidence study selection



Appendix D – Economic evidence study selection



Appendix E – Literature search strategies

Database name: MEDLINE

- 1 Health Behavior/ (45735)
- 2 Health Knowledge, Attitudes, Practice/ (100104)
- 3 Risk Reduction Behavior/ (11126)
- 4 Behavior Therapy/ (26513)
- 5 PSYCHOTHERAPY/ (52086)
- 6 Cognitive Therapy/ (22511)
- 7 MOTIVATION/ (61689)
- 8 Patient Education as Topic/ (81026)
- 9 Patient acceptance of healthcare/ (40896)
- 10 Health promotion/ (68095)
- 11 "Outcome and Process Assessment (Health Care)"/ (25456)
- 12 ((behavio?r* or lifestyle* or "life style*") and (change* or changing or modification or modify or modifying or therapy or therapies or program* or intervention* or technique* or establish* or individual*)).ti. (36892)
- 13 ((behavio?r* or lifestyle* or "life style*") adj2 (change* or changing or modification or modify or modifying or therapy or therapies or program* or intervention* or technique* or establish* or individual*)).ab,kw. (102962)
- 14 motivat*.ti. (16890)
- 15 or/1-14 (553550)
- 16 exp Sexual Behavior/ (99179)
- 17 Sexual Health/ (384)

- 18 Sex education/ (8520)
- 19 exp Sexually Transmitted Diseases/ (323025)
- 20 HIV/ (17947)
- 21 Blood-Borne Pathogens/ (2912)
- 22 Pregnancy, Unplanned/ (1636)
- 23 Birth control/ (18898)
- 24 Pregnancy in Adolescence/ (7574)
- 25 Pregnancy Unwanted/ (2536)
- 26 Contraceptive Agents/ (4486)
- 27 Condoms/ (9651)
- 28 Contraception behavior/ (7465)
- 29 Condoms, Female/ (426)
- 30 (contracep* or condom*).tw. (79574)
- 31 ((sex* or intercourse or coit*) adj3 (risk* or protected or unprotected or safe* or unsafe* or behavio?r* or health* or unhealth* or educat*)).tw. (81959)
- 32 (STD* or STI or "sexually transmitted disease*" or "sexually transmitted infection*" or HIV*).tw. (316149)
- 33 (pregnan* adj3 (unplanned or planned or unwanted or unintended or unintentional* or repeat* or adolescen* or teen*)).tw. (15664)
- 34 (birth adj control*).tw. (4855)
- 35 (famil* adj3 plan*).tw. (27240)
- 36 or/16-35 (636204)

- 37 TELEMEDICINE/ (18600)
- 38 Therapy, Computer-Assisted/ (6398)
- 39 User-Computer Interface/ (35152)
- 40 Software Design/ (5729)
- 41 MULTIMEDIA/ (1807)
- 42 Computers, Handheld/ (3294)
- 43 Videotape Recording/ (11129)
- 44 Internet/ (66784)
- 45 Social Networking/ (2303)
- 46 Blogging/ (896)
- 47 Social Media/ (5336)
- 48 Electronic Mail/ (2484)
- 49 Cell Phones/ (7596)
- 50 Text Messaging/ (2095)
- 51 Smartphone/ (2476)
- 52 Mobile Applications/ (3633)
- 53 WEARABLE ELECTRONIC DEVICES/ (716)
- 54 Video Games/ (4517)
- 55 Virtual Reality/ (601)
- 56 ((digital* or digitis* or digitiz* or electronic*) adj3 (intervention* or therap* or treatment* or medicine* or medical* or health* or monitoring or clinical* or communicat*

or technol* or media* or device* or platform* or forum* or community* or communities* or discussion*).tw. (57351)

57 (telemed* or tele-med* or telehealth* or tele-health* or telecar* or tele-car*).tw. (12655)

58 (ehealth* or e-health* or mhealth* or m-health* or mobile health*).tw. (7090)

59 ((laptop or palm or handheld or tablet or pda or pc) adj2 comput*).tw. (2854)

60 ((mobile* or cell* or tablet*) adj (phone* or telephone* or handset* or hand-set*).tw. (9776)

61 (smartphone* or smart-phone* or smart telephone* or iphone* or i-phone* or ipad* or i-pad* or blackberry* or smartwatch* or smart-watch* or android or device-based or mobile-based or podcast*).tw. (14820)

62 ((mobile or electronic* or digital*) adj2 (device* or tablet*).tw. (12269)

63 ((mobile or electronic* or digital* or device* or software*) adj3 application*).tw. (15767)

64 (app or apps or wearable* or online* or on-line* or internet* or www or web or website* or webpage* or portal or search engine*).tw. (346382)

65 (e-mail* or email* or electronic mail*).tw. (14435)

66 (text messag* or texting or texter* or texted or SMS or short messag* or multimedia messag* or multi-media messag* or mms or instant messag* or picture messag* or audio messag*).tw. (12707)

67 (Facebook* or YouTube* or Twitter* or LinkedIn* or Pinterest* or Google* or Tumblr* or Instagram* or WhatsApp* or Reddit* or Flickr* or SnapChat* or Yahoo* or Bing* or MSN* or Wikipedia* or Web 2* or alexa or siri or fitbit*).tw. (44063)

68 (social media* or social network* or blog* or vlog* or video-blog* or gaming or game or games or gamification or wii fit or discussion board* or online forum*).tw. (53377)

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- 69 ((virtual or augmented) adj3 reality).tw. (8743)
- 70 Speech Recognition Software/ (644)
- 71 ((voice* or speech or speak*) adj3 response* adj3 (interact* or unit*)).tw,kw. (800)
- 72 IVR.tw. (1261)
- 73 or/37-72 (605180)
- 74 and/15,36,73 (3302)
- 75 limit 74 to yr="2000 -Current" (3093)
- 76 limit 75 to english language (3025)
- 77 Animals/ not Humans/ (4499580)
- 78 76 not 77 (3016)
- 79 limit 78 to (clinical conference or comment or editorial or historical article or letter or news) (45)
- 80 78 not 79 (2971)

Database name: MiP/epub ahead of print

- 1 ((behavio?r* or lifestyle* or "life style*") and (change* or changing or modification or modify or modifying or therapy or therapies or program* or intervention* or technique* or establish* or individual*)).ti. (5730)
- 2 ((behavio?r* or lifestyle* or "life style*") adj2 (change* or changing or modification or modify or modifying or therapy or therapies or program* or intervention* or technique* or establish* or individual*)).ab. (16954)
- 3 motivat*.ti. (2463)
- 4 or/1-3 (22059)

- 5 (contracep* or condom*).tw. (5911)
- 6 ((sex* or intercourse or coit*) adj3 (risk* or protected or unprotected or safe* or unsafe* or behavio?r* or health* or unhealth* or educat*)).tw. (10318)
- 7 (STD* or STI or "sexually transmitted disease*" or "sexually transmitted infection*" or HIV*).tw. (30999)
- 8 (pregnan* adj3 (unplanned or planned or unwanted or unintended or unintentional* or repeat* or adolescen* or teen*)).tw. (1624)
- 9 (birth adj control*).tw. (388)
- 10 (famil* adj3 plan*).tw. (2515)
- 11 or/5-10 (45220)
- 12 ((digital* or digitis* or digitiz* or electronic*) adj3 (intervention* or therap* or treatment* or medicine* or medical* or health* or monitoring or clinical* or communicat* or technol* or media* or device* or platform* or forum* or community* or communities* or discussion*)).tw. (16238)
- 13 (telemed* or tele-med* or telehealth* or tele-health* or telecar* or tele-car*).tw. (1932)
- 14 (ehealth* or e-health* or mhealth* or m-health* or mobile health*).tw. (2156)
- 15 ((laptop or palm or handheld or tablet or pda or pc) adj2 comput*).tw. (479)
- 16 ((mobile* or cell* or tablet*) adj (phone* or telephone* or handset* or hand-set*)).tw. (2391)
- 17 (smartphone* or smart-phone* or smart telephone* or iphone* or i-phone* or ipad* or i-pad* or blackberry* or smartwatch* or smart-watch* or android or device-based or mobile-based or podcast*).tw. (5486)
- 18 ((mobile or electronic* or digital*) adj2 (device* or tablet*)).tw. (5786)

- 19 ((mobile or electronic* or digital* or device* or software*) adj3 application*).tw. (7338)
- 20 (app or apps or wearable* or online* or on-line* or internet* or www or web or website* or webpage* or portal or search engine*).tw. (68364)
- 21 (e-mail* or email* or electronic mail*).tw. (3026)
- 22 (text messag* or texting or texter* or texted or SMS or short messag* or multimedia messag* or multi-media messag* or mms or instant messag* or picture messag* or audio messag*).tw. (2442)
- 23 (Facebook* or YouTube* or Twitter* or LinkedIn* or Pinterest* or Google* or Tumblr* or Instagram* or WhatsApp* or Reddit* or Flickr* or SnapChat* or Yahoo* or Bing* or MSN* or Wikipedia* or Web 2* or alexa or fitbit*).tw. (10410)
- 24 (social media* or social network* or blog* or vlog* or video-blog* or gaming or game or games or gamification or wii fit or discussion board* or online forum*).tw. (12505)
- 25 ((virtual or augmented) adj3 reality).tw. (2072)
- 26 ((voice* or speech or speak*) adj3 response* adj3 (interact* or unit*)).tw. (98)
- 27 IVR.tw. (321)
- 28 or/12-27 (115656)
- 29 and/4,11,28 (171)
- 30 limit 29 to yr="2000 -Current" (171)
- 31 11 and 28 (2798)
- 32 limit 31 to yr="2000 -Current" (2779)
- 33 30 or 32 (2779)
- 34 limit 33 to english language (2743)

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36 34 not 35 (2725)

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- #5 [mh ^Psychotherapy]
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- #8 [mh ^"Patient Education as Topic"]
- #9 [mh ^"Patient acceptance of healthcare"]
- #10 [mh ^"Health promotion"]
- #11 [mh ^"Outcome and Process Assessment (Health Care)"]
- #12 ((behavio?r* or lifestyle* or "life style*") and (change* or changing or modification or modify or modifying or therapy or therapies or program* or intervention* or technique* or establish* or individual*)):ti
- #13 ((behavio?r* or lifestyle* or "life style*") near/2 (change* or changing or modification or modify or modifying or therapy or therapies or program* or intervention* or technique* or establish* or individual*)):ab,kw
- #14 motivat*:ti
- #15 #1 or #2 or #3 or #4 or #5 or #6 or #7 or #8 or #9 or #10 or #11 or #12 or #13 or #14
- #16 [mh "Sexual Behavior"]
- #17 [mh ^"Sexual health"]
- #18 [mh ^"Sex education"]
- #19 [mh "Sexually Transmitted Diseases"]
- #20 [mh ^HIV]
- #21 [mh ^"Blood-Borne Pathogens"]
- #22 [mh ^"Pregnancy, Unplanned"]
- #23 [mh ^"pregnancy, unwanted"]
- #24 [mh ^"Birth control"]
- #25 [mh ^"Pregnancy in Adolescence"]
- #26 [mh ^"Contraceptive Agents"]

- #27 [mh ^Condoms]
- #28 [mh ^"contraceptive behavior"]
- #29 [mh ^"Condoms, Female"]
- #30 (contracep* or condom*):ab
- #31 ((sex* or intercourse or coit*) near/3 (risk* or protected or unprotected or safe* or unsafe* or behaviour* or behavior* or health* or unhealth* or educat*)):ti,ab
- #32 (STD* or STI* or "sexually transmitted disease*" or "sexually transmitted infection*" or HIV*):ti,ab
- #33 (pregnan* near/3 (unplanned or planned or unwanted or unintended or unintentional* or repeat* or adolescen* or teen*)):ti,ab
- #34 (birth near control*):ab
- #35 (famil* near/3 plan*):ab
- #36 {Or #16-#35}
- #37 [mh ^Telemedicine]
- #38 [mh ^"Therapy, Computer-Assisted"]
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- #40 [mh ^"Software design"]
- #41 [mh ^Multimedia]
- #42 [mh ^"Computers, Handheld"]
- #43 [mh ^"Videotape Recording"]
- #44 [mh ^Internet]
- #45 [mh ^"Social networking"]
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- #54 [mh ^"Video games"]

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#57 (telemed* or tele-med* or telehealth* or tele-health* or telecar* or tele-car*):ab

#58 (ehealth* or e-health* or mhealth* or m-health* or mobile health*):ab

#59 ((laptop or palm or handheld or tablet or pda or pc) near/2 comput*):ab

#60 ((mobile* or cell* or tablet*) near (phone* or telephone* or handset* or hand-set*)):ab

#61 (smartphone* or smart-phone* or smart telephone* or iphone* or i-phone* or ipad* or i-pad* or blackberry* or smartwatch* or smart-watch* or android or device-based or mobile-based or podcast*):ab

#62 ((mobile or electronic* or digital*) near/2 (device* or tablet*)):ab

#63 ((mobile or electronic* or digital* or device* or software*) near/3 application*):ab

#64 (app or apps or wearable* or online* or on-line* or internet* or www or web or website* or webpage* or portal or search engine*):ab

#65 (e-mail* or email* or electronic mail*):ab

#66 (text messag* or texting or texter* or texted or SMS or short messag* or multimedia messag* or multi-media messag* or mms or instant messag* or picture messag* or audio messag*):ab

#67 (Facebook* or YouTube* or Twitter* or LinkedIn* or Pinterest* or Google* or Tumblr* or Instagram* or WhatsApp* or Reddit* or Flickr* or SnapChat* or Yahoo* or Bing* or MSN* or Wikipedia* or Web 2* or alexa or fitbit*):ab

#68 (social media* or social network* or blog* or vlog* or video-blog* or gaming or game or games or gamification or wii fit or discussion board* or online forum*):ab

#69 ((virtual or augmented) near/3 reality):ab

#70 [mh ^"Speech recognition software"]

#71 ((voice* or speech or speak*) near/3 response* near/3 (interact* or unit*)):ab,kw

#72 IVR:ab

#73 {Or #37-#72}

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#75 #15 and #36 and #73 with Publication Year from 2000 to 2019, in Trials

#76 #74 or #75

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#77 "clinicaltrials.gov":so

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Database name: Embase

- 1 behavior change/ (30093)
- 2 health behavior/ (60366)
- 3 attitude to health/ or risk reduction/ (194221)
- 4 behavior therapy/ (40848)
- 5 psychotherapy/ (81702)
- 6 cognitive therapy/ (42744)
- 7 motivation/ (91873)
- 8 patient education/ (106325)
- 9 patient attitude/ (62471)
- 10 health promotion/ (89869)
- 11 Outcome assessment/ (457551)
- 12 ((behavio?r* or lifestyle* or "life style*") and (change* or changing or modification or modify or modifying or therapy or therapies or program* or intervention* or technique* or establish* or individual*)).ti. (44283)
- 13 ((behavio?r* or lifestyle* or "life style*") adj2 (change* or changing or modification or modify or modifying or therapy or therapies or program* or intervention* or technique* or establish* or individual*)).ab,kw. (139728)
- 14 motivat*.ti. (18066)
- 15 or/1-14 (1215576)
- 16 exp sexual behavior/ (193296)
- 17 sexual health/ (13798)

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- 18 sexual education/ (10760)
- 19 exp sexually transmitted disease/ (82498)
- 20 Human immunodeficiency virus/ (107366)
- 21 bloodborne bacterium/ (1917)
- 22 unplanned pregnancy/ (4929)
- 23 birth control/ (3670)
- 24 adolescent pregnancy/ (9087)
- 25 unwanted pregnancy/ (3088)
- 26 contraceptive agent/ (17585)
- 27 condom/ (19009)
- 28 contraceptive behavior/ (3631)
- 29 female condom/ (327)
- 30 (contracep* or condom*).tw. (92108)
- 31 ((sex* or intercourse or coit*) adj3 (risk* or protected or unprotected or safe* or unsafe* or behavio?r* or health* or unhealth* or educat*)).tw. (107869)
- 32 (STD* or STI or "sexually transmitted disease*" or "sexually transmitted infection*" or HIV*).tw. (402069)
- 33 (pregnan* adj3 (unplanned or planned or unwanted or unintended or unintentional* or repeat* or adolescen* or teen*)).tw. (19045)
- 34 (birth adj control*).tw. (4393)
- 35 (famil* adj3 plan*).tw. (25587)
- 36 or/16-35 (761897)

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- 37 telemedicine/ (19846)
- 38 computer assisted therapy/ (4471)
- 39 computer interface/ (29212)
- 40 digital computer/ (2375)
- 41 software design/ (577)
- 42 multimedia/ (3544)
- 43 personal digital assistant/ (1291)
- 44 videorecording/ (73097)
- 45 Internet/ (100705)
- 46 social network/ (13261)
- 47 blogging/ (251)
- 48 social media/ (13686)
- 49 e-mail/ (17918)
- 50 mobile phone/ (14777)
- 51 text messaging/ (3789)
- 52 smartphone/ (7111)
- 53 mobile application/ (7260)
- 54 electronic device/ (1763)
- 55 video game/ (2353)
- 56 virtual reality/ (14089)

- 57 ((digital* or digitis* or digitiz* or electronic*) adj3 (intervention* or therap* or treatment* or medicine* or medical* or health* or monitoring or clinical* or communicat* or technol* or media* or device* or platform* or forum* or community* or communities* or discussion*)).tw. (82797)
- 58 (telemed* or tele-med* or telehealth* or tele-health* or telecar* or tele-car*).tw. (16798)
- 59 (ehealth* or e-health* or mhealth* or m-health* or mobile health*).tw. (8089)
- 60 ((laptop or palm or handheld or tablet or pda or pc) adj2 comput*).tw. (3773)
- 61 ((mobile* or cell* or tablet*) adj (phone* or telephone* or handset* or hand-set*)).tw. (12312)
- 62 (smartphone* or smart-phone* or smart telephone* or iphone* or i-phone* or ipad* or i-pad* or blackberry* or smartwatch* or smart-watch* or android or device-based or mobile-based or podcast*).tw. (20865)
- 63 ((mobile or electronic* or digital*) adj2 (device* or tablet*)).tw. (12609)
- 64 ((mobile or electronic* or digital* or device* or software*) adj3 application*).tw. (15063)
- 65 (app or apps or wearable* or online* or on-line* or internet* or www or web or website* or webpage* or portal or search engine*).tw. (461884)
- 66 (e-mail* or email* or electronic mail*).tw. (28490)
- 67 (text messag* or texting or texter* or texted or SMS or short messag* or multimedia messag* or multi-media messag* or mms or instant messag* or picture messag* or audio messag*).tw. (17591)
- 68 (Facebook* or YouTube* or Twitter* or LinkedIn* or Pinterest* or Google* or Tumblr* or Instagram* or WhatsApp* or Reddit* or Flickr* or SnapChat* or Yahoo* or Bing* or MSN* or Wikipedia* or Web 2* or alexa or siri or fitbit*).tw. (61241)

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69 (social media* or social network* or blog* or vlog* or video-blog* or gaming or game or games or gamification or wii fit or discussion board* or online forum*).tw. (63540)

70 ((virtual or augmented) adj3 reality).tw. (11439)

71 automatic speech recognition/ (936)

72 interactive voice response system/ (577)

73 ((voice* or speech or speak*) adj3 response* adj3 (interact* or unit*)).tw,kw. (1136)

74 IVR.tw. (1814)

75 or/37-74 (855169)

76 and/15,36,75 (5115)

77 limit 76 to yr="2000 -Current" (4971)

78 limit 77 to english language (4881)

79 nonhuman/ not human/ (4287071)

80 78 not 79 (4843)

81 limit 80 to (conference abstract or conference paper or "conference review" or editorial or letter) (1025)

82 80 not 81 (3818)

Database name: HMIC

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2 health behaviour/ or behaviour adaption/ or behaviour adjustment/ (1537)

3 behaviour therapy/ (248)

- 4 Psychotherapy/ (733)
- 5 Motivation/ or Achievement motivation/ (550)
- 6 Patient education/ (517)
- 7 Patient attitudes/ (164)
- 8 Health promotion/ (6616)
- 9 Patient outcome/ (3140)
- 10 ((behavio?r* or lifestyle* or "life style*") and (change* or changing or modification or modify or modifying or therapy or therapies or program* or intervention* or technique* or establish* or individual*)).ti. (890)
- 11 ((behavio?r* or lifestyle* or "life style*") adj2 (change* or changing or modification or modify or modifying or therapy or therapies or program* or intervention* or technique* or establish* or individual*)).ab,sh. (2944)
- 12 motivat*.ti. (364)
- 13 or/1-12 (15732)
- 14 exp Sexual behaviour/ (760)
- 15 Sex psychology/ (8)
- 16 Sexual health/ (1002)
- 17 Sex education/ (431)
- 18 exp Sexually transmitted infections/ (637)
- 19 HIV/ (3544)
- 20 Contraceptives/ (104)
- 21 Condoms/ (100)
- 22 (contracep* or condom*).tw. (1229)

- 23 ((sex* or intercourse or coit*) adj3 (risk* or protected or unprotected or safe* or unsafe* or behavio?r* or health* or unhealth* or educat*)).tw. (2428)
- 24 (STD* or STI or "sexually transmitted disease*" or "sexually transmitted infection*" or HIV*).tw. (4869)
- 25 (pregnan* adj3 (unplanned or planned or unwanted or unintended or unintentional* or repeat* or adolescen* or teen*)).tw. (697)
- 26 (birth adj control*).tw. (54)
- 27 (famil* adj3 plan*).tw. (672)
- 28 or/14-27 (9094)
- 29 telemedicine/ or telehealth/ or telecare/ (2047)
- 30 exp Digital technology/ (24)
- 31 exp Digital media/ (47)
- 32 Computer software/ or Computer programs/ (635)
- 33 Multi media/ (54)
- 34 Personal digital assistants/ (2)
- 35 Videos/ or Video cameras/ (245)
- 36 Internet/ or exp Internet websites/ (2526)
- 37 Social networking/ (39)
- 38 Blogging/ (6)
- 39 Email/ (146)
- 40 Mobile telephones/ (278)
- 41 Text messaging/ (84)

- 42 Health technology/ or Telemeters/ (670)
- 43 Computer games/ (37)
- 44 ((digital* or digitis* or digitiz* or electronic*) adj3 (intervention* or therap* or treatment* or medicine* or medical* or health* or monitoring or clinical* or communicat* or technol* or media* or device* or platform* or forum* or community* or communities* or discussion*)).tw. (1561)
- 45 (telemed* or tele-med* or telehealth* or tele-health* or telecar* or tele-car*).tw. (1359)
- 46 (ehealth* or e-health* or mhealth* or m-health* or mobile health*).tw. (315)
- 47 ((laptop or palm or handheld or tablet or pda or pc) adj2 comput*).tw. (55)
- 48 ((mobile* or cell* or tablet*) adj (phone* or telephone* or handset* or hand-set*)).tw. (298)
- 49 (smartphone* or smart-phone* or smart telephone* or iphone* or i-phone* or ipad* or i-pad* or blackberry* or smartwatch* or smart-watch* or android or device-based or mobile-based or podcast*).tw. (138)
- 50 ((mobile or electronic* or digital*) adj2 (device* or tablet*)).tw. (68)
- 51 ((mobile or electronic* or digital* or device* or software*) adj3 application*).tw. (112)
- 52 (app or apps or wearable* or online* or on-line* or internet* or www or web or website* or webpage* or portal or search engine*).tw. (9078)
- 53 (e-mail* or email* or electronic mail*).tw. (642)
- 54 (text messag* or texting or texter* or texted or SMS or short messag* or multimedia messag* or multi-media messag* or mms or instant messag* or picture messag* or audio messag*).tw. (223)

55 (Facebook* or YouTube* or Twitter* or LinkedIn* or Pinterest* or Google* or Tumblr* or Instagram* or WhatsApp* or Reddit* or Flickr* or SnapChat* or Yahoo* or Bing* or MSN* or Wikipedia* or Web 2* or alexa or siri or fitbit*).tw. (644)

56 (social media* or social network* or blog* or vlog* or video-blog* or gaming or game or games or gamification or wii fit or discussion board* or online forum*).tw. (1570)

57 ((virtual or augmented) adj3 reality).tw. (51)

58 Speech transmission systems/ (8)

59 ((voice* or speech or speak*) adj3 response* adj3 (interact* or unit*)).tw. (13)

60 IVR.tw. (8)

61 or/29-60 (16864)

62 and/13,28,61 (46)

63 limit 62 to yr="2000 -Current" (42)

Database name: PsycINFO

1 Behavior Change/ (10040)

2 READINESS TO CHANGE/ or CHANGE STRATEGIES/ (1671)

3 Lifestyle Changes/ (1201)

4 Health Behavior/ or Health Knowledge/ (31387)

5 Health Attitudes/ or Harm Reduction/ (12361)

6 Attitude Change/ or Behavioural Intention/ (3329)

7 Behavior Therapy/ (8275)

8 PSYCHOTHERAPY/ (41127)

- 9 Cognitive Behavior Therapy/ or Cognitive Therapy/ (29024)
- 10 MOTIVATION/ (40120)
- 11 Client Education/ (3397)
- 12 Health Promotion/ (22859)
- 13 Treatment Outcomes/ (30053)
- 14 ((behavio?r* or lifestyle* or "life style*") and (change* or changing or modification or modify or modifying or therapy or therapies or program* or intervention* or technique* or establish* or individual*)).ti. (31454)
- 15 ((behavio?r* or lifestyle* or "life style*") adj2 (change* or changing or modification or modify or modifying or therapy or therapies or program* or intervention* or technique* or establish* or individual*)).ab. (82304)
- 16 motivat*.ti. (27384)
- 17 or/1-16 (279310)
- 18 exp Psychosexual Behavior/ (89690)
- 19 Sex Education/ (2664)
- 20 SEXUAL ATTITUDES/ (3950)
- 21 exp Sexually Transmitted Diseases/ (43297)
- 22 HIV/ (33265)
- 23 Birth Control/ (2591)
- 24 Adolescent Pregnancy/ (2643)
- 25 Contraceptive Devices/ (708)
- 26 CONDOMS/ (3751)
- 27 (contracep* or condom*).tw. (15185)

- 28 ((sex* or intercourse or coit*) adj3 (risk* or protected or unprotected or safe* or unsafe* or behavio?r* or health* or unhealth* or educat*)).tw. (54472)
- 29 (STD* or STI or "sexually transmitted disease*" or "sexually transmitted infection*" or HIV*).tw. (54618)
- 30 (pregnan* adj3 (unplanned or planned or unwanted or unintended or unintentional* or repeat* or adolescen* or teen*)).tw. (6056)
- 31 (birth adj control*).tw. (1157)
- 32 (famil* adj3 plan*).tw. (3609)
- 33 or/18-32 (167076)
- 34 TELEMEDICINE/ (4612)
- 35 Computer Assisted Therapy/ (986)
- 36 Human Computer Interaction/ (9810)
- 37 Computer Assisted Instruction/ or Computer Software/ (21490)
- 38 MULTIMEDIA/ (2275)
- 39 Digital Computers/ (971)
- 40 Videotapes/ (1651)
- 41 INTERNET/ or Websites/ or Electronic Learning/ (31608)
- 42 Social Networks/ (11021)
- 43 Blog/ or Online Social Networks/ (7130)
- 44 Social Media/ (6015)
- 45 Computer Mediated Communication/ (5432)
- 46 Cellular Phones/ (4184)

- 47 Text Messaging/ (711)
- 48 Mobile Devices/ (2112)
- 49 Computer Applications/ (9199)
- 50 TECHNOLOGY/ or Electronic Communication/ (37416)
- 51 Computer Games/ (6638)
- 52 Virtual Reality/ (7375)
- 53 ((digital* or digitis* or digitiz* or electronic*) adj3 (intervention* or therap* or treatment* or medicine* or medical* or health* or monitoring or clinical* or communicat* or technol* or media* or device* or platform* or forum* or community* or communities* or discussion*)),.tw. (13000)
- 54 (telemed* or tele-med* or telehealth* or tele-health* or telecar* or tele-car*).tw. (3061)
- 55 (ehealth* or e-health* or mhealth* or m-health* or mobile health*).tw. (2395)
- 56 ((laptop or palm or handheld or tablet or pda or pc) adj2 comput*).tw. (1171)
- 57 ((mobile* or cell* or tablet*) adj (phone* or telephone* or handset* or hand-set*)),.tw. (5013)
- 58 (smartphone* or smart-phone* or smart telephone* or iphone* or i-phone* or ipad* or i-pad* or blackberry* or smartwatch* or smart-watch* or android or device-based or mobile-based or podcast*).tw. (5141)
- 59 ((mobile or electronic* or digital*) adj2 (device* or tablet*)),.tw. (3213)
- 60 ((mobile or electronic* or digital* or device* or software*) adj3 application*).tw. (2361)
- 61 (app or apps or wearable* or online* or on-line* or internet* or www or web or website* or webpage* or portal or search engine*).tw. (133456)

- 62 (e-mail* or email* or electronic mail*).tw. (8989)
- 63 (text messag* or texting or texter* or texted or SMS or short messag* or multimedia messag* or multi-media messag* or mms or instant messag* or picture messag* or audio messag*).tw. (4484)
- 64 (Facebook* or YouTube* or Twitter* or LinkedIn* or Pinterest* or Google* or Tumblr* or Instagram* or WhatsApp* or Reddit* or Flickr* or SnapChat* or Yahoo* or Bing* or MSN* or Wikipedia* or Web 2* or alexa or siri or fitbit*).tw. (25097)
- 65 (social media* or social network* or blog* or vlog* or video-blog* or gaming or game or games or gamification or wii fit or discussion board* or online forum*).tw. (70047)
- 66 ((virtual or augmented) adj3 reality).tw. (5577)
- 67 Automated Speech Recognition/ (963)
- 68 ((voice* or speech or speak*) adj3 response* adj3 (interact* or unit*)).tw. (342)
- 69 IVR.tw. (276)
- 70 or/34-69 (284101)
- 71 and/17,33,70 (1655)
- 72 limit 71 to yr="2000 -Current" (1546)
- 73 limit 72 to english language (1510)
- 74 limit 73 to ("comment/reply" or editorial or letter) (26)
- 75 73 not 74 (1484)

Database name: Social Policy and Practice

- 1 (behaviour or behaviour change or behaviour modification).de. (4610)

- 2 health behaviour.de. (4)
- 3 Attitudes.de. (11556)
- 4 (risk reduction* or risk perception*).de. (24)
- 5 Psychotherapy.de. (2761)
- 6 cognitive behavioural therapy.de. (379)
- 7 Motivation.de. (959)
- 8 (patient education or health education).de. (1584)
- 9 compliance*.de. (74)
- 10 patient participation.de. (5)
- 11 (health promotion or health improvement or outcomes).de. (8394)
- 12 ((behavio?r* or lifestyle* or "life style**") and (change* or changing or modification or modify or modifying or therapy or therapies or program* or intervention* or technique* or establish* or individual*)).ti. (1168)
- 13 ((behavio?r* or lifestyle* or "life style**") adj2 (change* or changing or modification or modify or modifying or therapy or therapies or program* or intervention* or technique* or establish* or individual*)).ab,de. (3938)
- 14 motivat*.ti. (483)
- 15 or/1-14 (31071)
- 16 (sexual behavio?r* or sexual activit* or harmful sexual behavio?r* or sexual health or sex education or sexually transmitted* or birth control or teenage pregnancy* or adolescent pregnancy).de. (2947)
- 17 (contracep* or condom*).tw,de. (559)
- 18 ((sex* or intercourse or coit*) adj3 (risk* or protected or unprotected or safe* or unsafe* or behavio?r* or health* or unhealth* or educat*)).tw,de. (5165)

- 19 (STD* or STI or "sexually transmitted disease*" or "sexually transmitted infection*" or HIV*).tw,de. (3987)
- 20 (pregnan* adj3 (unplanned or planned or unwanted or unintended or unintentional* or repeat* or adolescen* or teen*)).tw,de. (724)
- 21 (birth adj control*).tw,de. (25)
- 22 (famil* adj3 plan*).tw,de. (647)
- 23 or/16-22 (10197)
- 24 (telemedicine or telehealth or telecare).de. (331)
- 25 (Computers or Digital Technology).de. (2013)
- 26 Software.de. (100)
- 27 multimedia.de. (13)
- 28 Information technology.de. (3813)
- 29 videos.de. (211)
- 30 Internet.de. (2887)
- 31 Online services.de. (102)
- 32 (Social networks or Social Networking).de. (2616)
- 33 Blogging.de. (1)
- 34 (online communities or websites).de. (13)
- 35 Social media.de. (561)
- 36 email.de. (77)
- 37 mobile phones.de. (163)
- 38 text messag*.de. (1)

- 39 Computer apps.de. (50)
- 40 Computer games.de. (95)
- 41 virtual reality.de. (3)
- 42 ((digital* or digitis* or digitiz* or electronic*) adj3 (intervention* or therap* or treatment* or medicine* or medical* or health* or monitoring or clinical* or communicat* or technol* or media* or device* or platform* or forum* or community* or communities* or discussion*)).tw,de. (875)
- 43 (telemed* or tele-med* or telehealth* or tele-health* or telecar* or tele-car*).tw,de. (676)
- 44 (ehealth* or e-health* or mhealth* or m-health* or mobile health*).tw,de. (47)
- 45 ((laptop or palm or handheld or tablet or pda or pc) adj2 comput*).tw,de. (45)
- 46 ((mobile* or cell* or tablet*) adj (phone* or telephone* or handset* or hand-set*)).tw,de. (288)
- 47 (smartphone* or smart-phone* or smart telephone* or iphone* or i-phone* or ipad* or i-pad* or blackberry* or smartwatch* or smart-watch* or android or device-based or mobile-based or podcast*).tw,de. (119)
- 48 ((mobile or electronic* or digital*) adj2 (device* or tablet*)).tw,de. (92)
- 49 ((mobile or electronic* or digital* or device* or software*) adj3 application*).tw,de. (56)
- 50 (app or apps or wearable* or online* or on-line* or internet* or www or web or website* or webpage* or portal or search engine*).tw,de. (8920)
- 51 (e-mail* or email* or electronic mail*).tw,de. (519)
- 52 (text messag* or texting or texter* or texted or SMS or short messag* or multimedia messag* or multi-media messag* or mms or instant messag* or picture messag* or audio messag*).tw,de. (110)

53 (Facebook* or YouTube* or Twitter* or LinkedIn* or Pinterest* or Google* or Tumblr* or Instagram* or WhatsApp* or Reddit* or Flickr* or SnapChat* or Yahoo* or Bing* or MSN* or Wikipedia* or Web 2* or alexa or siri or fitbit*).tw,de. (3844)

54 (social media* or social network* or blog* or vlog* or video-blog* or gaming or game or games or gamification or wii fit or discussion board* or online forum*).tw,de. (5913)

55 ((virtual or augmented) adj3 reality).tw,de. (62)

56 assistive technology.de. (1551)

57 ((voice* or speech or speak*) adj3 response* adj3 (interact* or unit*)).tw,de. (4)

58 IVR.tw,de. (8)

59 or/24-58 (22461)

60 and/15,23,59 (233)

61 limit 60 to yr="2000 -Current" (224)

Database name: DARE

1	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Health Behavior
2	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Health Knowledge, Attitudes, Practice
3	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Risk Reduction Behavior
4	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Behavior Therapy
5	MeSH DESCRIPTOR PSYCHOTHERAPY
6	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Cognitive Therapy
7	MeSH DESCRIPTOR MOTIVATION

8	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Patient Education as Topic
9	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Patient Acceptance of Health Care
10	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Health promotion
11	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Outcome and Process Assessment (Health Care)
12	((behavio?r* or lifestyle* or "life style*")) AND ((change* or changing or modification or modify or modifying or therapy or therapies or program* or intervention* or technique* or establish* or individual*))
13	(motivat*):TI
14	#1 OR #2 OR #3 OR #4 OR #5 OR #6 OR #7 OR #8 OR #9 OR #10 OR #11 OR #12 OR #13
15	MeSH DESCRIPTOR sexual behavior EXPLODE ALL TREES
16	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Reproductive Health EXPLODE ALL TREES
17	MeSH DESCRIPTOR sex education
18	MeSH DESCRIPTOR sexually transmitted diseases EXPLODE ALL TREES
19	MeSH DESCRIPTOR HIV
20	MeSH DESCRIPTOR blood-borne pathogens
21	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Pregnancy, Unplanned
22	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Contraception EXPLODE ALL TREES
23	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Pregnancy in Adolescence
24	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Pregnancy, Unwanted
25	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Contraceptive Agents
26	MeSH DESCRIPTOR condoms
27	MeSH DESCRIPTOR condoms, female
28	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Contraception Behavior EXPLODE ALL TREES
29	(contracep*) OR (condom*)
30	(sex* or intercourse or coit*) AND (risk* or protected or unprotected or safe* or unsafe* or behavio?r* or health* or unhealth* or educat)

31	(STD* or STI or "sexually transmitted disease*" or "sexually transmitted infection*" or HIV*)
32	(pregnan*) AND (unplanned or planned or unwanted or unintended or unintentional* or repeat* or adolescen* or teen*)
33	(birth) AND (control*)
34	(famil*) AND (plan*)
35	#15 OR #16 OR #17 OR #18 OR #19 OR #20 OR #21 OR #22 OR #23 OR #24 OR #25 OR #26 OR #27 OR #28 OR #29 OR #30 OR #31 OR #32 OR #33 OR #34
36	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Telemedicine
37	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Therapy, Computer-Assisted
38	MeSH DESCRIPTOR User-Computer Interface
39	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Software design
40	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Multimedia
41	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Computers, Handheld
42	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Videotape Recording
43	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Internet
44	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Social Networking
45	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Blogging
46	MeSH DESCRIPTOR social media
47	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Electronic Mail
48	MeSH DESCRIPTOR cell phones
49	MeSH DESCRIPTOR text messaging
50	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Smartphone
51	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Mobile Applications
52	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Video games
53	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Virtual Reality Exposure Therapy

54	((digital* or digitis* or digitiz* or electronic*)) AND ((intervention* or therap* or treatment* or medicine* or medical* or health* or monitoring or clinical* or communicat* or technol* or media* or device* or platform* or forum* or community* or communities* or discussion*))
55	((telemed* or tele-med* or telehealth* or tele-health* or telecar* or tele-car*))
56	((ehealth* or e-health* or mhealth* or m-health* or mobile health*))
57	((laptop or palm or handheld or tablet or pda or pc)) AND (comput*)
58	((mobile* or cell* or tablet*)) AND ((phone* or telephone* or handset* or hand-set*))
59	((smartphone* or smart-phone* or smart telephone* or iphone* or i-phone* or ipad* or i-pad* or blackberry* or smartwatch* or smart-watch* or android or device-based or mobile-based or podcast*))
60	((mobile or electronic* or digital*)) AND ((device* or tablet*))
61	((mobile or electronic* or digital* or device* or software*)) AND (application*)
62	((app or apps or wearable* or online* or on-line* or internet* or www or web or website* or webpage* or portal or search engine*))
63	((e-mail* or email* or electronic mail*))
64	((text messag* or texting or texter* or texted or SMS or short messag* or multimedia messag* or multi-media messag* or mms or instant messag* or picture messag* or audio messag*))
65	((Facebook* or YouTube* or Twitter* or LinkedIn* or Pinterest* or Google* or Tumblr* or Instagram* or WhatsApp* or Reddit* or Flickr* or SnapChat* or Yahoo* or Bing* or MSN* or Wikipedia* or Web 2* or alexa or siri or fitbit*))
66	((social media* or social network* or blog* or vlog* or video-blog* or gaming or game or games or gamification or wii fit or discussion board* or online forum*))
67	((virtual or augmented)) AND (reality)
68	MeSH DESCRIPTOR Speech Recognition Software
69	((voice* or speech or speak*)) AND (response*) AND ((interact* or unit*))
70	(IVR)
71	#36 OR #37 OR #38 OR #39 OR #40 OR #41 OR #42 OR #43 OR #44 OR #45 OR #46 OR #47 OR #48 OR #49 OR #50 OR #51 OR #52 OR #53 OR #54 OR #55 OR #56 OR #57 OR #58 OR #59 OR #60 OR #61 OR #62 OR #63 OR #64 OR #65 OR #66 OR #67 OR #68 OR #69 OR #70
72	#14 AND #35 AND #71

73	(#72) IN DARE FROM 2000 TO 2019

Supplementary search techniques

Grey literature searching – see results below:

Search engines

Search engine	
Name	dblp computer science bibliography
URL	https://dblp.uni-trier.de/
Date searched	14/01/2019
Searcher	Andrea Heath
Search terms	“Sexual health” or “sexual behaviour/behavior” or (sex or sexual) AND “Behaviour/behaviour change”.
How the results were selected	Used search engine to perform Boolean searches on a range of selected terms (as above). Viewed results and exported potentially relevant results to Endnote if not already found in other database searches.
Results	4

Search engine	
Name	ACM Digital library
URL	https://dl.acm.org/
Date searched	15/01/2019
Searcher	Andrea Heath

Search terms	Used search engine to search “behaviour change” OR (digital OR apps OR technology OR mhealth OR ehealth OR internet OR online OR social media or smartphone) AND sexual. Separately searched “sexual health” and “sexual behaviour/behavior”. Limited to 2000 to date and Periodicals only for some results
How the results were selected	Viewed results of search combinations and exported potentially relevant results to Endnote
Results	9

Websites

Website	
Name	Public Health England
URL	www.gov.uk/government/organisations/public-health-england
Date searched	10/01/2019
Searcher	Andrea Heath
Search terms (including any specific sections browsed)	Used search box to browse PHE documents using search terms digital, apps, smartphone, technology, internet, “sexual health”, “sexual behaviour”. Plus used advanced google search to search combination of terms. Also searched NICE Evidence Search using same key words and limiting to source (PHE).
Results	4

Website	
Name	Public Health Wales
URL	www.wales.nhs.uk
Date searched	10/01/2019
Searcher	Andrea Heath
Search terms (including any)	Browsed Lifestyle section Sexual health

specific sections browsed)	
Results	0

Website	
Name	Scottish Public Health Observatory
URL	www.scotpho.org.uk
Date searched	10/01/2019
Searcher	Andrea Heath
Search terms (including any specific sections browsed)	Browsed "Sexual health" in Behaviours section. Also browsed "Reported and Papers".
Results	0

Website	
Name	Department of Health
URL	www.gov.uk/government/organisations/department-of-health
Date searched	10/01/2019
Searcher	Andrea Heath
Search terms (including any specific sections browsed)	Used search box to browse DoH documents using search terms "digital technology", apps, smartphone, internet, "behaviour change", "sexual behaviour", "sexual health". Also searched NICE Evidence Search using same key words and limiting to source (DoH) Did not include results that had already been picked up by other database searches eg HMIC
Results	2

Website	
Name	Public Health Agency (Northern Ireland)
URL	www.publichealth.hscni.nt
Date searched	10/01/2019
Searcher	Andrea Heath

Search terms (including any specific sections browsed)	Searched Publications using key terms – digital, apps, smartphone, technology, internet, “behaviour change”, “sexual health”, “sexual behaviour”
Results	0

Website	
Name	Public Health Institute
URL	www.cph.org.uk
Date searched	10/01/2019
Searcher	Andrea Heath
Search terms (including any specific sections browsed)	Browsed area of expertise “Sexual and reproductive health”. Also searched via “advanced Google search” “sexual behaviour” and “sexual health” and website url.
Results	0

Website	
Name	Royal Society for Public Health
URL	https://www.rsph.org.uk/
Date searched	10/01/2019
Searcher	Andrea Heath
Search terms (including any specific sections browsed)	Browsed Reports. Also searched via “advanced Google search” using key terms and website url
Results	0

Website	
Name	Centre for Behaviour Change UCL
URL	https://www.ucl.ac.uk/behaviour-change
Date searched	15/01/2019

Searcher	Andrea Heath
Search terms (including any specific sections browsed)	Browsed website including link to Digital Health Hub. Also searched via Google advanced search combining site search with “sexual behaviour” or “sexual health”.
Results	1

Website	
Name	The Kings Fund
URL	https://www.kingsfund.org.uk
Date searched	14/01/2019
Searcher	Andrea Heath
Search terms (including any specific sections browsed)	Browsed Topics “Technology and data” and “Sexual health care”, searched Publications using key terms. Also searched via “advanced Google search” using key terms and website url
Results	2

Website	
Name	The Behavioural Insights Team
URL	https://www.behaviouralinsights.co.uk/
Date searched	14/01/2019
Searcher	Andrea Heath
Search terms (including any specific sections browsed)	Browsed Health category in Blogs & read potentially relevant blogs looking for links to publications. Also searched via “advanced Google search” using key terms and website url and browsed publications
Results	1

Website	
Name	nesta
URL	https://www.nesta.org.uk/

Date searched	15/01/2019
Searcher	Andrea Heath
Search terms (including any specific sections browsed)	Browsed "Health" section, used search function to search key terms ("sexual health", "sexual behaviour"). Also searched via "advanced Google search" using key terms and website url
Results	2

Website	
Name	NICE Evidence Search
URL	www.evidence.nhs.uk
Date searched	14/01/2019
Searcher	Andrea Heath
Search terms (including any specific sections browsed)	Used searched box to perform Boolean searches combining (behaviour change or digital technology, apps, computers, smartphone, internet) AND ("sexual behaviour" or "sexual health"). Imported most results to Endnote. One result added to Word doc and saved on k:drive
Results	6 (3 in Word doc and 3 in Endnote database)

Website	
Name	Google
URL	Google.co.uk
Date searched	15/01/2019
Searcher	Andrea Heath
Search terms (including any specific sections browsed)	(Behaviour OR Behavior) AND ("digital technology" or apps or smartphone or mhealth) AND ("sexual behaviour" or "sexual behavior" or "sexual health") Browsed first 50 results and copy & pasted one relevant to search document, plus imported six to Endnote
Results	7

Website	
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Name	Google Scholar
URL	https://scholar.google.co.uk/
Date searched	15/01/2019
Searcher	Andrea Heath
Search terms (including any specific sections browsed)	(Behaviour OR Behavior) AND ("digital technology" or apps or smartphone or mhealth) AND ("sexual behaviour" or "sexual behavior" or "sexual health") Browsed first 50 results and exported relevant results (if not duplicates) to Endnote
Results	4

Economic evidence

Note: a unified search for economic evidence was conducted for all review questions in this guideline

Database name: MEDLINE

- 1 Health Behavior/ (45965)
- 2 Health Knowledge, Attitudes, Practice/ (100524)
- 3 Risk Reduction Behavior/ (11188)
- 4 Behavior Therapy/ (26562)
- 5 PSYCHOTHERAPY/ (52164)
- 6 Cognitive Therapy/ (22511)
- 7 MOTIVATION/ (61890)
- 8 Patient Education as Topic/ (81150)
- 9 Patient acceptance of healthcare/ (41100)
- 10 Health promotion/ (68389)
- 11 "Outcome and Process Assessment (Health Care)"/ (25495)
- 12 ((behavio?r* or lifestyle* or "life style*") and (change* or changing or modification* or modify or modifying or therapy or therapies or program* or intervention* or technique* or establish* or individual*)).ti. (31617)
- 13 ((behavio?r* or lifestyle* or "life style*") adj2 (change* or changing or modification* or modify or modifying or therapy or therapies or program* or intervention* or technique* or establish* or individual*)).ab,kw. (88489)
- 14 motivat*.ti. (14483)
- 15 or/1-14 (535137)
- 16 exp EXERCISE/ (174008)
- 17 exp EXERCISE MOVEMENT TECHNIQUES/ (7290)
- 18 exp SPORTS/ (168645)

- 19 exp exercise therapy/ (44950)
- 20 ((physical* or keep* or cardio* or aerobic or fitness or increas* or more or become or becoming or be or encourag*) adj3 (fit* or activ* or train*)).ti. (60086)
- 21 SEDENTARY LIFESTYLE/ (7220)
- 22 exercis*.ti. (97711)
- 23 (sedentary adj3 (behavio?r* or lifestyle* or less or time or change* or changing or modification* or modify or modifying or program* or intervention*)).tw. (8381)
- 24 FOOD HABITS/ (76202)
- 25 FOOD PREFERENCES/ (13168)
- 26 Nutrition therapy/ (1923)
- 27 *DIET/ (71783)
- 28 Body Mass Index/ (114816)
- 29 Healthy diet/ (2044)
- 30 diet*.ti. (155010)
- 31 ((health* or unhealthy or poor* or chang* or behav* or advic* or recommend*) adj3 (eat* or diet* or food* or nutrition* or weight* or overweight)).tw. (129962)
- 32 ((fruit* or vegetable*) adj2 (intake* or consum* or eat* or ate)).tw. (12879)
- 33 or/16-32 (767389)
- 34 SMOKING/ (134671)
- 35 SMOKING CESSATION/ (26370)
- 36 "TOBACCO USE CESSATION"/ or exp "TOBACCO USE"/ or "TOBACCO USE DISORDER"/ (13229)
- 37 SMOKERS/ (587)
- 38 Electronic Nicotine Delivery Systems/ or Vaping/ (2213)
- 39 (ecig* or e-cig* or e-voke* or juul* or vape* or vaping*).tw. (2057)
- 40 "TOBACCO USE CESSATION PRODUCTS"/ (1512)
- 41 exp Pipe smoking/ (75)
- 42 (waterpipe* or water pipe* or dokha or dokhas or hookah or hookahs or hooka or hookas or shisha or shishas or sheesha or sheeshas).tw. (1453)
- 43 (smoking* or smoker* or antismok* or anti smok* or anti-smok*).tw. (204950)
- 44 (tobacco* or nicotin* or cigar* or cigs).tw. (181144)
- 45 or/34-44 (344859)
- 46 exp ALCOHOL-RELATED DISORDERS/ (108758)
- 47 exp ALCOHOL DRINKING/ (64438)
- 48 exp Alcoholic Beverages/ (18633)
- 49 Drinking Behavior/ (6548)
- 50 ((Alcohol* or Drunk* or Drink* or beer* or wine* or liqor* or liquor* or spirit* or alcopop* or cider*) adj4 (consum* or misus* or abus* or intoxicat* or inebriat* or excess* or bing* or hazardous or harmful or heavy or problem* or risk* or frequen* or behavio?r* or temperance or abstinence or abstain* or stop or stopping)).tw. (102554)
- 51 or/46-50 (213234)
- 52 exp Sexual Behavior/ (99473)
- 53 Sexual Health/ (397)
- 54 Sex education/ (8530)
- 55 exp Sexually Transmitted Diseases/ (323661)

- 56 HIV/ (18005)
- 57 Blood-Borne Pathogens/ (2917)
- 58 Pregnancy, Unplanned/ (1647)
- 59 Birth control/ (18923)
- 60 Pregnancy in Adolescence/ (7591)
- 61 Pregnancy Unwanted/ (2539)
- 62 Contraceptive Agents/ (4490)
- 63 Condoms/ (9681)
- 64 Contraceptive behavior/ (7488)
- 65 Condoms, Female/ (426)
- 66 (contracep* or condom*).tw. (73799)
- 67 ((sex* or intercourse or coit*) adj3 (risk* or protected or unprotected or safe* or unsafe* or behavio?r* or health* or unhealth* or educat*)).tw. (71922)
- 68 (STD* or STI or "sexually transmitted disease*" or "sexually transmitted infection*" or HIV*).tw. (285872)
- 69 (pregnan* adj3 (unplanned or planned or unwanted or unintended or unintentional* or repeat* or adolescen* or teen*)).tw. (14081)
- 70 (birth adj control*).tw. (4473)
- 71 (famil* adj3 plan*).tw. (24787)
- 72 or/52-71 (592222)
- 73 or/33,45,51,72 (1805988)
- 74 TELEMEDICINE/ (18725)
- 75 Therapy, Computer-Assisted/ (6424)
- 76 User-Computer Interface/ (35219)
- 77 Software Design/ (5745)
- 78 MULTIMEDIA/ (1809)
- 79 Computers, Handheld/ (3301)
- 80 Videotape Recording/ (11137)
- 81 Internet/ (67068)
- 82 Social Networking/ (2350)
- 83 Online Social Networking/ (16)
- 84 Blogging/ (897)
- 85 Social Media/ (5412)
- 86 Electronic Mail/ (2493)
- 87 Cell Phones/ (7642)
- 88 Text Messaging/ (2119)
- 89 Smartphone/ (2534)
- 90 Mobile Applications/ (3700)
- 91 WEARABLE ELECTRONIC DEVICES/ (754)
- 92 Video Games/ (4558)
- 93 Virtual Reality/ (636)
- 94 ((digital* or digitis* or digitiz* or electronic*) adj3 (intervention* or therap* or treatment* or medicine* or medical* or health* or monitoring or clinical* or communicat* or technol* or media* or device* or platform* or forum* or community* or communities* or discussion*)).tw. (41380)
- 95 (telemed* or tele-med* or telehealth* or tele-health* or telecar* or tele-car*).tw. (10768)

- 96 (ehealth* or e-health* or mhealth* or m-health* or mobile health*).tw. (4993)
- 97 ((laptop or palm or handheld or tablet or pda or pc) adj2 comput*).tw. (2388)
- 98 ((mobile* or cell* or tablet*) adj (phone* or telephone* or handset* or hand-set*)).tw. (7450)
- 99 (smartphone* or smart-phone* or smart telephone* or iphone* or i-phone* or ipad* or i-pad* or blackberry* or smartwatch* or smart-watch* or android or device-based or mobile-based or podcast*).tw. (9457)
- 100 ((mobile or electronic* or digital*) adj2 (device* or tablet*)).tw. (6537)
- 101 ((mobile or electronic* or digital* or device* or software*) adj3 application*).tw. (8487)
- 102 (app or apps or wearable* or online* or on-line* or internet* or www or web or website* or webpage* or portal or search engine*).tw. (279509)
- 103 (e-mail* or email* or electronic mail*).tw. (11476)
- 104 (text messag* or texting or texter* or texted or SMS or short messag* or multimedia messag* or multi-media messag* or mms or instant messag* or picture messag* or audio messag*).tw. (10318)
- 105 (Facebook* or YouTube* or Twitter* or LinkedIn* or Pinterest* or Google* or Tumblr* or Instagram* or WhatsApp* or Reddit* or Flickr* or SnapChat* or Yahoo* or Bing* or MSN* or Wikipedia* or Web 2* or alexa or siri or fitbit*).tw. (33899)
- 106 (social media* or social network* or blog* or vlog* or video-blog* or gaming or game or games or gamification or wii fit or discussion board* or online forum*).tw. (41146)
- 107 ((virtual or augmented) adj3 reality).tw. (6719)
- 108 Speech Recognition Software/ (648)
- 109 ((voice* or speech or speak*) adj3 response* adj3 (interact* or unit*)).tw,kw. (705)
- 110 IVR.tw. (944)
- 111 or/74-110 (492045)
- 112 and/15,73,111 (12571)
- 113 Economics/ or exp "Costs and Cost Analysis"/ or Economics, Dental/ or exp Economics, Hospital/ or exp Economics, Medical/ or Economics, Nursing/ or Economics, Pharmaceutical/ or Budgets/ or exp Models, Economic/ or Markov Chains/ or Monte Carlo Method/ or Decision Trees/ (325711)
- 114 (Economic* or cost or costs or costly or costing or costed or price or prices or pricing or pharmaco-economic* or pharmaco economic* or budget*).ti,ab. (591398)
- 115 ((monte adj carlo) or markov or (decision adj2 (tree* or analys*))).ti,ab. (49362)
- 116 (value adj2 (money or monetary)).ti,ab. (1766)
- 117 Quality of Life/ or Health Status Indicators/ or Quality-Adjusted Life Years/ or Value of Life/ (201539)
- 118 (quality of life or quality adjusted life or qaly* or qald* or qale* or qtime* or quality of wellbeing or quality of well-being or willingness to pay or standard gamble* or time trade off* or time tradeoff*).ti,ab. (205307)
- 119 (disability adjusted life or daly).ti,ab. (2537)
- 120 health* year* equivalent*.ti,ab. (38)
- 121 (sf36 or sf 36 or short form 36 or shortform 36 or sf thirtysix or sf thirty six or shortform thirtysix or shortform thirty six or short form thirtysix or short form thirty six).ti,ab. (20533)
- 122 (sf6 or sf 6 or short form 6 or shortform 6 or sf six or sfsix or shortform six or short form six).ti,ab. (1222)

- 123 (sf12 or sf 12 or short form 12 or shortform 12 or sf twelve or sftwelve or shortform twelve or short form twelve).ti,ab. (4252)
- 124 (sf16 or sf 16 or short form 16 or shortform 16 or sf sixteen or sfsixteen or shortform sixteen or short form sixteen).ti,ab. (27)
- 125 (sf20 or sf 20 or short form 20 or shortform 20 or sf twenty or sftwenty or shortform twenty or short form twenty).ti,ab. (364)
- 126 (euroqol or euro qol or eq5d or eq 5d).ti,ab. (7253)
- 127 or/113-126 (1022455)
- 128 (((energy or oxygen) adj cost*) or (metabolic adj cost*) or ((energy or oxygen) adj expenditure*)).ti,ab. (25248)
- 129 127 not 128 (1015741)
- 130 112 and 129 (1997)
- 131 limit 130 to yr="2000 -Current" (1930)
- 132 limit 131 to english language (1877)
- 133 Animals/ not Humans/ (4506319)
- 134 132 not 133 (1867)
- 135 limit 134 to (clinical conference or comment or editorial or historical article or letter or news) (6)
- 136 134 not 135 (1861)

Database name: MIP/Epubs

- 1 ((behavio?r* or lifestyle* or "life style*") and (change* or changing or modification* or modify or modifying or therapy or therapies or program* or intervention* or technique* or establish* or individual*)).ti. (5835)
- 2 ((behavio?r* or lifestyle* or "life style*") adj2 (change* or changing or modification* or modify or modifying or therapy or therapies or program* or intervention* or technique* or establish* or individual*)).ab. (17570)
- 3 motivat*.ti. (2478)
- 4 or/1-3 (22736)
- 5 ((physical* or keep* or cardio* or aerobic or fitness or increas* or more or become or becoming or be or encourag*) adj3 (fit* or activ* or train*)).ti. (10100)
- 6 exercis*.ti. (12653)
- 7 (sedentary adj3 (behavio?r* or lifestyle* or less or time or change* or changing or modification* or modify or modifying or program* or intervention*)).tw. (2011)
- 8 diet*.ti. (18984)
- 9 ((health* or unhealthy or poor* or chang* or behav* or advic* or recommend*) adj3 (eat* or diet* or food* or nutrition* or weight* or overweight)).tw. (21928)
- 10 ((fruit* or vegetable*) adj2 (intake* or consum* or eat* or ate)).tw. (2112)
- 11 or/5-10 (60183)
- 12 (ecig* or e-cig* or e-voke* or juul* or vape* or vaping*).tw. (1052)
- 13 (waterpipe* or water pipe* or dokha or dokhas or hookah or hookahs or hooka or hookas or shisha or shishas or sheesha or sheeshas).tw. (483)
- 14 (smoking* or smoker* or antismok* or anti smok* or anti-smok*).tw. (25197)
- 15 (tobacco* or nicotin* or cigar* or cigs).tw. (21826)

- 16 or/12-15 (39043)
- 17 ((Alcohol* or Drunk* or Drink* or beer* or wine* or liquor* or liquor* or spirit* or alcopop* or cider*) adj4 (consum* or misus* or abus* or intoxicat* or inebriat* or excess* or bing* or hazardous or harmful or heavy or problem* or risk* or frequen* or behavio?r* or temperance or abstinence or abstain* or stop or stopping)).tw. (12511)
- 18 (contracep* or condom*).tw. (5959)
- 19 ((sex* or intercourse or coit*) adj3 (risk* or protected or unprotected or safe* or unsafe* or behavio?r* or health* or unhealth* or educat*).tw. (10438)
- 20 (STD* or STI or "sexually transmitted disease*" or "sexually transmitted infection*" or HIV*).tw. (31223)
- 21 (pregnan* adj3 (unplanned or planned or unwanted or unintended or unintentional* or repeat* or adolescen* or teen*).tw. (1632)
- 22 (birth adj control*).tw. (388)
- 23 (famil* adj3 plan*).tw. (2532)
- 24 or/18-23 (45570)
- 25 or/11,16-17,24 (148454)
- 26 ((digital* or digitis* or digitiz* or electronic*) adj3 (intervention* or therap* or treatment* or medicine* or medical* or health* or monitoring or clinical* or communicat* or technol* or media* or device* or platform* or forum* or community* or communities* or discussion*).tw. (16498)
- 27 (telemed* or tele-med* or telehealth* or tele-health* or telecar* or tele-car*).tw. (1976)
- 28 (ehealth* or e-health* or mhealth* or m-health* or mobile health*).tw. (2199)
- 29 ((laptop or palm or handheld or tablet or pda or pc) adj2 comput*).tw. (480)
- 30 ((mobile* or cell* or tablet*) adj (phone* or telephone* or handset* or hand-set*).tw. (2400)
- 31 (smartphone* or smart-phone* or smart telephone* or iphone* or i-phone* or ipad* or i-pad* or blackberry* or smartwatch* or smart-watch* or android or device-based or mobile-based or podcast*).tw. (5555)
- 32 ((mobile or electronic* or digital*) adj2 (device* or tablet*).tw. (5858)
- 33 ((mobile or electronic* or digital* or device* or software*) adj3 application*).tw. (7401)
- 34 (app or apps or wearable* or online* or on-line* or internet* or www or web or website* or webpage* or portal or search engine*).tw. (69069)
- 35 (e-mail* or email* or electronic mail*).tw. (3056)
- 36 (text messag* or texting or texter* or texted or SMS or short messag* or multimedia messag* or multi-media messag* or mms or instant messag* or picture messag* or audio messag*).tw. (2488)
- 37 (Facebook* or YouTube* or Twitter* or LinkedIn* or Pinterest* or Google* or Tumblr* or Instagram* or WhatsApp* or Reddit* or Flickr* or SnapChat* or Yahoo* or Bing* or MSN* or Wikipedia* or Web 2* or alexa or fitbit*).tw. (10560)
- 38 (social media* or social network* or blog* or vlog* or video-blog* or gaming or game or games or gamification or wii fit or discussion board* or online forum*).tw. (12606)
- 39 ((virtual or augmented) adj3 reality).tw. (2107)
- 40 ((voice* or speech or speak*) adj3 response* adj3 (interact* or unit*).tw. (98)
- 41 IVR.tw. (320)
- 42 or/26-41 (116943)
- 43 and/4,25,42 (1103)

- 44 25 and 42 (10238)
 45 limit 44 to yr="2017 -Current" (6808)
 46 43 or 45 (7192)
 47 (Economic* or cost or costs or costly or costing or costed or price or prices or pricing or pharmaco-economic* or pharmaco economic* or budget*).ti,ab. (126735)
 48 ((monte adj carlo) or markov or (decision adj2 (tree* or analys*))).ti,ab. (21570)
 49 (value adj2 (money or monetary)).ti,ab. (338)
 50 (quality of life or quality adjusted life or qaly* or qald* or qale* or qtime* or quality of wellbeing or quality of well-being or willingness to pay or standard gamble* or time trade off* or time tradeoff*).ti,ab. (39946)
 51 (disability adjusted life or daly).ti,ab. (571)
 52 health* year* equivalent*.ti,ab. (2)
 53 (sf36 or sf 36 or short form 36 or shortform 36 or sf thirtysix or sf thirty six or shortform thirtysix or shortform thirty six or short form thirtysix or short form thirty six).ti,ab. (2807)
 54 (sf6 or sf 6 or short form 6 or shortform 6 or sf six or sfsix or shortform six or short form six).ti,ab. (716)
 55 (sf12 or sf 12 or short form 12 or shortform 12 or sf twelve or sftwelve or shortform twelve or short form twelve).ti,ab. (795)
 56 (sf16 or sf 16 or short form 16 or shortform 16 or sf sixteen or sfsixteen or shortform sixteen or short form sixteen).ti,ab. (5)
 57 (sf20 or sf 20 or short form 20 or shortform 20 or sf twenty or sftwenty or shortform twenty or short form twenty).ti,ab. (22)
 58 (euroqol or euro qol or eq5d or eq 5d).ti,ab. (1768)
 59 or/47-58 (182507)
 60 (((energy or oxygen) adj cost*) or (metabolic adj cost*) or ((energy or oxygen) adj expenditure*).ti,ab. (3669)
 61 59 not 60 (181259)
 62 46 and 61 (959)
 63 limit 62 to yr="2000 -Current" (959)
 64 limit 63 to english language (953)
 65 limit 64 to (clinical conference or comment or editorial or historical article or letter or news) (0)
 66 64 not 65 (953)

Database name: Embase

- 1 behavior change/ (30212)
- 2 health 93nglish9393/ (60586)
- 3 attitude to health/ or risk reduction/ (195169)
- 4 behavior therapy/ (40905)
- 5 psychotherapy/ (81847)
- 6 cognitive therapy/ (42796)
- 7 motivation/ (92282)
- 8 patient education/ (106609)
- 9 patient attitude/ (62747)

- 10 health promotion/ (90169)
- 11 Outcome assessment/ (459747)
- 12 ((behavio?r* or lifestyle* or "life style*") and (change* or changing or modification* or modify or modifying or therapy or therapies or program* or intervention* or technique* or establish* or individual*)).ti. (44885)
- 13 ((behavio?r* or lifestyle* or "life style*") adj2 (change* or changing or modification* or modify or modifying or therapy or therapies or program* or intervention* or technique* or establish* or individual*)).ab,kw. (144310)
- 14 motivat*.ti. (18165)
- 15 or/1-14 (1224078)
- 16 exp exercise/ (303603)
- 17 exp kinesiotherapy/ (69470)
- 18 exp sport/ (145038)
- 19 ((physical* or keep* or cardio* or aerobic or fitness or 94nglish94* or more or become or becoming or be or 94nglish9494*) adj3 (fit* or 94nglis* or train*)).ti. (83120)
- 20 sedentary lifestyle/ or sitting/ (30759)
- 21 physical activity/ (135422)
- 22 exercis*.ti. (132758)
- 23 (sedentary adj3 (behavio?r* or lifestyle* or less or time or change* or changing or modification* or modify or modifying or program* or intervention*)).tw. (13654)
- 24 feeding 94nglish9494/ or Food intake/ or Portion size/ (179314)
- 25 food preference/ (12426)
- 26 diet therapy/ (48807)
- 27 *diet/ (65042)
- 28 unhealthy diet/ or healthy diet/ (2365)
- 29 body mass/ (366272)
- 30 diet*.ti. (191322)
- 31 ((health* or unhealthy or poor* or chang* or 94nglis* or 94nglis* or recommend*) adj3 (eat* or diet* or food* or nutrition* or weight* or overweight)).tw. (200415)
- 32 ((fruit* or vegetable*) adj2 (intake* or consum* or eat* or ate)).tw. (19034)
- 33 or/16-32 (1387258)
- 34 smoking/ (277521)
- 35 smoking cessation/ (53791)
- 36 smoking habit/ (21151)
- 37 cigarette smoking/ or cigar smoking/ (51706)
- 38 exp "tobacco use"/ or tobacco dependence/ (366278)
- 39 smoking cessation program/ or smoking reduction/ (3105)
- 40 "smoking and smoking related phenomena"/ (180)
- 41 electronic cigarette/ or vaping/ or pipe smoking/ (4551)
- 42 (ecig* or e-cig* or e-voke* or juul* or vape* or vaping*).tw. (3494)
- 43 (waterpipe* or water pipe* or dokha or dokhas or hookah or hookahs or hooka or hookas or shisha or shishas or sheesha or sheeshas).tw. (2308)
- 44 (smoking* or smoker* or antismok* or anti smok* or anti-smok*).tw. (332911)
- 45 (tobacco* or nicotin* or cigar* or cigs).tw. (236781)
- 46 or/34-45 (559889)

- 47 drinking 95nglish9595/ (45140)
- 48 alcohol consumption/ (114518)
- 49 exp alcohol abuse/ (34844)
- 50 alcohol intoxication/ (11483)
- 51 alcohol abstinence/ (6164)
- 52 exp alcoholic beverage/ or alcohol/ (256320)
- 53 drunkenness/ (3118)
- 54 ((Alcohol* or Drunk* or Drink* or beer* or wine* or liquor* or liquor* or spirit* or alcopop* or cider*) adj4 (consum* or misus* or abus* or intoxicat* or inebriat* or excess* or binge* or hazardous or harmful or heavy or problem* or risk* or frequen* or behavio?r* or temperance or abstinence or abstain* or stop or stopping)).tw. (155984)
- 55 or/47-54 (426009)
- 56 exp sexual 95nglish9595/ (193908)
- 57 sexual health/ (13872)
- 58 sexual education/ (10789)
- 59 exp sexually transmitted disease/ (82663)
- 60 Human immunodeficiency virus/ (107533)
- 61 bloodborne bacterium/ (1919)
- 62 unplanned pregnancy/ (4958)
- 63 birth control/ (3680)
- 64 adolescent pregnancy/ (9109)
- 65 unwanted pregnancy/ (3097)
- 66 contraceptive agent/ (17643)
- 67 condom/ (19065)
- 68 contraceptive 95nglish9595/ (3665)
- 69 female condom/ (331)
- 70 (95nglish9595t* or condom*).tw. (92337)
- 71 ((sex* or intercourse or coit*) adj3 (risk* or protected or unprotected or safe* or unsafe* or behavio?r* or health* or unhealth* or educat*)).tw. (108297)
- 72 (STD* or STI or “sexually transmitted disease*” or “sexually transmitted infection*” or HIV*).tw. (403110)
- 73 (pregnan* adj3 (unplanned or planned or unwanted or unintended or unintentional* or repeat* or adolescen* or teen*)).tw. (19148)
- 74 (birth adj control*).tw. (4414)
- 75 (famil* adj3 plan*).tw. (25694)
- 76 or/56-75 (763969)
- 77 or/33,46,55,76 (2864133)
- 78 telemedicine/ (20032)
- 79 computer assisted therapy/ (4478)
- 80 computer interface/ (29361)
- 81 digital computer/ (2380)
- 82 software design/ (586)
- 83 multimedia/ (3553)
- 84 personal digital assistant/ (1301)
- 85 videorecording/ (73411)

- 86 Internet/ (101111)
- 87 social network/ (13368)
- 88 blogging/ (257)
- 89 social media/ (13901)
- 90 e-mail/ (17996)
- 91 mobile phone/ (14846)
- 92 text messaging/ (3838)
- 93 smartphone/ (7244)
- 94 mobile application/ (7400)
- 95 electronic device/ (1838)
- 96 video game/ (2420)
- 97 virtual reality/ (14185)
- 98 ((digital* or digitiz* or digitiz* or electronic*) adj3 (intervention* or therap* or treatment* or medicine* or medical* or health* or monitoring or clinical* or communicat* or technol* or media* or device* or platform* or forum* or community* or communities* or discussion*)).tw. (83470)
- 99 (telemed* or tele-med* or telehealth* or tele-health* or 96nglish96* or tele-car*).tw. (16924)
- 100 (ehealth* or e-health* or mhealth* or m-health* or mobile health*).tw. (8205)
- 101 ((laptop or palm or handheld or tablet or pda or pc) adj2 comput*).tw. (3795)
- 102 ((mobile* or cell* or tablet*) adj (phone* or telephone* or handset* or hand-set*)).tw. (12384)
- 103 (smartphone* or smart-phone* or smart telephone* or iphone* or i-phone* or ipad* or i-pad* or blackberry* or smartwatch* or smart-watch* or android or device-based or mobile-based or podcast*).tw. (21092)
- 104 ((mobile or electronic* or digital*) adj2 (device* or tablet*)).tw. (12736)
- 105 ((mobile or electronic* or digital* or device* or software*) adj3 application*).tw. (15189)
- 106 (app or apps or wearable* or online* or on-line* or internet* or www or web or website* or webpage* or portal or search engine*).tw. (464892)
- 107 (e-mail* or email* or electronic mail*).tw. (28650)
- 108 (text messag* or texting or texter* or texted or SMS or short messag* or multimedia messag* or multi-media messag* or mms or instant messag* or picture messag* or audio messag*).tw. (17696)
- 109 (Facebook* or YouTube* or Twitter* or LinkedIn* or Pinterest* or Google* or Tumblr* or Instagram* or WhatsApp* or Reddit* or Flickr* or SnapChat* or Yahoo* or Bing* or MSN* or Wikipedia* or Web 2* or alexa or siri or fitbit*).tw. (61766)
- 110 (social media* or social network* or blog* or vlog* or video-blog* or gaming or game or games or gamification or wii fit or discussion board* or online forum*).tw. (64114)
- 111 ((virtual or augmented) adj3 reality).tw. (11530)
- 112 automatic speech recognition/ (941)
- 113 interactive voice response system/ (577)
- 114 ((voice* or speech or speak*) adj3 response* adj3 (interact* or unit*)).tw,kw. (1138)
- 115 IVR.tw. (1818)
- 116 or/78-115 (860579)
- 117 and/15,77,116 (23998)

- 118 health-economics/ or exp economic-evaluation/ or exp health-care-cost/ or pharmacoconomics/ or Monte Carlo Method/ or Decision Tree/ (541174)
- 119 (Economic* or cost or costs or costly or costing or costed or price or prices or pricing or pharmaco-economic* or pharmaco economic* or budget*).ti,ab. (928134)
- 120 ((monte adj carlo) or markov or (decision adj2 (tree* or analys*))).ti,ab. (77974)
- 121 (value adj2 (money or monetary)).ti,ab. (2925)
- 122 Quality of Life/ or Quality Adjusted Life Year/ or Quality of Life Index/ or Short Form 36/ or Health Status/ (535533)
- 123 (quality of life or quality adjusted life or qaly* or qald* or qale* or qtime* or quality of wellbeing or quality of well-being or willingness to pay or standard gamble* or time trade off* or time tradeoff*).ti,ab. (385660)
- 124 (disability adjusted life or daly).ti,ab. (3883)
- 125 Health* year* equivalent*.ti,ab. (40)
- 126 (sf36 or sf 36 or short form 36 or shortform 36 or sf thirtysix or sf thirty six or shortform thirtysix or shortform thirty six or short form thirtysix or short form thirty six or sf6 or sf 6 or short form 6 or shortform 6 or sf six or sfsix or shortform six or short form six or sf12 or sf 12 or short form 12 or shortform 12 or sf twelve or sftwelve or shortform twelve or short form twelve or sf16 or sf 16 or short form 16 or shortform 16 or sf sixteen or sfsixteen or shortform sixteen or short form sixteen or sf20 or sf 20 or short form 20 or shortform 20 or sf twenty or sftwenty or shortform twenty or short form twenty or euroqol or euro qol or eq5d or eq 5d).ti,ab. (61852)
- 127 or/118-126 (1743470)
- 128 (((energy or oxygen) adj cost*) or (metabolic adj cost*) or ((energy or oxygen) adj expenditure*).ti,ab. (35250)
- 129 127 not 128 (1734611)
- 130 117 and 129 (4845)
- 131 limit 130 to yr="2000 -Current" (4793)
- 132 limit 131 to 97nglish language (4708)
- 133 exp animal/ or exp animal-experiment/ or nonhuman/ (25358585)
- 134 (rat or rats or mouse or mice or hamster or hamsters or animal or animals or dog or dogs or cat or cats or bovine or sheep).ti,ab,sh. (5378979)
- 135 exp human/ or human-experiment/ (19263219)
- 136 133 or 134 (25494592)
- 137 136 not (136 and 135) (6232240)
- 138 (comment or editorial or letter or news).pt. (1648938)
- 139 137 or 138 (7818751)
- 140 132 not 139 (4617)
- 141 limit 140 to (conference abstract or conference paper or "conference review") (1044)
- 142 140 not 141 (3573)

Database name: HTA/NHS EED

- 1 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Health Behavior
- 2 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Health Knowledge, Attitudes, Practice
- 3 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Risk Reduction Behavior
- 4 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Behavior Therapy

- 5 MeSH DESCRIPTOR PSYCHOTHERAPY
- 6 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Cognitive Therapy
- 7 MeSH DESCRIPTOR MOTIVATION
- 8 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Patient Education as Topic
- 9 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Patient Acceptance of Health Care
- 10 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Health promotion
- 11 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Outcome and Process Assessment (Health Care)
- 12 (behavio?r* or lifestyle* or "life style*") AND (change* or changing or modification* or modify or modifying or therapy or therapies or program* or intervention* or technique* or establish* or individual*)
- 13 (motivat*):TI
- 14 #1 OR #2 OR #3 OR #4 OR #5 OR #6 OR #7 OR #8 OR #9 OR #10 OR #11 OR #12 OR #13
- 15 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Exercise EXPLODE ALL TREES
- 16 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Exercise Movement Techniques EXPLODE ALL TREES
- 17 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Sports EXPLODE ALL TREES
- 18 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Exercise therapy EXPLODE ALL TREES
- 19 (physical* or keep* or cardio* or aerobic or fitness or increas* or more or become or becoming or be or encourag*):TI AND (fit* or activ* or train*):TI
- 20 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Sedentary Lifestyle
- 21 (exercis*):TI
- 22 (sedentary) AND (behavio?r* or lifestyle* or less or time or change* or changing or modification* or modify or modifying or program* or intervention*)
- 23 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Feeding Behavior
- 24 MeSH DESCRIPTOR FOOD PREFERENCES
- 25 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Nutrition therapy
- 26 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Diet
- 27 MeSH DESCRIPTOR body mass index
- 28 MeSH DESCRIPTOR healthy diet
- 29 (diet*):TI
- 30 (health* or unhealthy or poor* or chang* or behav* or advic* or recommend*) AND (eat* or diet* or food* or nutrition* or weight* or overweight)
- 31 (fruit* or vegetable*) AND (intake* or consum* or eat* or ate)
- 32 #15 OR #16 OR #17 OR #18 OR #19 OR #20 OR #21 OR #22 OR #23 OR #24 OR #25 OR #26 OR #27 OR #28 OR #29 OR #30 OR #31
- 33 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Smoking
- 34 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Smoking cessation
- 35 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Tobacco use cessation
- 36 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Tobacco use EXPLODE ALL TREES
- 37 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Tobacco use disorder
- 38 MeSH DESCRIPTOR vaping EXPLODE ALL TREES
- 39 (ecig* or e-cig* or e-voke* or juul* or vape* or vaping*)
- 40 MeSH DESCRIPTOR tobacco use cessation products
- 41 (waterpipe* or water pipe* or dokha or dokhas or hookah or hookahs or hooka or hookas or shisha or shishas or sheesha or sheeshas)

- 42 (smoking* or smoker* or antismok* or anti smok* or anti-smok*)
- 43 (tobacco* or nicotin* or cigar* or cigs)
- 44 #33 OR #34 OR #35 OR #36 OR #37 OR #38 OR #39 OR #40 OR #41 OR #42 OR #43
- 45 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Alcohol-related disorders EXPLODE ALL TREES
- 46 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Alcohol drinking EXPLODE ALL TREES
- 47 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Alcoholic beverages EXPLODE ALL TREES
- 48 MeSH DESCRIPTOR drinking behavior
- 49 (Alcohol* or Drunk* or Drink* or beer* or wine* or liquor* or liquor* or spirit* or alcopop* or cider*) AND (consum* or misus* or abus* or intoxicat* or inebriat* or excess* or bing* or hazardous or harmful or heavy or problem* or risk* or frequen* or behavio?r* or temperance or abstinence or abstain* or stop or stopping)
- 50 #45 OR #46 OR #47 OR #48 OR #49
- 51 MeSH DESCRIPTOR sexual behavior EXPLODE ALL TREES
- 52 MeSH DESCRIPTOR reproductive behavior EXPLODE ALL TREES
- 53 MeSH DESCRIPTOR sex education
- 54 MeSH DESCRIPTOR sexually transmitted diseases EXPLODE ALL TREES
- 55 MeSH DESCRIPTOR HIV
- 56 MeSH DESCRIPTOR blood-borne pathogens
- 57 MeSH DESCRIPTOR pregnancy, unplanned
- 58 MeSH DESCRIPTOR contraception EXPLODE ALL TREES
- 59 MeSH DESCRIPTOR pregnancy in adolescence
- 60 MeSH DESCRIPTOR pregnancy, unwanted
- 61 MeSH DESCRIPTOR contraceptive agents
- 62 MeSH DESCRIPTOR condoms
- 63 MeSH DESCRIPTOR condoms, female
- 64 MeSH DESCRIPTOR contraception behavior EXPLODE ALL TREES
- 65 (contracep* or condom*)
- 66 (STD* or STI or "sexually transmitted disease*" or "sexually transmitted infection*" or HIV*)
- 67 (sex* or intercourse or coit*) AND (risk* or protected or unprotected or safe* or unsafe* or behavio?r* or health* or unhealth* or educat*)
- 68 (pregnan*) AND (unplanned or planned or unwanted or unintended or unintentional* or repeat* or adolescen* or teen*)
- 69 (birth) AND (control*)
- 70 (famil*) AND (plan*)
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- 72 #32 OR #44 OR #50 OR #71
- 73 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Telemedicine
- 74 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Therapy, Computer-Assisted
- 75 MeSH DESCRIPTOR User-Computer Interface
- 76 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Software design
- 77 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Multimedia
- 78 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Computers, Handheld
- 79 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Videotape Recording
- 80 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Internet

- 81 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Social Networking
- 82 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Blogging
- 83 MeSH DESCRIPTOR social media
- 84 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Electronic Mail
- 85 MeSH DESCRIPTOR cell phones
- 86 MeSH DESCRIPTOR text messaging
- 87 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Smartphone
- 88 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Mobile Applications
- 89 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Video games
- 90 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Virtual Reality Exposure Therapy
- 91 ((digital* or digitis* or digitiz* or electronic*)) AND ((intervention* or therap* or treatment* or medicine* or medical* or health* or monitoring or clinical* or communicat* or technol* or media* or device* or platform* or forum* or community* or communities* or discussion*))
- 92 ((telemed* or tele-med* or telehealth* or tele-health* or telecar* or tele-car*))
- 93 ((ehealth* or e-health* or mhealth* or m-health* or mobile health*))
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- 95 ((mobile* or cell* or tablet*)) AND ((phone* or telephone* or handset* or hand-set*))
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- 97 ((mobile or electronic* or digital*)) AND ((device* or tablet*))
- 98 ((mobile or electronic* or digital* or device* or software*)) AND (application*)
- 99 ((app or apps or wearable* or online* or on-line* or internet* or www or web or website* or webpage* or portal or search engine*))
- 100 ((e-mail* or email* or electronic mail*))
- 101 ((text messag* or texting or texter* or texted or SMS or short messag* or multimedia messag* or multi-media messag* or mms or instant messag* or picture messag* or audio messag*))
- 102 ((Facebook* or YouTube* or Twitter* or LinkedIn* or Pinterest* or Google* or Tumblr* or Instagram* or WhatsApp* or Reddit* or Flickr* or SnapChat* or Yahoo* or Bing* or MSN* or Wikipedia* or Web 2* or alexa or siri or fitbit*))
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- 104 ((virtual or augmented)) AND (reality)
- 105 MeSH DESCRIPTOR Speech Recognition Software
- 106 ((voice* or speech or speak*)) AND (response*) AND ((interact* or unit*))
- 107 (IVR)
- 108 #73 OR #74 OR #75 OR #76 OR #77 OR #78 OR #79 OR #80 OR #81 OR #82 OR #83 OR #84 OR #85 OR #86 OR #87 OR #88 OR #89 OR #90 OR #91 OR #92 OR #93 OR #94 OR #95 OR #96 OR #97 OR #98 OR #99 OR #100 OR #101 OR #102 OR #103 OR #104 OR #105 OR #106 OR #107
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- 110 (#109) IN NHSEED, HTA FROM 2000 TO 2019

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- 2 ((behavio?r* or lifestyle* or "life style*") adj2 (change* or changing or modification* or modify or modifying or therapy or therapies or program* or intervention* or technique* or establish* or individual*)).ab. (4267)
- 3 motivat*.ti. (2385)
- 4 or/1-3 (7713)
- 5 ((physical* or keep* or cardio* or aerobic or fitness or increas* or more or become or becoming or be or encourag*) adj3 (fit* or activ* or train*)).ti. (313)
- 6 exercis*.ti. (982)
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- 8 diet*.ti. (589)
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- 10 ((fruit* or vegetable*) adj2 (intake* or consum* or eat* or ate)).tw. (140)
- 11 or/5-10 (5350)
- 12 (ecig* or e-cig* or e-voke* or juul* or vape* or vaping*).tw. (26)
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- 23 (famil* adj3 plan*).tw. (959)
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- 26 ((digital* or digitis* or digitiz* or electronic*) adj3 (intervention* or therap* or treatment* or medicine* or medical* or health* or monitoring or clinical* or communicat* or technol* or media* or device* or platform* or forum* or community* or communities* or discussion*)).tw. (1567)
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- 30 ((mobile* or cell* or tablet*) adj (phone* or telephone* or handset* or hand-set*)).tw. (1151)
- 31 (smartphone* or smart-phone* or smart telephone* or iphone* or i-phone* or ipad* or i-pad* or blackberry* or smartwatch* or smart-watch* or android or device-based or mobile-based or podcast*).tw. (342)
- 32 ((mobile or electronic* or digital*) adj2 (device* or tablet*)).tw. (218)
- 33 ((mobile or electronic* or digital* or device* or software*) adj3 application*).tw. (346)
- 34 (app or apps or wearable* or online* or on-line* or internet* or www or web or website* or webpage* or portal or search engine*).tw. (15934)
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- 40 ((voice* or speech or speak*) adj3 response* adj3 (interact* or unit*)).tw. (6)
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Appendix F – Public health evidence tables

Intervention mode: internet-based programme

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Study type	Cluster RCT																														
Study dates	September 2012 – May 2013																														
Objective	To evaluate the effect of E-health4Uth and E-health4Uth and consultation on well-being and health behaviours delivered in preventative youth health care in secondary schools.																														
Country/ Setting	Netherlands																														
Number of participants / clusters	Of the 1989 eligible adolescents, 1702 (85.57%) participated: 533 (84.7%) in the E-health4Uth group, 554 (84.2%) in the E-health4Uth and consultation group, and 615 (87.6%) in the control group																														
Attrition	<p>In total, 1256 adolescents participated at 4-month follow-up (73.79%).</p> <p>E-health4Uth group, 533 completed intervention and questionnaire, 392 completed follow-up. Extra participants were gained from self-referral (n=19) and because they were considered as at risk of mental health problems after consultation (n=17).</p> <p>E-health4Uth plus counselling group, 554 completed intervention and questionnaire, 430 completed follow-up. Extra participants were gained from referral (n=103), self-referral (n=8) and because they were considered as at risk of mental health problems after consultation (n=96).</p> <p>Control group, 615 completed questionnaire, 434 completed follow-up. Extra participants were gained from self-referral (n=14) and consultation (n=13).</p>																														
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	Sometimes	25 (19.2)	14 (14.3)	18 (18.8)
	Usually	25 (19.2)	21 (21.4)	15 (15.6)
	Always	68 (52.3)	52 (53.1)	49 (51.0)
	CHQ-CF-GH4 score, mean (SD)	71.62 (18.49)	71.39 (17.87)	73.67 (17.78)
Method of allocation	School classes were the unit of randomisation at the individual level. A computer-generated list of random numbers was used to allocate school classes to one of the study arms. The randomization sequence was stratified with a 1:1:1 allocation using random block sizes of 3. This list was prepared by an investigator with no involvement in the trial and was applied by the researchers.			
Inclusion criteria	Not reported			
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Intervention	TIDieR Checklist criteria	Details		
	Brief Name	E-health4Uth		
	Rationale/theory/Goal	By completing E-health4Uth, adolescents will show a higher level of well-being and less risky behaviour at 4 months compared to control group. Adolescents in the E-health4Uth plus counselling will show a higher level of well-being and less risky behaviour at 4 months compared to control group. To gain more insight into the combined effect of E-health4Uth with a consultation, we assessed effects on well-being in the subgroup of adolescents' at risk of mental health problems at baseline, because only these adolescents were invited for a consultation with the nurse.		
	Materials used	Internet-based self-reporting questionnaire on their health behaviours and tailored messages on individuals' behaviours.		
	Procedures used	<i>E-health4Uth</i> During one classroom session (approximately 45 min), adolescents completed a self-report questionnaire via the Internet to assess health-risk behaviour and well-being with respect to the following topics: alcohol consumption, drug use, smoking, sexual behaviour, bullying, mental health status, suicidal thoughts, suicide attempts, and unpleasant sexual experiences. The questionnaire served as a baseline measurement and a basis to tailor the messages. The questionnaire was formed based on existing public health and health institutes instruments. Use of the instruments is backed by the National Institute for Public Health and Environment (RIVM), the Dutch association for residential and homecare organizations and infant and child		

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		<p>health clinics (Actiz), and the Association of Municipal Public Health Services in the Netherlands (GGD Nederland).</p> <p>After completing the questionnaire, the participants received messages of similar length for each topic covered, tailored by answers given in the questionnaire. Messages were developed by the Department of Health Promotion and Health Education of the University of Maastricht, specifically with adolescents in mind.</p> <p>For each topic, a score was computed which was compared with the Dutch health norms for adolescents. Based on this score, a message was immediately presented on the screen that reflected the person's current behaviour or well-being in relation to the Dutch health norm, and the adolescent was offered advice to change unhealthy behaviour and/or to talk to a person of trust. The messages were displayed in red, orange, or green, indicating unhealthy behaviour, behaviour just below the norm, or behaviour meeting the Dutch health norm, respectively. The topics on well-being were always displayed in blue.</p> <p>Adolescents were encouraged to read more information on the topics and were provided with relevant links and were invited to follow the e-health4Uth Facebook page. Adolescents could self-refer to the nurse or email the nurse. After 1 month, adolescents received a reminder of the tailored messages by email.</p> <p><i>e-Health4Uth and consultation interview</i> Participants in this group received the same intervention as the e-Health4Uth only group. Adolescents at risk of mental health problems as assessed by the nurse were invited for a consultation. Adolescents were classified as at risk of mental health problems when their score on the total problem scale of the Strengths and Difficulties Questionnaire (SDQ) was higher than 16, and/or their score on the SDQ for emotional problems was higher than 5, and/or they reported having suicidal thoughts occasionally or more frequently (or did not want to answer this question), and/or they reported a suicide attempt within the past year (or did not want to answer this question).</p>

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		<p>The consultation took place at school with nurses already working at the school, experienced in consultation with adolescents at approximately 13 years of age. Nurses were trained in motivational interview techniques for adolescents 15-16 years of age. They received the results of the assessment for each referred adolescent before the consultation. During the consultation, the nurses focused on specific risk areas and on mental health in particular. Furthermore, they either initiated a further consultation with themselves or referred adolescents to another professional if they deemed this necessary.</p> <p><i>Control</i> Completed the same questionnaire as the two intervention groups, except questions on unpleasant sexual experience and suicide, as these were used to tailor messages not as measurements. Adolescents received no messages after the questionnaire.</p>
	Provider	-
	Method of delivery	Internet, computer-based.
	Location	Schools, The Netherlands
	Duration	Questionnaire – 45 mins; Interview – not reported
	Intensity	One session with optional extra reading after completing intervention
	Tailoring/adaptation	Messages are tailored based on adolescents' responses
	Planned treatment fidelity	-
	Actual treatment fidelity	-
	Other details	-
Follow up	4 months	
Data collection	<p>Condom use was assessed on ordinal scales by how often the adolescent had used condoms during intercourse (never to always). This question was only present if it was applicable, i.e. the adolescent was sexually active.</p> <p>Health-related quality of life was measured by 4 items of the general health perceptions scale of the Child health Questionnaire-Child Form (CHQ-CF-GH4). One item is scored on a 5-point scale (1=excellent; 2=very good; 3=good; 4=moderate; 5=bad) and 3 items on a 5-point scale (1=true; 2=usually true; 3=do not know; 4=usually not true; 5=not true) A total score is calculated by weighing the scores and summing the weighed scores for all items (range 0-100).</p>	
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	Risk of bias arising from the randomisation process	Low risk	Randomisation present (by computer) No baseline differences were identified.
	Risk of bias due to deviations from intended interventions (assignment)	some concerns	Allocation assignment concealed. Per protocol analyses used.
	Risk of bias due to deviations from intended interventions (adherence)	Some concerns	Referrals from other arms where appropriate.
	Missing outcome data	High risk	High attrition rate overall.
	Risk of bias in measurement of the outcome	Some concerns	Self-reporting of the outcome (Subjective outcome assessment may be affected by knowledge of intervention received).
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Source of funding	ZonMw, The Netherlands Organization for Health Research and Development		
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Study name	The Men's Safer Sex Trial: A feasibility randomised controlled trial of an interactive digital intervention to increase condom use in men
Registration	Trial registration number: ISRCTN18649610
Study type	RCT
Study dates	28 July 2014 and 2 July 2015
Objective	To determine the feasibility of an online randomised controlled trial of the Men's Safer Sex website, measuring condom use and sexually transmitted infection.
Country/ Setting	UK
Number of participants / clusters	N=159 men 99 were assigned to the intervention and 77 to control group.
Attrition	Only 23 in the intervention and 34 in the control group responded to 3-month online questionnaire. High attrition rates
Participant /community	TABLE 1. Baseline characteristics

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characteristics.	Demographic characteristics	Intervention n=84	Control n=75
	Age, mean (SD)	29.3 (8.8)	29.5 (8.4)
	Employment status, n (%)		
	School/college/training	10 (11.9)	19 (25.3)
	Working	61 (72.6)	49 (65.3)
	Unemployed	11 (13.1)	5 (6.7)
Long- term or disabled	1 (1.2)	0 (0)	
Other	1 (1.2)	2 (2.7)	
Ethnicity			
White British/Irish/Other	60 (71.4)	50 (66.7)	
Method of allocation	Participants were randomly allocated 1:1 using an automated computer algorithm to either the intervention or control group. This allocation was unalterable.		
Inclusion criteria	Male ≥16 years old; able to read English; with access to the internet; and at high risk of future STI (i.e. two or more sexual partners in the past year and some non-condom use in the last 3 months; or symptoms of acute STI; or seeking treatment for an STI); and for whom at least half of their sexual partners are female.		
Exclusion criteria	HIV-positive men and men with hepatitis B or C were excluded, since patients with these diagnoses are likely to receive health promotion in the course of routine clinical care. Men who have had sexual experience only ever with males, predominately with males, or no sexual experience at all were also excluded.		
Intervention	TIDieR Checklist criteria	Details	
	Brief Name	The Men's Safer Sex	
	Rationale/theory/Goal	The website addresses men's barriers to condom use, particularly condom use skills, impact upon pleasure and judgement about potential risk of STI. Relevant BCTs included instruction on how to perform the behaviour and demonstration of the behaviour. The relevant BCT was problem solving. Relevant BCTs included the use of nonspecific incentive, restructuring the physical environment, instructions on how to perform the behaviour, behaviour substitution, information about health consequences, focus on past success, distraction, behavioural practice/rehearsal, anticipated regret, information	

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		about social and environmental consequences, and social incentive.
	Materials used	Content was developed using behaviour change techniques, and interactive website features provided feedback tailored for individual users.
	Procedures used	The content and design of the intervention was based on evidence from the sexual health literature, theories of behaviour change, qualitative interviews with men in sexual health clinics and discussions with clinical and academic experts in sexual health and digital technologies. The development process was iterative, with a high level of user involvement. The website content incorporates behaviour-change techniques, and provides tailored feedback for individual users to address their barriers to condom use.
	Provider	-
	Method of delivery	website
	Location	Recruitment was done in three UK sexual clinics.
	Duration	
	Intensity	
	Tailoring/adaptation	Tailored feedback for individual users to address their barriers to condom use
	Planned treatment fidelity	-
	Actual treatment fidelity	-
	Other details	-
Follow up	3, 6 & 12 months	
Data collection	<p>For sexual health outcomes, the Sexunzipped online sexual health questionnaire was used.</p> <p>The main sexual health outcome of interest was the number of episodes of condomless vaginal or anal sex with female partner/s over the previous 3 months, assessed at the 3-month follow-up. Participants were also asked to report the number of sexual partners over the last 3 months (both female and male).</p> <p>Participants were asked to report STI diagnoses over the past 3 months at every follow-up point. In order to assess laboratory diagnoses, all STI diagnoses recorded in sexual health clinic records over the 12-month study period (at the participating sites) were collected at the end of the study.</p> <p>Engagement of the intervention was also assessed. Customised Drupal™ web analytics software was used to record website usage (times the website was visited, pages visited).</p>	

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Critical outcomes measures and effect size. (time points)	TABLE 1. Condomless sex and STI diagnoses at baseline and follow-up.										
		Intervention (n=84)					Control (n=75)				
		Lower quartile	median	Upper quartile	Max	N	Lower quartile	median	Upper quartile	Max	N
Episodes of condomless vaginal or anal sex with a woman (in the past 3 months)											
Baseline	1	4	20	155	72	2	6	20	50	72	
3 months	2	10	40	100	23	3	12	30	100	34	
Self-reported STI in the last 3 months (online)											
Baseline	0	0	0	1	72	0	0	0	2	72	
3 months	0	0	0	1	22	0	0	0	1	34	
Table 2. Group comparisons for condomless sex and STI diagnoses											
		baseline		Follow-up							
		Control Median (n) Inter-quartile range	Intervention Median (n) Inter-quartile range	Control Median (n) Inter-quartile range	Intervention Median (n) Inter-quartile range	IRR	95% confidence interval	p-value	n		
Number of episodes of condomless sex with a woman (in 3 months, at 3-month follow-up)	6 (72)	4 (72)	12 (34)	10 (23)	1.0	(0.52,1.96)	0.975	55			
Number of STI diagnoses from clinic notes (over 1 year, at 12-month follow-up)	0 (69)	0 (80)	0 (69)	0 (80)	0.75	(0.29,1.90)	0.543	149			
New acute STI diagnoses were recorded for 8.8% (7/80) of men in the intervention group, and 13.0% (9/69) in the control group over the course of 12 months. There was no statistically significant difference between the groups (IRR 0.75; 95% CI 0.29 to 1.90).											

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control	9	60										
Important outcomes measures and effect size. (time points)	<p>Website usage</p> <p>Some 37% of participants in the intervention group visited the Men's Safer Sex website once (n=31/84), 26% more than once (n=22/84), and 37% did not see the website at all (n=31/84). Twenty-two (26%) participants returned to the website after leaving the clinic, with 59% of these participants logging into the website twice in total (n=13/22). The maximum number of return visits was eight. Participants visited a median number of 15 pages out of a total of 34 main topic or activity pages. Several factors hampered men's access to the intervention website: technical problems with clinic Wi-Fi stability, time taken with online research procedures (registration, consent, baseline outcome measurement), and being called in to appointments before accessing the intervention website.</p>											
Statistical Analysis	<p>The treatment effect at follow-up was estimated using generalised linear models with a loge link and Poisson error. The loge of the baseline values were included in each model as explanatory variables to account for baseline differences. Standard errors were estimated using variance components to account for over dispersion in the models. Incidence rate ratios (IRRs) comparing the control versus intervention groups were estimated from these models along with their 95% confidence intervals and p-values. Differences scores from pre- to posttest for anal sex index, casual partner were compared across groups using Student's t test and a difference was considered significant at p<.05.</p>											
Risk of bias (ROB)	Outcome name											
Overall ROB	Outcome	Judgement (Low / High / some concerns)	Comments									
	Risk of bias arising from the randomisation process	Low risk	Automated computer algorithm was used for randomisation.									
	Risk of bias due to deviations from intended interventions (assignment)	Low risk	Participants aware of assignment. Research staff and statistician blind. No deviations from assignment. Assigned by computer.									
	Risk of bias due to deviations from intended interventions (adherence)	Low risk	Participants adhered to regimen.									
	Missing outcome data	High risk – self-reported outcomes	High attrition rate for self-reported outcomes and no analyses to account for this.									

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		Low risk – biomedically verified outcomes	For biomedically reported outcomes, attrition and risk of bias is low. Data was retrieved from central laboratories that could provide outcomes for 93.7% of participants.
	Risk of bias in measurement of the outcome	Some concerns – self-reported outcomes Low risk – biomedically verified outcomes	Self-reporting outcomes Biomedically verified outcomes more reliable and therefore low risk.
	Risk of bias in selection of the reported result	Low risk	Registered protocol
	Other sources of bias		
	Overall Risk of Bias	High risk – self-reported outcomes; Low risk – biomedically verified outcomes	
	Other outcome details		
Source of funding	This work was supported by a Health Technology Assessment (HTA) grant from the National Institute for Health Research.		
Comments			
Additional references			
Behaviour change techniques (16 theoretical clusters)	Scheduled consequences		
	Reward and threat	x	
	Repetition and substitution		
	Antecedents	x	
	Associations	x	
	Covert Learning		
	Natural Consequences	x	
	Feedback and monitoring	x	
	Goals and planning	x	
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Bowen 2008

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Study name	Internet based HIV prevention research targeting rural MSM: feasibility, acceptability, and preliminary efficacy	
Registration	-	
Study type	pre and post test study	
Study dates	Not reported	
Objective	To examine the feasibility of a completely electronic research study where participants were recruited through banner ads, automatically randomized, informed of intervention procedures and completed multiple post-test questionnaires. To assess the retention of the program across multiple sessions. To assess module specific effects on skills model cognitions. To determine if the modules had a dose response effect on cognitive variables including self-efficacy and willingness to engage in risk reduction.	
Country/ Setting	USA	
Number of participants / clusters	425 427 completed pre-test	
Attrition	375 retained at post-test 1 (88.2%) 326 retained at post-test 2 (76.7%) 294 retained at post-test 3 (69.2%)	
Participant /community characteristics.	TABLE 1. Comparison of baseline characteristics and sex risk	
	Dropped out (n=131)	Completed (n =294)
Age (%)		
18-24	48.9	46.8
25-34	29	31.1
35-44	8.4	15.0
45-80	13.7	7.2
Sexual orientation		
Gay	86.3	84.4
Bisexual	13.7	15.3
Heterosexual	0	0.3
Ethnicity		
Non-hispanic white	80.2	77.2
Hispanic	9.9	8.8
Asian/API, African. Amer., Native. Amer., other	9.9	13.9
Work status		
Full time	53.1	55.7
Part time	20	17.9
Unemployed	26.9	26.5
Income		
<15000	42.7	36.7

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	15000-24999	21.4	25.9
	25000-49999	26	27.9
	>50000	9.9	9.5
Method of allocation			
Inclusion criteria	<p>≥18 years old</p> <p>Has sex with a man in the last 12 months</p> <p>Lived in a rural area (living in a town of 75,000 people or fewer and at least 60 min drive from an urban centre)</p>		
Exclusion criteria	Not reported		
Intervention	TIDieR Checklist criteria	Details	
	Brief Name	(Wyoming Rural AIDS Prevention Project) WRAPP	
	Rationale/theory/Goal	Participants completed 3 modules, one 2-16 days before each of the 3 post tests. It was hypothesized that there would be a significantly greater increase in knowledge and knowledge related self-efficacy (i.e., mechanical self-efficacy) after participation in the Knowledge modules than either of the other two modules (partner and contexts of risks).	
	Materials used	3 modules hosted on the website (http://www.wrapphome.net/)	
	Procedures used	<p>All 3 of the modules were included in the 6 study arms. In the different arms, the participants completed the modules in different orders (spaced over days/weeks). After every module, participants completed a post-test questionnaire.</p> <p><i>Knowledge module</i></p> <p>This module was developed as the information component of the IMB model. It is a scripted conversation between a HIV-positive gay man and a second man with a recent high-risk sexual experience. It deals with living with HIV and prevention. Dialogue is broken up with interactive activities. More information and external links are made available.</p> <p><i>Partner module</i></p> <p>This model is the motivational component of the IMB model. It contrasts life goals with short-term high-risk situations as a scripted discussion about new and casual sex partners between 4 virtual men and the participant. It focuses on participants' long-term life goals, excuses for having unsafe sex, and determining if life goals are consistent with unsafe sex. Participants choose approaches to insisting on condom use and rating willingness to try the approach in an interactive dialogue.</p>	

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	<p>Participants' red flags (e.g. loneliness) that may lead to unsafe sex are identified. An interactive dialogue focusing on safe sex is presented for each of the red flags identified.</p> <p><i>Context module</i> This module identifies specific risk reduction behaviours when looking for sex partners in bars and on the internet. A scripted discussion occurs between 4 virtual men and the participants, which suggests ways to improve safe sex. Participants identify red flags for safe sex and preferred approaches to safer sex. The module gives pros and cons of chat rooms and how to increase safety of face-to-face meetings.</p>		
	Provider	-	
	Method of delivery	Internet	
	Location	USA	
	Duration	10 (minimum) to 75 (maximum) days	
	Intensity	3 modules, each at least 48h apart	
	Tailoring/adaptation	Feedback depended on participant's input to the interactive dialogue.	
	Planned treatment fidelity	-	
	Actual treatment fidelity	-	
	Other details	-	
Follow up	10-75 days		
Data collection	<p>Questionnaires were filled out before completing the intervention (pre-test) and after completion of each intervention module (post-tests 1,2 & 3). Questionnaires were identical except demographic characteristics and behavioural histories were in the pre-test only. All questionnaires assessed participants' HIV/AIDS knowledge, cognitive precursors to risk reduction behaviours (i.e., self-efficacies, outcome expectancies, and willingness to change risk behaviours), and recent HIV sexual risk behaviours.</p> <p>Participants were evaluated on condom use expectancies by rating whether a statement reflected a belief about using condoms that was important on a 6-point Likert-type scale, "not important" to "very important".</p> <p>Actual condom use was assessed by asking "Of the (insert # anal sex partners) men you had anal sex with, how many did you use a condom with EVERY time?" The condom use index (CUI) was computed by dividing the number of partners with whom condom was used every time by the number of partners with whom the participant had anal sex.</p>		
Critical outcomes measures and effect size. (time points)	TABLE 1. Change of behaviour baseline to follow-up		
		Pre-test	Post-test 3
			MD (SD)
	Condom use/frequency	0.44 (0.46)	0.66 (0.44)
			+0.22 (0.45)

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Statistical Analysis	<p>All values are represented as proportion of times using condoms per instance of anal sex.</p> <p>There was no control group, so the results are combined for the 6 arms as before and after results. Men who did not have sex were not included. After results only included completers of post-test 3.</p> <p>Missing data was handled by entering the modal response for 4 drop out. One was recorded as “drop-out”.</p> <p>Demographic comparisons were conducted using a chi squared test (significant p <0.05).</p> <p>Participants who completed post-test 3 were considered completers, all others were drop-outs. Completers were divided into groups depending on number of partners reported in the 30 days prior to starting the project. Groups were 0, 1, 2 or more sex partners; this was done as HIV risk was lowest in the 0 and 1 group and condom use was likely to be different with a single partner than multiple partners.</p> <p>Condom use index was considered significant when p <0.01. Changes were examined using 3 mixed model ANOVAs with independent variables of time (repeated measures; pre-test to post-test 3) by number of sex partners (between subjects; 0, 1, or ≥2).</p>																						
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Carpenter 2010

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Registration	-
Study type	RCT

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Objective	To assess the effectiveness of single session internet-delivered multimedia safer sex intervention for young men who have sex with men (MSM) at 3-month follow-up.																																																		
Country/ Setting	USA																																																		
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	Any partner Positive/unknown partner	65.2 34.8
Method of allocation	Computerised randomisation algorithm using random number tables. Designed to produce a comparable racial and ethnic distribution between groups.	
Inclusion criteria	Men aged 18-39 years old HIV status negative or unknown Engaged in unprotected oral or anal sex in the past 3 months Access to windows-based computer with audio capabilities Internet access with Internet Explorer Willing to provide active email address Read and understood English Resided in US Not participated in another psychosocial HIV intervention study in past year	
Exclusion criteria	Not reported	
Intervention	TIDieR Checklist criteria	Details
	Brief Name	Hot and Safe M4M
	Rationale/theory/Goal	To reduce risk of HIV and other STIs by increasing knowledge of risk factors, providing skills training for safer behaviour, and increasing motivation for behaviour change. Individuals freedom to choose, personal responsibility and avoiding judgemental statements were emphasised.
	Materials used	A website allowed access to the intervention. Participants could complete the intervention over a number of sessions by saving their progress.
	Procedures used	<i>Intervention</i> An interactive assessment of HIV risk factors offering targeted feedback based on responses. Readiness to change was assessed and risky behaviours accompanied by interactive stage-based motivational exercises (decisional balance and goal setting). Communication skills included sexual rights, differences in communication styles and sexual safety contracts. Information on correct condom use was followed by true/false quiz about condom myths. Triggers for risky behaviour and alternatives for unsafe sex were presented through problem-solving exercises and audio narratives. Participants tested their HIV risk knowledge and learn more about HIV through a quiz-like game. Additional themes included interaction of HIV risk and experiencing depression, trauma, childhood sexual abuse, intimate partner violence, or racism. <i>Control</i>

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	Provider	-				
	Method of delivery	Website				
	Location	USA				
	Duration	1.5-2h				
	Intensity	1 module, can be split into multiple sessions if desired.				
	Tailoring/adaptation	Goal setting and decisional balance exercise tailored depending on type of risky sexual behaviour reported by participants.				
	Planned treatment fidelity	-				
	Actual treatment fidelity	-				
	Other details	-				
Follow up	3 months					
Data collection	For each activity, participants reported the total number of times they had sex and the number of times without a condom in the preceding 90 days. At follow-up, participants rated (on Likert scales ranging from 1 strongly disagree to 5 strongly agree) to what extent they agreed that the intervention was easy to use, attractive, and enjoyable.					
Critical outcomes measures and effect size. (time points)	TABLE 1. Change of behaviour baseline to follow-up					
	Intervention (N=59)			Control (N=53)		
Unprotected sex acts (positive serostatus; UAI only), mean (SD)	Baseline	FU	MD	Baseline	FU	MD
	2.3 (5.2)	0.3 (0.9)	-2 (4.81)	1.5 (4.5)	0.8 (1.9)	-0.7 (3.91)
Unprotected sex acts (any serostatus; UAI only), mean (SD)	Baseline	FU	MD	Baseline	FU	MD
	6.2 (11.5)	4.1 (10.6)	-2.1 (10.68)	10.5 (15.5)	6.3 (13.4)	-4.2 (14.56)
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Important outcomes measures and effect size. (time points)		Intervention	
	Ease of use, mean (SD)	4.6 (0.6)	
	Attractiveness	4.2 (0.7)	
	Enjoyability	4.0 (0.8)	
Statistical Analysis	<p>Preliminary analyses were conducted to determine whether there were any baseline demographic differences between men who completed the follow-up assessment and those who did not and, among completers, between those randomly assigned to the control group and those assigned to the intervention group.</p> <p>In evaluating the effects of the intervention, sexual practices were examined by the number of unprotected acts by type of act. These analyses were conducted for acts reported with all partners, regardless of their reported serostatus, and again for acts reported with partners of positive or unknown serostatus (i.e., excluding partners reportedly known to be seronegative). Raw numbers of unprotected acts were highly skewed. Extreme values three or more standard deviations above the mean were dropped, and the data were log transformed for analysis using multivariate analysis of variance (MANOVA) with repeated measures. The between-subjects variable was experimental condition. The within-subjects variable was time (baseline vs. follow-up). The dependent variables were unprotected anal intercourse in general (UAI), unprotected receptive anal intercourse (URAI), unprotected insertive anal intercourse (UIAI), unprotected receptive oral intercourse (UROI), and unprotected insertive oral intercourse (UIOI).</p> <p>Variables pertaining to satisfaction with the intervention were examined using independent-groups t-tests.</p>		
Risk of bias (ROB) Overall ROB	Outcome name		
	Outcome	Judgement (Low / High / some concerns)	Comments
	Risk of bias arising from the randomisation process	Low risk	Randomisation present (by computer) No baseline differences were identified.
	Risk of bias due to deviations from intended interventions (assignment)	Some concerns	Participants not aware of allocation. Unclear if intention to treat used
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Study dates	September 2010 and June 2011																												
Objective	To assess the effect of an Internet-based interventions on condomless sex among men who have sex with men																												
Country/ Setting	China																												
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Inclusion criteria	The eligibility of target participants of this study was Internet users who were male, aged 18 years old or above, had been engaged in sexual intercourse with other men six months prior to the study, and agreed to use the same account for the next six months.																												
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	Procedures used	<p>The intervention engaged participants in real scenarios.</p> <p>Part 1: included interactive dialogue box After that, a contextualized option popped-up and asked for participants to make a decision. In the end, participants were told what happened in the story, and what decision had been made by those in the story and other participants. There were five scenarios, which included having unprotected anal intercourse with an intimate partner, encountering a sex partner in the pub, having sex with a commercial sex partner, experiencing a broken condom during intercourse, and taking an HIV test.</p> <p>Part II: HIV information dissemination (health messenger)</p> <p>Three themes of HIV information were elaborated upon and tailored for MSM and made visually appealing as well as MSM friendly. One theme was sent each week after part 1. Theme I, named “know more & love yourself more”, delivered basic knowledge of HIV/AIDS and risky contact for HIV transmission. Theme II, named “risky domino, which one is you?”, released the latest local HIV epidemic data among MSM to draw attention to risk awareness. Theme III, named “love faithfully & bottom safety”, clarified the misconceptions of sex behaviors, especially in intimate relationships.</p> <p>Participants were presented real-life scenarios to increase HIV risk perceptions and shared peers’ view to generate community norms awareness</p> <p>The control group received none of the prescribed intervention measures. Both groups were provided the standard HIV referral service, which was to recommend participants take an HIV test at a local clinic.</p>
	Provider	
	Method of delivery	Via website
	Location	online
	Duration	
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	Tailoring/adaptation	Three themes of HIV information were elaborated upon and tailored for MSM	
	Planned treatment fidelity	-	
	Actual treatment fidelity	-	
	Other details	-	
Follow up	3 months		
Data collection	The primary outcome of this trial was self-reported condomless anal sex with another male in the past three months.		
Critical outcomes measures and effect size. (time points)	<p>Table 2 Efficacy of the online intervention in reducing condomless anal sex among Chinese MSM, 2011 (n = 1,100)</p> <p>Using multiple imputations intention-to-treat, the estimated risk difference was 8.9% (95%CI: 1.2, 16.6%).</p> <p>Risk ratio: 1.234 (95% CI:0.7050 to 0.9308)</p>		
Important outcomes measures and effect size. (time points)	As above		
Statistical Analysis	Demographics and HIV-related behaviors were compared for participants who responded to the post-survey and those who did not. The primary analysis includes only individuals who responded to the post-survey, i.e., a completed record analysis. Intention-to-treat (ITT) with multiple imputations, which was used to impute the missing responses at post-survey, was used as a sensitivity analysis. Statistical analysis was performed using IBM SPSS Statistic Software for Windows Version 18 (SPSS Inc., Chicago, USA) and P < 0.05 was considered to be statistically significant.		
Risk of bias (ROB) Overall ROB	Outcome name		
	Outcome	Judgement (Low / High / some concerns)	Comments
	Risk of bias arising from the randomisation process	Low risk	A preset computer randomisation algorithm was used to assign the
	Risk of bias due to deviations from intended interventions (assignment)	Low risk	Non- blinded study. No deviations from assignment.
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Study name	Interactive video behavioral intervention to reduce adolescent females' STD risk: a randomized controlled trial
Registration	-
Study type	RCT
Study dates	Not reported.
Objective	To assess an interactive video intervention aimed at increasing young women's ability to make less risky sexual health decisions.

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Study name	Interactive video behavioral intervention to reduce adolescent females' STD risk: a randomized controlled trial	
Country/ Setting	USA	
Number of participants / clusters	N=300	
Attrition	14%	
Participant /community characteristics.	TABLE 1. Comparison of baseline characteristics and sex risk	
		All participants (n=300)
	Sexual history Abstinent for 3 months	7.7%
	Condom use (mean, scale 1-6)	4.26
	STD diagnosis past 3 months (%)	25.6
Method of allocation	Randomisation was done via random numbers table. Allocation method not disclosed.	
Inclusion criteria	Females aged 14-18 Heterosexual vaginal sexual activity in the previous 6 months Parental consent for those under 18	
Exclusion criteria	Not reported.	
Intervention	TIDieR Checklist criteria	Details
	Brief Name	-
	Rationale/theory/Goal	Three arms were included in the study. An interactive video intervention, a content-matched control offering the same content in a book, and a topic-matched control using commercially available brochures. The hypothesis stated that the interactive video intervention would improve sexual health outcomes more than the same content provided in a book.
	Materials used	Interactive video (intervention only) 127-page book (content-matched control only) 23 brochures (topic-matched control only)
	Procedures used	<i>Interactive video</i> Videos focus on two sexual situations – one character has a boyfriend and one meets someone at a party. The video offers choice points in the situations including options that could lead toward or away from unsafe sex. A third character learns from her older sister about condoms. This character also learns about reproductive health, STD testing and symptoms, and eight key diseases. Condom use is

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	Provider	-
	Method of delivery	Video/computer
	Location	-
	Duration	1-2h
	Intensity	1 session, but participants could do the intervention over a few sessions if they wanted.
	Tailoring/adaptation	Possibly, the video offers “choice points” but does not say if or what changes depending on the answer given.
	Planned treatment fidelity	-
	Actual treatment fidelity	

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	Other details	-														
Follow up	1, 3 & 6 months															
Data collection	<p><i>Self-reported behaviour</i></p> <p>Sexual behaviour reported in previous 3 months: how often they used condoms rated from “never” to “every time with every partner” on a 6-point scale</p> <p><i>STD acquisition</i></p> <p>Self-reported diagnoses of chlamydia, crabs, genital herpes, genital warts, gonorrhoea, hepatitis B, HIV, syphilis, or trichomoniasis in the past 3 months (only reported for final visit).</p> <p>Ct was measured clinically by Roche Ct PCR assay, via a self-administered introital swabs by the research group.</p>															
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Country/ Setting	USA Hospitals and clinics																																																	
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	HIV viral load, n (%)		
	Undetectable	111 (46)	102 (44)
	≤10,000 copies	45 (19)	55 (24)
	10,001-50,000 copies	27 (11)	25 (11)
	>50,000 copies	14 (6)	14 (6)
	Don't know	43 (18)	35 (15)
	Unprotected sex, n (%)		
	With main partner	99 (41)	90 (39)
	With casual partner	74 (31)	84 (36)
Method of allocation	Randomisation was done by the computer after participants completed the risk assessment. Allocation was done by the computer and independently of researchers.		
Inclusion criteria	≥18 years old HIV-positive for ≥3 months		
Exclusion criteria	No risky behaviour relating to drugs, sex, or alcohol in the past month		
Intervention	TIDieR Checklist criteria	Details	
	Brief Name	Positive choice	
	Rationale/theory/Goal	Interactive risk-reduction messages based on principles of motivational interviewing delivered by an actor-portrayed video doctor would reduce risky drug and sexual behaviours in HIV-positive patients. A computer program cannot replace a skilled counsellor but may increase fidelity to some principles of motivational interviewing.	
	Materials used	Computer program	
	Procedures used	<p>A Video Doctor simulated an interactive discussion and counselling session with the patient. The Video Doctor was empathetic, non-judgemental, consistent and did not hesitate when responding to the patient.</p> <p>Using a library of digital video clips, extensive branching logic, and participant input, the program tailored the video clips to the participant's gender, risk profile, and readiness to change.</p> <p>At the conclusion of each session, the program printed 2 documents: 1) an “Educational Worksheet” for participants with questions for self-reflection, harm reduction tips, and local resources a “Cueing Sheet” for providers, which offered an at-a glance summary of the patient's risk profile and readiness to change, and suggested risk-reduction counselling statements.</p>	

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		A booster session was given at 3 months, which allowed reflection and updates to the Cueing Sheets and Educational Worksheets.					
		The control group received only usual care after completing the risk assessment.					
	Provider	-					
	Method of delivery	Computer					
	Location	Clinic					
	Duration	24 minutes (mean)					
	Intensity	1 session with booster session at 3 months					
	Tailoring/adaptation	Yes, responses from the Video Doctor depended on answers from the participants					
	Planned treatment fidelity	-					
	Actual treatment fidelity						
	Other details	-					
Follow up	3- and 6-month follow-up data						
Data collection	<p>The Positive Choice risky behaviour questionnaire was completed on a laptop at baseline and at each of the follow-ups. All baseline and follow-up risk assessments were done approximately 1 hour prior to a regularly scheduled medical appointment, allowing participants ample time to complete the computer session before the scheduled medical appointment. Positive Choice was integrated into the flow of each clinic.</p> <p>Sexual risk was defined as anal or vaginal intercourse without a condom; the program did not inquire about oral sex. Participants were asked for the total number of sex partners in the last 3 months, then asked to report condom use as a numeric percentage, from 0% (never used) to 100% (consistently used), with a main partner and/or up to 5 casual partners in the previous 3 months. Sexual risk was operationalized as a dichotomous variable (100% condom use versus ,100%) with main and/or casual partners, yielding a conservative definition of sexual risk.</p>						
Critical outcomes measures and effect size. (time points)	TABLE 1. Risky sexual behaviour at 3 months and 6 months						
		Intervention (n=240)			Control (n=231)		
		Baseline	3- months	6- months	Baseline	3- months	6- months
	Any unprotected sex previous 3 months, n/N (%)	Main: 99 (41) Casual: 74 (31)	104/143 (73)	88/143 (62)	Main: 90 (39) Casual: 84 (36)	117/141 (83)	108/141 (77)
	Absolute percentage change in condom use with	-	+0.3 (0.5) n=75	+0.4 (0.5)	-	+0.2 (0.4) n=73	+0.2 (0.5) n=77

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	Risk of bias arising from the randomisation process	Low risk	Computer-generated randomisation. Computer-delivered allocation.
	Risk of bias due to deviations from intended interventions (assignment)	Some concerns	No deviations from assignment. Assigned by computer. Some outcomes reported per protocol.
	Risk of bias due to deviations from intended interventions (adherence)	Low risk	Participants adhered to regimen. Intention to treat analysis.
	Missing outcome data	Some concerns	High attrition rate overall. Intention to treat analyses used but nothing further
	Risk of bias in measurement of the outcome	Some concerns	Self-reporting of the outcome (Subjective outcome assessment may be affected by knowledge of intervention received).
	Risk of bias in selection of the reported result	Low risk	Outcomes do not deviate from registered protocol.
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Study name	A 15-Minute Interactive, Computerized Condom Use Intervention With Biological Endpoints	
Registration		
Study type	RCT	
Study dates	Data were collected from 2002 to 2005.	
Objective	To evaluate the efficacy of a 15-minute theory-based behavioural intervention designed to increase condom use and reduce new cases of Neisseria gonorrhoeae and Chlamydia trachomatis.	
Country/ Setting	UK	
Number of participants / clusters	430 participants; intervention (n=203) and control (n=227).	
Attrition	Of the 450 eligible men and women participants, 430 (96%) agreed to participate, completed the baseline assessment, and were randomized to study condition. At 6 months, a total of 158 (78%) of participants allocated to the intervention group returned; whereas, 132 (58%) of those allocated to the comparison condition returned to the clinic (75% vs. 58%, P = 0.02)	
Participant /community characteristics.	TABLE 1. Intervention and Comparison Conditions at Enrolment	
	Intervention (n =203) No. (%)	Control (n =227) No. (%)
Age, (mean yr ± SD)	24.74 ± 5.7	25.14 ±5.9
Gender (%female)	121 (59.8)	123 (54.2)
Race African American	183 (90.4)	199 (87.7)
Condom used last sexual encounter		
No	136 (67.0)	148 (65.0)
100% condom use	29 (14.0)	44 (19.0)

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	<p>The proportion of participants randomized to the intervention group who reported 100% condom use in the preceding 2 months was 14% (29/203); 19% (44/227) of participants assigned to the comparison group reported 100% condom use during the same time period. Table 1 shows that no significant differences in the combined gonorrhea and/or chlamydia rates were detected across the 2 groups at baseline (intervention: 25% (51/203) vs. comparison: 23% (52/227); P =0.29).</p>							
Method of allocation	Participants were randomly assigned via the computer (using the “random path” function within the Authorware interaction icon) to the intervention or the comparison group stratified by gender and their baseline stage of change (motivational readiness) for using condoms consistently (100%) with their main partners.							
Inclusion criteria	Eligibility criteria included: age 18 to 44; no plans to move out of the area in the next 6 months; provision of written informed consent; and voluntarily seeking an STD evaluation							
Exclusion criteria	Not reported							
Intervention	TIDieR Checklist criteria	Details						
	Brief Name	SOLUTIONS						
	Rationale/theory/Goal	<p>The intervention was based on the framework of the transtheoretical model (TTM; also known as the “stages-of change” model).</p> <p>Other constructs from the model (decisional balance, self-efficacy, and the processes of change) have been described were utilized in the development of this stage-based interventions.</p>						
	Materials used	After providing written informed consent, participants were presented with brief, automated, interactive instructions on how to use the pointing device (mouse) to select response options on the assessment.						
	Procedures used	<p>The intervention was delivered via an audio, multimedia, computerized application that provided individualized interventions to patients based on their responses to assessment items.</p> <p>Using Macromedia Authorware software (Version 7.1) authoring environment, SOLUTIONS was programmed to deliver automated, individualized patient feedback in a systematic and standardized manner. The intervention application permits the inclusion of graphics,</p>						

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		<p>photographs, and multimedia to help reinforce particular topics, messages, or intervention strategies. Sound Forge audio editing package was used to create high quality audio.</p> <p>The behavioral intervention, SOLUTIONS, was delivered through a computerized multimedia interactive application. The system is programmed to assess risks behaviors, generates brief, tailored counseling messages selected as a result of preprogrammed theory-based decision rules and/or algorithms. Intervention messages simultaneously appeared on the computer screen and are heard by users through headphones to protect privacy and limit literacy concerns.</p> <p>Participants randomized to the comparison group (n =227) interacted with a computer-based (MHRA) multiple health risk assessment with no intervention.</p>
	Provider	-
	Method of delivery	The intervention was delivered via a standard, personal computer.
	Location	
	Duration	15 minutes
	Intensity	
	Tailoring/adaptation	Tailored counselling messages according to patients' specific needs.
	Planned treatment fidelity	-
	Actual treatment fidelity	-
	Other details	-
Follow up	6 months follow up	
Data collection	<p>The primary outcome was specified as 100% condom use with a main partner. A secondary outcome was the prevalence of new STDs (CT and/or GC) at the 6-month follow-up.</p> <p>Participants randomized to the intervention group completed a brief behavioral assessment regarding (1) basic demographic characteristics (age, gender, race/ethnicity, highest grade completed in school, marital status, etc.); (2) sexual risk behaviors (condom use with main partner, condom use at last sexual encounter, age of sexual initiation, history of STDs, and (3) number of partners (lifetime and in the past year).</p> <p>At enrollment, specimens for culture were organism-specific tests for gonococcal and chlamydial infection collected in the context of routine STD clinical care. Test results for gonorrhoea and chlamydia at baseline were obtained through electronic chart reviews for participants in the intervention and the comparison group.</p>	

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	After completing the 6-month follow-up assessment, non-invasive urine samples (ligase chain reaction; LCR) were collected by the SOLUTIONS' staff and transported to the UAB STD Research Laboratory for testing in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions. A single urine sample was used to evaluate both infections.						
Critical outcomes measures and effect size. (time points)	TABLE 2. Effect of the SOLUTION Intervention on Self-Report Condom Use at 6-Months						
	baseline			6 months			
	intervention	control	p	intervention	control	p	
	Consistent condom use	14% (29/203)	19% (44/227)	0.22	32% (65/203)	23% (52/227)	0.03
Important outcomes measures and effect size. (time points)	TABLE 3. Gonorrhoea and Chlamydial Infection Rates at 6- Months						
	baseline			6 months			
	intervention	control	p	intervention	control	p	
	STD rates	25% (51/203)	23% (52/227)	0.22	6% (12/203)	13% (30/227)	0.04
Statistical Analysis	Analysis of covariance (ANCOVA) was used to test hypotheses about the effects of treatment on condom use information, motivation, behavioral skills, and behaviour.						
	Comparisons across conditions at baseline were performed using chi-square or Fisher exact test (2-tailed). At both baseline and follow-up, chlamydia and gonorrhoea infection rates were combined. A logistic regression analysis was conducted to predict STD infection at the 6-month assessment with the selected baseline characteristics of the sample and baseline condition (intervention or comparison) as predictors.						
Risk of bias (ROB) Overall ROB	Outcome name						
	Outcome	Judgement (Low / High / some concerns)		Comments			
	Risk of bias arising from the randomisation process	Low risk		Randomisation present (by computer) No baseline differences were identified.			
	Risk of bias due to deviations from intended interventions (assignment)	Some concerns		No information for blinding.			
	Risk of bias due to deviations from intended interventions (adherence)	Low risk		Not applicable			

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	Missing outcome data	High risk	Also, attrition was 20% higher in the comparison group than the intervention group. An intent-to-treat analysis was not conducted.
	Risk of bias in measurement of the outcome	Some concerns	Self-reporting of the outcome (Subjective outcome assessment may be affected by knowledge of intervention received).
	Risk of bias in selection of the reported result	Low risk	Data does not appear to be reported based on results.
	Other sources of bias		
	Overall Risk of Bias	High risk	
	Other outcome details		
Source of funding			
Comments	<p>Only 2 STDs as biologic outcomes, chlamydia and gonorrhoea were tested. Also, the study focused on a relatively small patient sample and only those reporting a main partner.</p> <p>Another limitation is that 2 different STD testing methods were used. At baseline, the conventional culture was used; whereas, at follow-up a more sensitive, nonculture method was used (i.e., LCR). Thus, there is the potential that some infections were missed at baseline.</p>		
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Kiene 2006

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Study name	A Brief Individualized Computer-Delivered Sexual Risk Reduction Intervention Increases HIV/AIDS Preventive Behavior	
Registration		
Study type	RCT	
Study dates		
Objective	To assess whether a computer-delivered individually tailored intervention produces significant changes in predictors of safer sex behavior and in preventive behavior based on follow-up evaluation.	
Country/ Setting	USA (Connecticut)	
Number of participants / clusters	157 college students	
Attrition	Of the 157 participants who completed the baseline measure and first intervention session, 152 (97%; 109 exp., 43 control) returned for the second session and 149 (95%; 107 exp., 42 control) returned for the four-week follow-up assessment. There was no difference in attrition by treatment condition.	
Participant /community characteristics.	Participants averaged 18.86 years of age (SD = 2.30), 112 (71%) were female, and 45 were male. They were almost all heterosexual (98%), and all unmarried. 81% were Caucasian.	
Method of allocation	A software random number function assigned participants to condition	
Inclusion criteria	Undergraduates were recruited from the University of Connecticut Psychology Department participant pool and received course credit for participating	
Exclusion criteria	Not reported.	
Intervention	TIDieR Checklist criteria	Details
	Brief Name	-
	Rationale/theory/Goal	The intervention content and delivery were based on the Information-Motivation- Behavioral Skills Model of Health Behavior Change and used Motivational Interviewing techniques.
	Materials used	The intervention was designed using an innovative tailoring strategy involving stage-matched personal goal setting and content to address deficits in information, motivation, or behavioral skills. The experimental intervention content consisted of two components. The first component consisted of condom use information, motivation, and behavioral skills-related content. The second consisted of a goal-setting exercise using Motivational Interviewing techniques (MI)
	Procedures used	During Session 1, participants completed the baseline assessment and received 15–40 minutes of intervention content. Two weeks later (48 hours) participants returned for the second primarily

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<p>Study name</p>	<p>A Brief Individualized Computer-Delivered Sexual Risk Reduction Intervention Increases HIV/AIDS Preventive Behavior</p>	
		<p>motivational intervention session lasting 10–20 minutes.</p> <p>Intervention Session 1 began with the computer-delivered individually tailored delivery of the condom use information, motivation, and behavioral skills content.</p> <p>The <i>information</i> content consisted of information presented on the computer screen about the effectiveness of condoms, correct usage, common problems and solutions, where to buy or obtain free condoms, and ways to keep condoms handy. Finally, participants completed a quiz on the material they just read and were given feedback from the program about their answers.</p> <p>The <i>motivation</i> content consisted of a narrative presented on the computer screen with lists of the advantages of using condoms, of planning to use condoms, of communicating with a sexual partner about condoms, and the norms about college students' use of condoms, followed by an activity asking participants to pick the most important advantage and type in an explanation of why they picked that advantage.</p> <p>The <i>behavioral skills</i> content consisted of computer-based or computer-directed experiential activities designed to increase participants' skills at condom use negotiation and use including practicing correctly putting a condom on a penis model and a gender-specific condom use communication and negotiation activity.</p> <p>Session 1 concluded with an MI-based goal-setting exercise. Participants were presented with a stage-matched menu of goals and asked to pick one they would want to work on over the next two weeks.</p> <p>Two weeks after Session 2, participants returned to complete the follow-up assessment. Session 2 consisted of an extended version of the MI based goal-setting exercise that occurred in Session 1. The program queried participants about their progress toward the Session 1 goal and praised their effort. participants who did not achieve their goal were asked about barriers they had encountered and ways to overcome those barriers. Participants were then given the choice of keeping the same goal or setting a new goal to work on in the next two weeks. Participants who had achieved their goal engaged in a “discussion” with the program (i.e., typed entries) about the barriers they may face in maintaining the goal in the future and how they plan</p>

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	Provider	-												
	Method of delivery	computer												
	Location													
	Duration	-												
	Intensity	-												
	Tailoring/adaptation	Tailoring of the first component was based on baseline measures of condom use information, motivation, and behavioural skills (IMB).												
	Planned treatment fidelity	-												
	Actual treatment fidelity	-												
	Other details	-												
Follow up	1 month follow up													
Data collection	<p>Frequency of condom use and keeping condoms some place nearby where they were easily available (“keeping condoms handy”) during the past 30 days were each assessed with a single item with responses ranging from 1 (never) to 5 (always). A single item assessed how frequently participants had tried to persuade or convince a partner to use a condom during the past 30 days; responses 1 (never) to 3 (always).</p> <p>Lifetime and past 30-days sexual activity and current relationship status were also assessed.</p>													
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Important outcomes measures and effect size. (time points)	AS above		
Statistical Analysis	Analysis of covariance (ANCOVA) was used to test hypotheses about the effects of treatment on condom use information, motivation, behavioral skills, and behavior.		
Risk of bias (ROB) Overall ROB	Outcome name		
	Outcome	Judgement (Low / High / some concerns)	Comments
	Risk of bias arising from the randomisation process	Low risk	Randomisation present (by computer) No baseline imbalances with respect to any demographic or outcome variables.
	Risk of bias due to deviations from intended interventions (assignment)	Some concerns	No information for blinding.
	Risk of bias due to deviations from intended interventions (adherence)	Low risk	Not applicable
	Missing outcome data	Low risk	95% of the participants returned for the 1 month follow up assessment. There was no difference in attrition by treatment condition.
	Risk of bias in measurement of the outcome	Some concerns	Self-reporting of the outcome which (Subjective outcome assessment may be affected by knowledge of intervention received).
	Risk of bias in selection of the reported result	Low risk	Data does not appear to be reported based on results.
	Other sources of bias		
	Overall Risk of Bias	Some concerns	
	Other outcome details		
Source of funding			
Comments	<p>A limitation of the present study is that the follow-up interval was short—30 days after the initial session—therefore, it is unknown if the detected changes due to the intervention were maintained over a longer period.</p> <p>A continuous measure of sexual risk behavior was used (i.e., a Likert scale assessing the self-reported proportion of protected sexual encounters); new data by other researchers suggest that an event-level measurement model may be more sensitive.</p>		

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Klein 2017

Bibliographic reference/s	Klein Ch, Kuhn T, Altamirano M, Lomonaco C. C-SAFE: A Computer-Delivered Sexual Health Promotion Program for Latinas. 2017 Jul 18(4):516-525.	
Study name	C-SAFE: A Computer-Delivered Sexual Health Promotion Program for Latinas	
Registration	-	
Study type	RCT	
Study dates		
Objective	To assess the efficacy of C-SAFE, an updated computer-/tablet-based version of a face-to-face intervention designed to promote abstinence, mutual monogamy, correct and consistent condom use, full compliance with STI treatment protocol and reduction in number of sexual partners.	
Country/ Setting	USA Family health clinic	
Number of participants / clusters	N=321 164 were assigned to C-SAFE 157 were assigned to the control condition	
Attrition	278 completed the 6-month follow-up assessment, an attrition rate of 14% in the intervention group and 12.7% in the control group.	
Participant /community characteristics.	TABLE 1. Baseline characteristics	

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		All participants (n=321)
	Age, mean (SD)	27.15 (4.525)
	Gender, %female	23
	Ethnicity, n (%)	
	Marital status (%)	
	Single	37.3
	Long-term partner	31.3
	Boyfriend	19.8
	Employment status (%)	
	Full-time	24.1
	Part-time	25.3
	Income levels (%)	
	<\$6,000	15.2
	\$6,000-\$12,000	10.9
	\$12,001-\$17,000	16.3
	\$17,000-\$23,000	19.1
	\$23,000-\$45,000	12.8
	>\$45,000	
	Sexual habits (%)	
	Current male partner	74.2
	Only one male partner	67.3
	Always uses condom	35
	Ever had STI	23.7
	Current STI	6.6
	Condom use	
	Always	35
		23.7
Method of allocation	Randomisation was done by the computer after participants completed the risk assessment. Allocation was done by the computer and independently of researchers.	
Inclusion criteria	Seeking sexual health services 18-34-year-old female Identified as Latina	
Exclusion criteria	Not reported.	
Intervention	TIDieR Checklist criteria	Details
	Brief Name	C-SAFE
	Rationale/theory/Goal	To promote monogamy, safe sex and continued engagement with sexual health clinics. This would result in less unprotected sex, fewer new STIs, more monogamous relationships, fewer sexual partners, positive changes in psychosocial variables associated

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		with positive sexual behaviours and increased compliance with STI treatment protocols.			
	Materials used	Visual presentations, interactive components, games and telenovela-style videos.			
	Procedures used	<p><i>Intervention</i></p> <p>The C-SAFE application condenses a 9- to 12-hour-long, group-level intervention into a 2-hour-long program and follows the same trajectory of the face-to-face intervention, with the first session focusing on HIV/STI epidemiology and transmission and the second on sexual communication and condom use self-efficacy with partners. Each session combines audio narration in accessible language (including slang), visual presentations, interactive components (e.g., drop and drag, list creation, scroll-over pop-ups), several games (e.g., loteria card matching, show your salsa steps), and a series of telenovela-style videos. Participants may also stop at any point, resume where they left off, and if they desire, repeat already completed activities.</p> <p><i>Control</i></p> <p>Control condition participants received the clinic's standard of care plus printed brochures providing information on sexual health, partner communication, condom use, and STIs, and intervention condition participants used the C-SAFE intervention in one sitting.</p>			
	Provider	-			
	Method of delivery	Computer program			
	Location				
	Duration	2h			
	Intensity	2 sessions			
	Tailoring/adaptation	No			
	Planned treatment fidelity	-			
	Actual treatment fidelity				
	Other details	-			
Follow up	6 months				
Data collection					
Critical outcomes measures and effect size. (time points)	TABLE 1. Risky sexual behaviour at baseline and 6 months				
	Intervention (n=164)		Control (n=157)		Odds ratio (95% CI; p value)
	Baseline	6-months	Baseline	6-months	

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	Condom use at last sexual encounter (%)	-	42.6	-	48.8	0.778 (0.34, 1.76) p=0.546
	Currently have an STI (%)	6.6*	6.71	6.6*	2.55	6.235 (0.39, 39.64), P=0.052
	Baseline outcome equivalent to “condom use at last sexual encounter” is “always uses condom”.					
	*value pooled at baseline, so this is the % for the whole cohort.					
	Table 2. Usability and individuals’ views with intervention					
		Intervention	Control	p value		
	How well was the information was presented, mean	4.45	4.25	0.053		
	How clearly were the topics presented, mean	4.56	4.27	0.002		
	Overall, would you say you learned something new today, (%)	95.1	79.3	<0.001		
	How would you rate the content in terms of usefulness to Latinas, mean	4.50	4.31	0.058		
	All factors rated on a scale from 1 (poor) to 5 (excellent).					
Important outcomes measures and effect size. (time points)						
Statistical Analysis	Baseline differences between groups was assessed using t tests and chi-square tests, as appropriate. For condoms at last time sex, a logistic regression model was constructed and calculated adjusted odds ratios, 95% CIs, and corresponding p values. Analyses were made using SPSS Statistics 23.					
Risk of bias (ROB)	Outcome name					
Overall ROB	Outcome	Judgement (Low / High / some concerns)		Comments		
	Risk of bias arising from the randomisation process	Some concerns		Unclear how randomisation occurred or if/how allocation was concealed.		
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	Risk of bias due to deviations from intended interventions (adherence)	Low risk	Participants adhered to assignment
	Missing outcome data	Low risk	Moderate attrition rate, attrition not dependent on true value
	Risk of bias in measurement of the outcome	Some concerns	Self-reporting outcomes
	Risk of bias in selection of the reported result	Some concerns	No registered protocol
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Number of participants / clusters	N=218 67 were assigned to tailored intervention, 81 assigned to non-tailored intervention and 70 assigned to control group.																																																		
Attrition	<p>In tailored intervention group, 11 were lost after assignment because they had no sexual risk or a relationship longer than 6 months. A further 26 were lost at follow-up because relationship ended, no sex, no sexual history. 37 were included in final analyses.</p> <p>In the non-tailored intervention, 16 were lost after assignment because they had no sexual risk or a relationship longer than 6 months. 32 were lost at follow-up because relationship ended, no sex, no sexual history. 45 were included in final analyses.</p> <p>In the control group, 20 were lost after assignment because they had no sexual risk or a relationship longer than 6 months. 23 were lost at follow-up because relationship ended, no sex, no sexual history. 33 were included in final analyses.</p>																																																		
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	Relationship duration < 6 months Dutch Having access to email	
Exclusion criteria	None.	
Intervention	TIDieR Checklist criteria	Details
	Brief Name	-
	Rationale/theory/Goal	
	Materials used	Computer, interactive question-and-answer format with a virtual consultant
	Procedures used	<p>The program guided the participant linearly through the questions, when one question was answered another appeared. This was meant to appear as a dialogue between participant and virtual consultant.</p> <p>The intervention covered three content domains, or blocks in which the following determinants were successively embedded: STI risk perception related to the current relationship (block 1); attitude, normative beliefs, self-efficacy and skills towards maintenance of condom use within the current relationship (block 2) and promoting STI-testing (block 3). Table 2 summarises the content of the different blocks (objectives, theoretical methods and practical strategies). Messages were tailored based on the answers participants gave and their risk category.</p> <p>After delivering the personalised advice, the consultant offered additional risk information, which was optional: scenario information (i.e. 'personal testimony' of a young man or woman about STIs and (un)safe sex in their relationship); probability information regarding the prevalence and infectiousness of STIs and information about the consequences and severity of STIs.</p> <p>Techniques derived from motivational interviewing.</p> <p><i>Non-tailored intervention</i></p> <p>A simplified version of the tailored intervention, which included the same determinants and contained similar risk questions. It did not have the question-answer structure of the tailored intervention.</p>
	Provider	-
Method of delivery	Web-based program	

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	Location						
	Duration	Not reported					
	Intensity	1 session					
	Tailoring/adaptation	Yes					
	Planned treatment fidelity	-					
	Actual treatment fidelity						
	Other details	-					
Follow up	3 months						
Data collection	<p>Condom use was measured by how they had consistently used condoms at follow-up (0=never, 1=sometimes, 2=usually, 3=always, 4=in the beginning, but not anymore). This scale was recoded into a linear outcome scale by combining those indicating irregular condom use (sometimes, usually, in the beginning but not anymore) into one answer option, thus creating a 3-point outcome scale (0=never, 1=irregular condom use, 2=consistent condom use), as the baseline measure.</p> <p>Participants were asked to report whether they and/or their partner had undergone an STI test (0=no, 1=STI and HIV-test, 2=HIV-test, 3=STI-test). The scale was recoded into a binary scale (0=not tested, 1=tested).</p>						
Critical outcomes measures and effect size. (time points)	TABLE 1. Risky sexual behaviour at 3 months						
		Tailored intervention (n=33)		Non-tailored intervention (n=45)		Control (n=37)	
		Baseline	3-months	Baseline	3-months	Baseline	3 months
	Always use Condom mean (SD)	0.70	0.88 (0.70)	0.83	0.62 (0.61)	1.3	0.43 (0.65)
p values vs tailored vs nontailored vs control		- <0.001 <0.001		<0.001 - 0.30		<0.001 0.30 -	
	Baseline measures were calculated by using the percentages presented in the baseline characteristics and the 3-point scale, 0=never, 1=irregular condom use, 2=consistent condom use.						
Important outcomes measures and effect size. (time points)							
Statistical Analysis	A MANOVA was performed for the effect of condition on the three linear behavioural measures. Significant multivariate effects were examined using univariate analyses. If the univariate main effect of condition was significant, simple contrast analyses were performed to test which groups differed significantly. The three follow-up binary measures were analysed using logistic regression with the factor 'condition'						

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Risk of bias (ROB)	Outcome name		
Overall ROB	Outcome	Judgement (Low / High / some concerns)	Comments
	Risk of bias arising from the randomisation process	Some concerns	Unclear how randomisation occurred or if/how allocation was concealed.
	Risk of bias due to deviations from intended interventions (assignment)	High risk	Analyses reported per protocol.
	Risk of bias due to deviations from intended interventions (adherence)	Low risk	Participants adhered to assignment
	Missing outcome data	High risk	High attrition rate
	Risk of bias in measurement of the outcome	Some concerns	Self-reporting outcomes
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	Self-belief	
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Milam 2016

Bibliographic reference/s	Milam J, Morris S, Jain S, Sun X, Dubé MP, Daar ES, Jimenez G, Haubrich R, and The CCTG 592 Team. Randomized Controlled Trial of an Internet Application to Reduce HIV Transmission Behavior Among HIV Infected Men Who have Sex with Men. AIDS and Behaviour. 2016 June; 20(6): 1173–1181.	
Study name	Randomized Controlled Trial of an Internet Application to Reduce HIV Transmission Behavior Among HIV Infected Men Who have Sex with Men	
Registration	-	
Study type	RCT	
Study dates	November 2010 to July 2012	
Objective	To evaluate the efficacy of a brief internet-based intervention, an internet survey only vs survey plus tailored risk reduction messages, provided monthly for 1 year, to reduce STIs and HIV transmission behaviours.	
Country/ Setting	USA	
Number of participants / clusters	N=181 188 were screened for eligibility and 181 were randomised. 179 completed baseline assessment 90 were assigned to intervention group (survey plus intervention) and 89 were assigned to control (survey only)	
Attrition	In the intervention group, 18 (20%) were lost over 12 months and 58 (64%) completed 75% of internet visits. In the control group, 22 (25%) were lost over 12 months and 49 (55%) completed 75% of internet visits.	
Participant /community characteristics.	TABLE 1. Baseline characteristics	
	Intervention (n=90)	Control (n=89)
Age, mean	44.6	42.7
Race/ethnicity, n (%)		
White	32 (36)	27 (30)
Black	28(31)	27 (30)
Hispanic	28 (31)	29 (32)
Other	2 (3)	7 (8)
Income ≥\$2,000/month, n (%)	12 (22)	16 (24)

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Study name	Randomized Controlled Trial of an Internet Application to Reduce HIV Transmission Behavior Among HIV Infected Men Who have Sex with Men		
	STI prevalence, n (%)	25 (28)	27 (30)
	Unprotected anal/vaginal sex past month, n (%)	51 (57)	44 (50)
Method of allocation	Randomisation was stratified based on site, having a computer at home (yes/no), and ART use (yes/no). Clinicians were blind to group assignment, but the method of allocation was not disclosed.		
Inclusion criteria	HIV positive <18 years of age Men who have sex with men English speaking Adequate computer skills No uncontrolled psychiatric condition Risk of HIV transmission by having one or more of the following criteria: (1) self-reported unprotected anal sex (either receptive or insertive) with any partner in the past 3 months; (2) more than two partners in the past year; (3) having an HIV-uninfected or unknown status partner in the past 3 months; and/or (4) any STI in the past year.		
Exclusion criteria	None reported.		
Intervention	TIDieR Checklist criteria	Details	
	Brief Name	-	
	Rationale/theory/Goal	To assess if tailored messages concerning safer sex would have an added benefit to a sexual behaviour survey.	
	Materials used	A monthly online survey with or without internet-delivered tailored messages concerning safer-sex, disclosure of HIV status to partners and the initiation of antiretroviral therapy.	
	Procedures used	<i>Intervention (tailored messages plus monthly survey)</i> Each group received a unique web page that would give a risk appropriate message. Based on this stratification, there were different intensities of other static internet pages that had specific themes: (1) condom use; (2) disclosure to sex partners; (3) reduced use of drugs and alcohol; (4) initiation of ART (for those not reporting being on ART). Messages used social influences and promoted positive movements in behaviour based on the participant's current behaviour/intent. Data was collected by both confidential in-person interview and computer assisted survey self-report for all enrolled participants.	

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		Control (monthly survey only) Data collection was the same but no tailored messages were provided.			
	Provider	-			
	Method of delivery	Webpage			
	Location	Clinic/at home.			
	Duration	12 months			
	Intensity	Every month			
	Tailoring/adaptation	Yes, in the intervention arm, participants were provided with risk appropriate messages.			
	Planned treatment fidelity	-			
	Actual treatment fidelity	-			
	Other details	-			
Follow up	1 year				
Data collection	<p>The primary outcome was the composite incidence variable of any new STI at any anatomic site. Secondary outcomes were derived from the computer assisted self-report surveys for: (1) any unprotected anal/vaginal sex with an HIV negative/unknown status partner during the past month, and (2) disclosure of status to HIV negative/unknown status partners (defined at each visit as disclosure to all partners). Each question had four options (non-disclosure, ≤50 % of the time, >50 % of the time, all disclosure), although we a priori planned to analyze this variable as all versus not all disclosed.</p> <p>STI screening assessments at baseline and every 3 months over 12 months included syphilis (serum RPR and if positive confirmatory treponemal test), as well as nucleic acid amplification testing (NAAT) of urine and swabs of pharynx and rectum for chlamydia and gonorrhea using Hologic Aptima.</p> <p>As participants completed the web-based intervention, the data gathered was automatically integrated with their clinical and research data.</p> <p>Messages for those randomized to the intervention arm were tailored based on the participants' prior month reported risk of transmission, which was classified as: (1) 'Very Low'—0 %; (2) 'Low'—<0.1 %; (3) 'High'—0.1–1.0 %; and (4) 'Very High'—>1.0 %. Risk of transmission was calculated using the number (N) of unprotected receptive anal (Nra), insertive anal (Nai), insertive vaginal sex acts (Niv), oral sex acts (No), and needle sharing (Nn) multiplied by a probability (P) estimates of per contact transmission rate for each act (Pra = 0.65*0.0011, Pai = 5*0.0011, Piv = 0.0011, Po = 0.1*0.0011, Pnd = 3*0.0011), multiplied for adjustment of recent STI (if Yes sti = 3.7 times increased risk, if No sti = 1) and ART use (if Yes art = 0.1, if No art = 1). Thus, estimated HIV transmission risk is the combined risk of not transmitting HIV subtracted from one.</p>				
Critical outcomes measures and effect size. (time points)	TABLE 1. Risky sexual behaviour at 12 months				
		Intervention (n=90)		Control (n=89)	p value
		Baseline	12 months	Baseline	

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Study name	Randomized Controlled Trial of an Internet Application to Reduce HIV Transmission Behavior Among HIV Infected Men Who have Sex with Men					
	STI incidence, n (%)	25 (28)	27 (30)	27 (30)	22 (25)	0.50
	p value is for intervention vs control at 12 months.					
Important outcomes measures and effect size. (time points)	New sexual transmitted infections (STI)					
		Intervention (n=90)	Control (n=89)	p		
	STI incidence after baseline (%)	27 (30)	22 (25)	0.50		
Statistical Analysis	<p>The study was powered to compare the incidence rates of the primary endpoint between the two study arms using a two-sample binomial test for proportions. Initially, to achieve 80 % power to detect a reduction in STI incidence rates from 25 to 10 %, with a two-sided alpha of 0.05, we estimated a need for 200 participants. Enrolment was halted at 181 participants because of slow recruitment. However, the statistical power of the study was not impacted because the STI incidence rate was higher than originally anticipated.</p> <p>Baseline characteristics were compared between arms using Fisher's exact test for categorical variables and Wilcoxon Rank-Sum test for continuous variables. Primary analyses were performed on a modified intent-to-treat (mITT) population, defined as randomized participants who completed the baseline visit (n = 179).</p> <p>A logistic regression model was used to compare the difference in any new STI during the study between the study arms, adjusting for the baseline STI status, ART use and methamphetamine use at baseline.</p> <p>Unprotected sex was assessed using a generalized estimating equation (GEE) model with study arm, visit (treated as a categorical variable), study arm-by-visit interaction as the dependent variables.</p> <p>Additional prespecified analyses (as determined by the investigators when the protocol was developed) were performed on a subset that completed 75 % or more of monthly internet visits (as-treated- 9/12 months; n = 107) and for those that continued on study through month 12 (regardless of many internet visits they completed; study completers, n = 140).</p> <p>Statistical analyses were performed in R (http://cran.r-project.org), version 3.0.2.</p>					
Risk of bias (ROB)	Outcome name					
Overall ROB	Outcome	Judgement (Low / High / some concerns)		Comments		
	Risk of bias arising from the randomisation process	Some concerns		Unclear how randomisation occurred or if/how allocation was concealed.		
	Risk of bias due to deviations from intended interventions (assignment)	Low risk		Participants not aware of assignment. Intention to treat analyses used.		

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	Risk of bias due to deviations from intended interventions (adherence)	High risk	No appropriate analysis to account for lack of compliance with intervention.
	Missing outcome data	High risk	High attrition rate and no analyses to account for this.
	Risk of bias in measurement of the outcome	Some concerns	Self-reporting outcomes
	Risk of bias in selection of the reported result	Some concerns	No registered protocol
	Other sources of bias		
	Overall Risk of Bias	High risk	
	Other outcome details		
Source of funding	This work was supported by the California HIV Research Program (CHRP- MC08-SD-700 and EI-11-SD-005). Additional funding- NIAID Grants: AI 064086 (K24 to RH); AI 36214 (CFAR Clinical Investigation and Biostatistics Core).		
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Intervention mode: text messages

McCarthy 2019

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Study dates	8 December 2016 and 22 July 2017																												
Objective	The objective of this trial was to estimate the effect of a contraceptive behavioral intervention delivered by mobile phone text message on young Palestinian women's attitudes towards effective contraception.																												
Country/ Setting	Palestine																												
Number of participants / clusters	825 were eligible for inclusion. 578 were included in the study of which; 289 were allocated to intervention and 289 to control group.																												
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Method of allocation	Participants would have been aware of the allocation after they started receiving the messages. Allocation was masked from the research staff collecting outcome data unless the participant revealed it to them. Treatment allocation was masked from the researchers who analysed the data.																												
Inclusion criteria	Women were eligible to take part if they were between 18 and 24 years of age, did not report using an effective method of contraception, owned a personal mobile phone lived in the West Bank and could read Arabic.																												
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	Materials used	The intervention contained the following behavior change methods, adapted for delivery by mobile phone: belief selection, facilitation, anticipated regret, guided practice, verbal persuasion, tailoring, cultural similarity, arguments, shifting perspective and goal setting.
	Procedures used	The intervention messages provided information about contraception, targeted beliefs identified in the development phase that influence contraceptive use (e.g. misconceptions about the side effects and health risks of contraception, belief that non-hormonal methods are better because they are not harmful to health) and aimed to support young women in believing that they can influence their reproductive health. Participants allocated to the intervention group received zero to three messages per day (113 messages for female-not married and 120 messages for female-married) for 120 days. Participants allocated to the control group received 16 control messages about trial participation over 120 days.
	Provider	Mobile phone
	Method of delivery	Text messages
	Location	
	Duration	120 days
	Intensity	Intervention: 0-3 messages/ day over 120 days Control: 16 messages over 120 days
	Tailoring/adaptation	Tailored according to marital status (marital status was used as a proxy for sexual activity because in this context it was thought inappropriate to ask about sexual activity if not married).
	Planned treatment fidelity	-
	Actual treatment fidelity	-
	Other details	-
Follow up	4 months	
Data collection	At baseline, we collected personal and demographic data and the primary outcome data via self-completed paper questionnaire. Data on all outcomes were collected at 4-month follow up. The primary outcome was the proportion of participants reporting that at least one method of effective contraception was acceptable at 4 months post randomization. Secondary outcomes were the use of effective contraception at 4 months and any use during the study, the acceptability of individual methods and service uptake, unintended pregnancy and abortion.	

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Study name	Texting to Increase Contraceptive Initiation Among Adolescents in the Emergency Department
Registration	clinicaltrials.gov Identifier: NCT02093884.
Study type	RCT
Study dates	January – November 2014
Objective	To determine the feasibility and acceptability of an emergency department-based texting intervention to increase contraception initiation among adolescent females at high risk of pregnancy.
Country/ Setting	USA
Number of participants / clusters	N=100 50 were allocated to intervention, 50 allocated to control. 410 were assessed, of which 127 fitted the inclusion/exclusion criteria. 27 refused to participate.

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Attrition	In the intervention group, 17 (34%) were lost at follow-up. In the control group, 5 (10%) were lost at follow-up.	
Participant /community characteristics.	TABLE 1. Comparison of baseline characteristics and sex risk	
	Intervention (n=50)	Control (n=50)
Age, n (%)		
14-17	11 (22.4)	12 (24.4)
18-19	38 (77.6)	37 (75.6)
Ethnicity		
Hispanic	41 (83.7)	45 (91.8)
American Indian/Alaskan Native	2 (4.1)	2 (4.1)
Asian	1 (2.0)	0 (0)
Black/African American	7 (14.3)	7 (14.3)
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	0 (0)	4 (8.2)
White	6 (12.2)	0 (0)
More than one	8 (16.3)	14 (28.6)
Don't know	25 (51.0)	22 (44.9)
Sexual history		
Condom use at last intercourse	16 (32.7)	12 (24.5)
Ever used contraception	16 (32.7)	12 (24.5)
Ever been pregnant	15 (30.6)	18 (36.7)
Talked about starting contraception past 3 months	8 (16.3)	12 (24.5)
Two or more sexual partners past 3 months	13 (26.5)	12 (24.5)
How much do you want to get pregnant now?		
I want to be pregnant now.	8 (16.3)	4 (8.2)
I don't care if I get pregnant now.	5 (10.2)	6 (12.2)
I don't want to be pregnant.	36 (73.5)	39 (79.6)
How much are you planning to get pregnant?		
I am planning hard to get pregnant.	5 (10.2)	5 (10.2)
I am planning a little to get pregnant.	4 (8.2)	2 (4.1)
I am not planning to get pregnant.	40 (81.6)	42 (85.7)
Method of allocation	Block randomisation 1:1, with allocation concealed by a software program. Outcome assessors were blinded to the study arm.	
Inclusion criteria	Females aged 14-19 Sexually active with males in past 3 months Presented to ED for reproductive health complaint	
Exclusion criteria	Patients who were using effective contraception methods	

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Study name	Texting to Increase Contraceptive Initiation Among Adolescents in the Emergency Department	
	Pregnant adolescents Had cognitive impairment No mobile phone Did not speak English or Spanish	
Intervention	TIDieR Checklist criteria	Details
	Brief Name	-
	Rationale/theory/Goal	Work done on the previous health Belief model identified barriers and enablers to using contraceptives, which was used as a basis for the intervention.
	Materials used	Text messages (TM)
	Procedures used	<p><i>Intervention</i></p> <p>Participants were sent identical message series and timing. No detail on content was given in the study.</p> <p>Although patients neither received a wallet card nor a standardized physician monologue, they did receive written or spoken discharge instructions at the discretion of their physician attending. Information about the family planning clinic was incorporated into the text messages.</p> <p>To assess acceptability, interest in future messages, liking the messages, preferences for distribution schedule, and concerns about cost or safety during phone call follow-up were assessed. The popularity of website links was reported by our mobile platform.</p> <p><i>Control</i></p> <p>The standard referral (SR) arm consisted of a wallet card advertising a walk-in family planning clinic and a standardized monologue given by the ED physicians describing the need for reproductive care.</p>
	Provider	-
	Method of delivery	Text messages
	Location	-
	Duration	3 months
	Intensity	Daily to every 5 days
	Tailoring/adaptation	No
	Planned treatment fidelity	To assess feasibility, rates of screening, recruitment, randomization, retention, opt-outs (to stop receiving messages), and technological failures were examined. Text message delivery rates were reported by our mobile platform service.
	Actual treatment fidelity	All in the intervention arm:

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Study name	Texting to Increase Contraceptive Initiation Among Adolescents in the Emergency Department		
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Important outcomes measures and effect size. (time points)			
Statistical Analysis	The intention-to-treat (ITT) population included all randomized patients. The per-protocol population included participants who completed follow-up and excluded intervention group participants who received no texts.		
Risk of bias (ROB) Overall ROB	Outcome name		
	Outcome	Judgement (Low / High / some concerns)	Comments
	Risk of bias arising from the randomisation process	Some concerns	Randomisation present (by computer) Baseline differences in wanting to get pregnant
	Risk of bias due to deviations from intended interventions (assignment)	Low risk	Participants not aware of allocation.
	Risk of bias due to deviations from intended interventions (adherence)	Low risk	Participants adhered to regimen. Intention to treat analyses used.
	Missing outcome data	High risk	High attrition rate overall. No appropriate analysis to account for missing data.
	Risk of bias in measurement of the outcome	Some concerns	Self-reporting of the outcome (Subjective outcome assessment may be affected by knowledge of intervention received).
	Risk of bias in selection of the reported result	Low risk	No deviations in outcomes from registered protocol.
	Other sources of bias		
		Overall Risk of Bias	High risk
	Other outcome details		
Source of funding	This study was supported by the Society of Family Planning Research Fund. This study was also supported by the National Center for Advancing Translational Sciences, National Institutes of Health, through grant number UL1 TR000040, formerly the National Center for Research Resources, grant number UL1 RR024156.		
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Study name	A Sex Risk Reduction Text-Message Program for Young Adult Females Discharged From the Emergency Department	
Registration	The trial was registered with ClinicalTrials.gov (number NCT01548183).	
Study type	RCT	
Study dates	Between September 2011 and April 2012.	
Objective	To assess a text message (SMS) sex risk reduction program among at-risk young adult female patients discharged from an emergency department (ED).	
Country/ Setting	UK	
Number of participants / clusters	52 female women were included in the study; SMS program (n=23), control group (n=29)	
Attrition	High attrition rate overall to 3-month follow-up (Three-month follow-up was completed in 56% of participants).	
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Study name	A Sex Risk Reduction Text-Message Program for Young Adult Females Discharged From the Emergency Department	
	(n =203) No. (%)	(n =227) No. (%)
Age (years), mean (SD)	22 (2)	21 (2)
Black race	18 (78)	16 (55)
Condom use		
Never	16 (84)	15 (58)
Sometimes	3 (16)	5 (19)
Always	0	6 (23)
Method of allocation	Participants were randomized to either the intervention or control group using a computer-generated random sequence.	
Inclusion criteria	To be eligible, patients had to self-report hazardous drinking behaviour, based on a score >3 on the three item Alcohol Use Disorder Identification Test-Consumption. In addition, eligible women had to report at least one of the following: more than 1 male sexual partner in the past 3 months, no condom use at last sexual intercourse, or alcohol/drug use concurrent with their last sexual intercourse.	
Exclusion criteria	Women were excluded if they reported current substance abuse or psychiatric treatment because most already have structured support for risk behaviour prevention which would contaminate the study outcome assessment. Women were also excluded if they reported having a monogamous partner for >2 years or were planning pregnancy in next 3 months because of the low rate of condom use in these individuals. Those who did not have a personal mobile phone with text messaging features were also excluded.	
Intervention	TIDieR Checklist criteria	Details
	Brief Name	
	Rationale/theory/Goal	Health Belief Model and the Information Motivation Behavior model.
	Materials used	
	Procedures used	Each Sunday at noon, intervention participants received a sequence of text messages that assessed risky encounters over the past week, were provided personalized feedback on risk behaviour, and were prompted collaborative goal setting to not have a risky encounter for the coming week. Following the precepts of the Health Belief Model: text messages aiming to increase an individual's perceived susceptibility to getting an STD, perceived severity of health risk associated with an STD, and benefits of adopting protective behaviours (using condoms). According to the Information-Motivation-

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	Provider	-									
	Method of delivery	Via text messages									
	Location										
	Duration										
	Intensity	Every Sunday text messages were sent out to participants.									
	Tailoring/adaptation										
	Planned treatment fidelity	-									
	Actual treatment fidelity	-									
	Other details	-									
Follow up	3 months										
Data collection	Primary behavioural outcomes of interest at 3-month follow-up included the proportion of participants reporting condom use with last vaginal sex and the proportion with always protected sex over the past 28 days.										
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	Risk of bias in measurement of the outcome	Some concerns	Self-reporting of the outcome (Subjective outcome assessment may be affected by knowledge of intervention received).
	Risk of bias in selection of the reported result	Low risk	Data does not appear to be reported based on results.
	Other sources of bias		
	Overall Risk of Bias	High risk	
	Other outcome details		
Source of funding	EMF-Century Council grant		
Comments	<p>Not enough power to detect significant differences between intervention and control group behavioral outcomes. Small sample size</p> <p>Sub-optimal completion of text-message dialog in the SMS group over 12 weeks and a high attrition rate overall to 3-month web-based follow-up.</p>		
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Appendix G – Summary of characteristics of the interventions

Study details	Key features	Intensity/duration	Tailoring
<p>Bannink et al 2014</p> <p>Computer tailor programme</p>	<p>E-health4Uth: An internet based self-reported questionnaire to assess health-risk behaviour and well-being for the following topics: alcohol consumption, drug use, smoking, sexual behavior, bullying, mental health status, suicidal thoughts, suicide attempts, and unpleasant sexual experiences.</p> <p>The questionnaire was formed based on existing public health and health institutes instruments. Tailored messages based on participants' answers to questionnaire.</p> <p>For each topic, a score was computed which was compared with the Dutch health norms for adolescents and tailored messages indicated the persons current behavior or well-being in relation to the Dutch health norm.</p> <p>A reminder of the tailored message sent to participants after 1 month via email.</p> <p>E-health4Uth and Consultation Intervention: same questionnaire and intervention as above plus Adolescents at risk of mental health problems were assessed by the nurse and were invited for a consultation. The nurses were trained to apply motivational interviewing.</p>	<p>1 session with optional extra reading after completing intervention</p>	<p>Tailored feedback based on adolescents' responses to the questionnaire.</p>
<p>Bailey et al 2016</p> <p>Computer tailored programme</p>	<p>The content of the intervention was developed using behaviour change techniques and interactive website features provided feedback tailored for individual users</p>	<p>Not reported</p>	<p>Tailored feedback for individual users to address their barriers to condom use</p>

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Bowen 2008 Computer tailored programme	The intervention based on the Information–Motivation–Behavioural Skills Model Three modules: Knowledge module, partner module and context module including scripted discussions.	3 modules with 6 sessions	Tailored feedback based on participant's input to interactive sessions.
Carpenter 2010 Computer tailored programme	The intervention consisted of risk assessment and feedback, motivational exercises, skills training, and education. Participants tested their HIV risk knowledge and learn more about HIV through a quiz-like game.	1 session	Goal setting and decisional balance exercise tailored depending on type of risky sexual behaviour reported by participants.
Cheng 2019 Computer tailored programme	The intervention based on: theory of planned behaviour Intervention included two parts: part I, an interactive design of scenarios experiencing interventions, called “Choice of Life”, and part II, HIV information dissemination, named “Health Messenger. Intervention included: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • real-life scenarios • Interactive dialogue box • Popped up option • Participants make a decision • 3 themes on HIV information 	Not reported	Three themes of HIV information were elaborated upon and tailored for MSM

Study details	Key features	Intensity/duration	Tailoring
<p>Grimley 2009</p> <p>Computer tailored programme</p>	<p>The intervention was based on the Transtheoretical model.</p> <p>Intervention included: graphics, photographs, audio editing packages and multimedia to help reinforce particular topics, messages, or intervention strategies.</p> <p>Use of computer programmed algorithms to provide tailored counselling messages</p>	<p>15 minutes session</p>	<p>Personalised tailored feedback based on participants' individual needs.</p>
<p>Kiene 2006</p> <p>Computer tailored programme</p>	<p>The intervention content based on: Information-Motivation-Behavioral Skills Model of Health behaviour change and on Motivational interviewing techniques.</p> <p>Intervention included: quizzes with personalized feedback, activities to motivate participants to use condoms, and Mi-based goal setting exercise helping participants to generate self-motivating strategies.</p>	<p>2 sessions</p>	<p>Individually tailored feedback based on participants' quiz answers.</p>
<p>Klein 2017</p> <p>Computer programme</p>	<p>The intervention included audio narration, visual presentations, interactive components, games and telenovela style videos</p>	<p>2 sessions</p>	<p>No tailoring</p>
<p>Mevisen 2011</p> <p>Computer based (virtual consultant)</p>	<p>The content of the intervention messages was guided by the theoretical frameworks of the AIDS Risk Reduction Model and the Extended Parallel Process Model.</p> <p>The intervention used: an interactive question-and-answer format. A virtual consultant delivered personalised safe sex advice, and then optional additional risk information.</p> <p>Techniques derived from motivational interviewing.</p>	<p>1 session</p>	<p>The program tailored the feedback and questions to the participant's prior answers and in part to his or her gender.</p>

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<p>Milam 2016</p> <p>Computer tailored programme</p>	<p>The theoretical framework for the intervention approach and risk behaviour messages was based on SCT and the TTM of Change.</p> <p>Each group received a unique web page that would give a risk appropriate message. Messages used social influences and promoted positive movements in behaviour based on the participant's current behaviour/intention.</p> <p>Participants could input and receive their personal information</p>	<p>Every month (for 12 months).</p>	<p>Tailored messages based on the participants' prior month reported risk of transmission.</p>
<p>Downs 2004</p> <p>Video based programme</p>	<p>Intervention used a mental models theory approach to develop an interactive video intervention</p> <p>Intervention focussed on video storylines offering choices for the user to make including options that could lead toward or away from unsafe sex.</p> <p>Programme offered the users the choice to select which sections to watch and how each proceeds. Also, users perform cognitive rehearsal, with the screen freezing for 30s, imagining what they would say or do.</p>	<p>1 session</p>	<p>No tailoring</p>
<p>Gilbert et al 2008 (USA)</p> <p>Video based intervention</p>	<p>The intervention used interactive messages based on principles of motivational interviewing delivered by an actor-portrayed video doctor to reduce risky drug and sexual behaviours in HIV-positive patients.</p> <p>A Video Doctor simulated an interactive discussion and counselling session with the patient. A further booster session at 3 months was also provided, including feedback reflecting changes made since baseline.</p> <p>Intervention components, including Video Doctor clips, a Cueing Sheet, and an Educational Worksheet</p>	<p>1 session (24 mins on average) with booster session at 3 months</p>	<p>The program tailored the video clips to the participant's gender, risk profile, and readiness to change.</p>

Study details	Key features	Intensity/duration	Tailoring
<p>Chernick et al 2017 (USA)</p> <p>Text message intervention</p>	<p>Text content of the intervention was based on Modified Health Belief Model</p> <p>Participants were sent identical message series and timing.</p> <p>Information about the family planning clinic was incorporated into the text messages.</p> <p>No other info for content of the intervention</p>	<p>Daily to every 5 days</p>	<p>No tailoring</p>
<p>McCarthy et al 2019 (Palestine)</p> <p>Text message intervention</p>	<p>The intervention was based on: Integrated behavioural model</p> <p>The intervention contained the following behaviour change methods, adapted for delivery by mobile phone: belief selection, facilitation, anticipated regret, guided practice, verbal persuasion, tailoring, cultural similarity, arguments, shifting perspective and goal setting.</p>	<p>0-3 messages/day over 120 days</p>	<p>Tailored according to marital status</p>
<p>Suffoletto et al 2013 (UK)</p> <p>Text message intervention</p>	<p>The intervention was based on: Health Belief Model and Information motivation behaviour model</p> <p>A sequence of text messages each Sunday at noon to set goals, record weekly risky encounter and provide personalised feedback based on risk behaviour</p>	<p>12 weeks</p>	<p>Personalised feedback on risk behaviour</p>

See appendix F for full evidence tables.

Appendix H – GRADE tables

GRADE profile 1: Behavioural outcomes for digital and mobile health interventions (intervention vs no intervention)- dichotomous outcomes – follow-up <6 months

Quality assessment							No of patients		Effect		Certainty
No of studies	Design	Risk of bias	Inconsistency	Indirectness	Imprecision	Other considerations	Intervention	No intervention	Relative (95% CI)	Absolute	
condom use at follow up											
Grimley 2009, Chernick 2017, Suffoletto 2013	randomised trials	very serious ¹	no serious inconsistency	no serious indirectness	very serious ²	none	79/267 (29.6%)	71/286 (24.8%)	RR 1.16 (0.72 to 1.88)	40 more per 1000 (from 70 fewer to 218 more)	⊕○○○ VERY LOW
condom use at follow up - internet based intervention											
Grimley 2009	randomised trials	very serious ³	no serious inconsistency	no serious indirectness	serious ⁴	none	65/203 (32%)	52/227 (22.9%)	RR 1.4 (1.02 to 1.91)	92 more per 1000 (from 5 more to 208 more)	⊕○○○ VERY LOW
condom use at follow up - text message intervention											
Chernick 2017, Suffoletto 2013	randomised trials	very serious ⁵	serious ⁶	no serious indirectness	very serious ⁷	none	14/64 (21.9%)	19/59 (32.2%)	RR 0.91 (0.36 to 2.29)	29 fewer per 1000 (from 206 fewer to 415 more)	⊕○○○ VERY LOW

¹ Downgraded 2 levels as: high risk of bias in 1 of the 3 studies and some concerns in the other 2 studies. Main reasons: attrition rates, self-reporting of the outcome, risk of bias due to deviations from intended interventions

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Intervention vs no intervention

GRADE profile 2: Behavioural outcomes for digital and mobile health interventions (intervention vs other intervention)- dichotomous outcomes – follow-up <6 months

Quality assessment							No of patients		Effect		Certainty
No of studies	Design	Risk of bias	Inconsistency	Indirectness	Imprecision	Other considerations	Condom use measurement	Control	Relative (95% CI)	Absolute	
condom use											
Klein 2017, Bannick 2014, Gilbert 2008, Cheng 2019	randomised trials	serious ¹	serious ²	no serious indirectness	serious ³	none	429/976 (44%)	486/954 (50.9%)	RR 1.16 (0.99 to 1.35)	117 more per 1000 (from 7 fewer to 257 more)	⊕○○○ VERY LOW
condom use - consistent condom use (100%vs<100%)											
Bannick 2014, Gilbert 2008, Cheng 2019	randomised trials	very serious ⁴	no serious inconsistency	no serious indirectness	serious ⁵	none	359/812 (44.2%)	409/797 (51.3%)	RR 1.24 (1.13 to 1.37)	123 more per 1000 (from 67 more to 190 more)	⊕○○○ VERY LOW
condom use - condom use last intercourse											
Klein 2017	randomised trials	serious ⁶	no serious inconsistency	no serious indirectness	serious ⁵	none	70/164 (42.7%)	77/157 (49%)	RR 0.87 (0.69 to 1.1)	64 fewer per 1000 (from 152 fewer to 49 more)	⊕⊕○○ LOW

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⁵ Downgraded 1 level as the lower end of the CI crosses the default MID (0.8-1.250)

⁶ Downgraded 1 level as some concerns in the risk of bias; unclear if randomisation was concealed and self- reporting of the outcome

GRADE profile 3: Behavioural outcomes for digital and mobile health interventions (intervention vs no intervention)- continuous outcomes – follow-up <6 months

Quality assessment	No of patients	Effect	Certainty
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No of studies	Design	Risk of bias	Inconsistency	Indirectness	Imprecision	Other considerations	Intervention	No intervention	Absolute	
condom use - internet tailored intervention vs no intervention (Better indicated by lower values)										
Mevisen 2011	randomised trials	very serious ¹	no serious inconsistency	no serious indirectness	serious ²	none	33	37	MD 0.45 higher (0.13 to 0.77 higher)	⊕⊕⊕⊕ LOW

¹ High risk of bias due to: unclear if allocation concealment; high attrition rates; self-reporting of the outcome.

² Downgraded 1 level as the upper confidence interval includes calculated MID for this outcome measure (for MD is 0.5 the SD of control either side of the point estimate)

GRADE profile 4: Behavioural and health outcomes for digital and mobile health interventions (intervention vs other intervention)- continuous outcomes – follow-up <6 months

Quality assessment							No of patients		Effect	Certainty
No of studies	Design	Risk of bias	Inconsistency	Indirectness	Imprecision	Other considerations	Intervention	Other intervention	Absolute	
condom use (Better indicated by lower values)										
Mevisen 2011, Kiene 2006	randomised trials	very serious ¹	no serious inconsistency	no serious indirectness	no serious imprecision ²	none	87	68	SMD 0.49 higher (0.16 to 0.83 higher)	⊕⊕⊕⊕ LOW
unprotected sex on people with positive serostatus (Better indicated by lower values)										
Carpenter 2010	randomised trials	very serious ³	N/A	no serious indirectness	Serious ⁴	none	59	53	MD 0.50 lower (1.06 lower to 0.06 higher)	⊕⊕⊕⊕ VERY LOW
unprotected sex on people with any serostatus (Better indicated by lower values)										
Carpenter 2010	randomised trials	very serious ⁵	N/A	no serious indirectness	no serious imprecision	none	59	53	MD 2.20 lower (6.71 lower to 2.31 higher)	⊕⊕⊕⊕ LOW

¹ High risk of bias in one study due to: high attrition rates and self-reporting of the outcome and no clear information for the allocation concealment.

² Not downgraded - the confidence interval is precise - does not cross the effect size of 0.5 in either direction (default minimal important difference for standardised mean difference)

³ High risk of bias due to: high attrition rates; subjective reporting of the outcome; selection of reported outcomes

⁴ Downgraded 1 level as the lower confidence interval crosses the effect size (for MD is 0.5 the SD of control either side of the point estimate).

⁵ High risk of bias due to: high attrition rates; subjective reporting of the outcome; selection of reported outcomes.

GRADE profile 5: Health outcomes for digital and mobile health interventions (intervention vs no intervention)- dichotomous outcomes – follow-up 6-12 months

Quality assessment							No of patients		Effect		Certainty
No of studies	Design	Risk of bias	Inconsistency	Indirectness	Imprecision	Other considerations	Intervention	No intervention	Relative (95% CI)	Absolute	
STI at follow up (6-12 months)- internet based intervention											
Grimley 2009, Milam 2016	randomised trials	very serious ¹	very serious ²	no serious indirectness	very serious ³	none	39/293 (13.3%)	52/316 (16.5%)	RR 0.75 (0.28 to 2)	41 fewer per 1000 (from 118 fewer to 165 more)	⊕○○○ VERY LOW
Unintended pregnancy -text message intervention											
Chernick 2017, McCarthy 2019	randomised trials	very serious ⁴	no serious inconsistency	no serious indirectness	very serious ³	none	11/339 (3.2%)	14/333 (4.2%)	RR 0.7 (0.2 to 2.46)	11 fewer per 1000 (from 27 fewer to 26 more)	⊕○○○ VERY LOW

¹ Downgraded 2 levels as: attrition bias due to loss to follow up and self-reporting of the outcome in both studies. Also, no information for blinding in 1 study and no information for allocation concealment in one study.

² Downgraded 2 levels: I² >75%, indicating high level of heterogeneity

³ Downgraded 2 levels as both of the CI crosses the default MID (0.8-1.25)

⁴ Downgraded 2 levels as high risk of bias in both of the studies due to high attrition rates and self-reporting of the outcomes

GRADE profile 6: Health outcomes for digital and mobile health interventions (intervention vs other intervention)- dichotomous outcomes – follow-up 6-12 months

Quality assessment							No of patients		Effect		Certainty
No of studies	Design	Risk of bias	Inconsistency	Indirectness	Imprecision	Other considerations	Intervention	Other intervention	Relative (95% CI)	Absolute	
STI at follow up (6-12 months)											

Bailey 2016, Downs 2004	randomised trials	very serious ¹	no serious inconsistency ²	no serious indirectness	no serious imprecision	none	7/80 (8.8%)	9/69 (13%)	RR 0.52 (0.28 to 0.98)	63 fewer per 1000 (from 3 fewer to 94 fewer)	⊕○○○ very LOW
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¹ High risk of bias due to: high attrition rates and self-reporting of the outcome in 1 study, which contributed >33% weight to the effect size for this outcome

² No inconsistency as I²=0%

Data from number of patients in intervention and control group were only available from Bailey study.

Grade profile 7. Behavioural outcomes for digital and mobile health interventions (before and after study)- continuous outcomes

Quality assessment							No of patients		Effect		Certainty
No of studies	Design	Risk of bias	Inconsistency	Indirectness	Imprecision	Other considerations	Before and after intervention	Control	Relative (95% CI)	Absolute	
proportion of times used a condom (Better indicated by lower values)											
1	before and after study	very serious ¹	no serious inconsistency	no serious indirectness	serious ²	none	294	425	-	MD 0.22 higher (0.15 to 0.29 higher)	⊕○○○ VERY LOW

¹ Downgraded 2 levels due to high risk of bias due to attrition

² Downgraded 1 level as the upper confidence interval includes calculated MID for this outcome measure

Appendix I – Health economic evidence profiles

Study	Bailey 2016			
Study details	Population & interventions	Costs	Health outcomes	Cost-effectiveness
<p>Bailey 2016 (UK)</p> <p>Type of analysis: CUA conducted alongside a randomized controlled trial. No modelling was undertaken.</p> <p>Perspective: NHS</p> <p>Time horizon: 1 year</p> <p>Discounting: Not applicable</p>	<p>Population: Heterosexually active men aged ≥ 16 years with female sexual partners and had recent condom-less sex or a suspected acute STI</p> <p>Population – sociodemographic factors/cohort settings: Mean age (SD) Intervention: 29.3 (8.8) Comparator: 29.5 (8.4)</p> <p>Ethnicity Intervention: white 71.4%, black 13.1% Comparator: white 66.7%, black 16.0%</p> <p>INTERVENTION Description: Men's Safer Sex website plus usual sexual health clinical care</p>	<p>Two sets of resource costs were collected:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Using a self-completed resource use questionnaire Estimating resource use from clinical records <p>Total costs: For the self-completed questionnaire total costs were not reported. However, the incremental cost for the intervention was reported as -£24 (95% CI -£145 to £97)</p> <p>For the resource use from clinical records a mean cost per patient was reported:</p> <p>Mean cost per patient (SD) (from clinical records) Website: £189 (£159) No website: £214 (£264)</p> <p>Reviewer notes: Two SDs either side of the mean</p>	<p>Intermediate outcome of condomless sex: Incidence rate ratio (IRR): 1.01 (95% CI: 0.52 to 1.96)</p> <p>Clinical diagnosis of STIs over 1 year: Control: 9/69 (13%) Intervention: 7/80 (8.8%) IRR: 0.75 (95% CI: 0.29 to 1.89)</p> <p>QALYs: Mean QALYs using EQ-5D-3L (SD) Intervention: 0.902 (0.112) Control: 0.904 (0.113)</p> <p>Mean QALYs using the sexual quality of life (SQoL) questionnaire (SD) Intervention: 0.936 (0.034) Control: 0.940 (0.032)</p>	<p>Full incremental analysis Five separate incremental cost-effectiveness analyses were generated:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> EQ5D-3L for utility and self-completed resource use questionnaire SQoL-3D for utility and self-completed resource use questionnaire Disutility of an STI and resource use from medical records Cost per STI prevented using self-completed resource use questionnaire Cost per STI prevented using resource use from medical records. <p>In analysis 1, 2 and 4 the intervention was dominant (i.e. improves health outcomes and reduces cost)</p> <p>Analysis 3 returned a cost-effectiveness result of £3,000 per QALY</p> <p>Analysis 5 returned an incremental cost per avoided STI of £291.</p> <p>Analysis of uncertainty</p>

Study	Bailey 2016			
Study details	Population & interventions	Costs	Health outcomes	Cost-effectiveness
	<p>'Website' intervention asked participants to look at the Men's Safer Sex website while they were waiting in sexual health clinic waiting rooms and to then fill in online surveys 3, 6, 9 and 12 months later. The website provided individually tailored advice on barriers to condom use, especially on the impact of condoms on sexual pleasure.</p> <p>Mode: Website</p> <p>Intensity and duration: Web-based sessions over one year</p> <p>Tailoring: Yes</p> <p>Healthcare professional involvement: Digital intervention was offered in addition to usual sexual health clinical care.</p>	<p>represents 95% of the cohort. This means the mean costs and standard deviations imply that more than one quarter of participants are contributing money to the NHS which is impossible. These costs should have been calculated using median and interquartile ranges which would give a more realistic indication of the true costs.</p> <p>Currency & cost year: GBP £; 2014</p> <p>Cost components incorporated: Condoms, GP resource use (tests and treatment), sexual health services (tests, counselling and treatment, pregnancy (miscarriage)</p>		<p>Bootstrapping was used to generate cost-effectiveness acceptability curves. The impact of pregnancies in female sexual partners was included as a sensitivity analysis only.</p> <p>Probability intervention is cost effective at a threshold of £20,000/QALY: Analysis 1: 88% (same with or without pregnancies) Analysis 2: 68% (same with or without pregnancies) Analysis 3: 61% (69% if pregnancies included)</p> <p>The study also explored the impact of including the cost of developing the website on the results. Assuming the website cost £101,515 to develop and a trial population of 84 participants, this increased costs by £1,209 per participant and resulted in an ICER for analysis 1 of £39,466/QALY.</p>

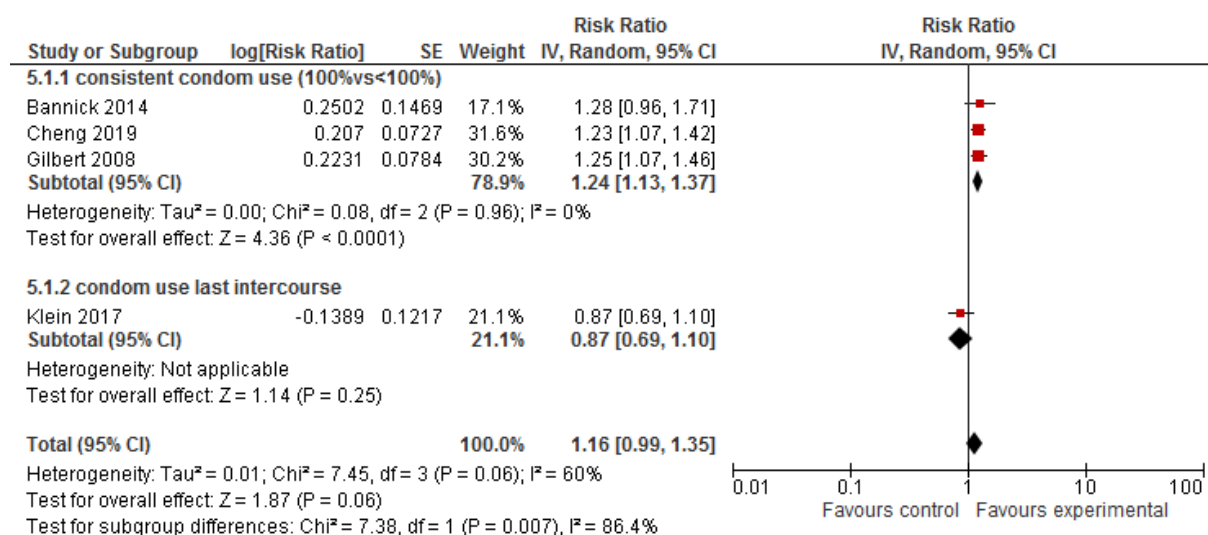
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Bailey 2016				
Study details	Population & interventions	Costs	Health outcomes	Cost-effectiveness
	<p>Behaviour change techniques used: Reward and threat; Associations; Antecedents; Natural consequences; Feedback and monitoring; Goals and planning; Comparison of behaviour; Shaping knowledge</p> <p>COMPARATOR: Description: 'No website' comparator group (usual sexual health clinical care only). Participants only completed the online surveys, via e-mail 3, 6 and 12 months later.</p>			
Data sources				
<p>Health outcomes: Within trial analysis (reported within this publication) Quality-of-life weights: Utility scores to calculate QALYs were collected using two different questionnaires: (1) generic preference-based measure of HRQoL – the EQ-5D-3L and (2) a sexual health-specific HRQoL measure – the SQoL questionnaire.</p>				
Comments				
<p>Source of funding: The study was funded by the NIHR Health Technology Assessment programme. Limitations: The authors acknowledged the need for further assessment of the appropriateness of EQ-5D-3L in measuring of sexual health promotion interventions. Costs differed for cost per sexual health clinic appointment using the NHS payment tariff compared with bottom-up costing. Website running costs were not included in the analyses, as there was no information available on ongoing running costs. Other: None</p>				
<p>Overall applicability: Directly applicable Overall quality: Potentially serious limitations</p>				

Study	Bailey 2016			
Study details	Population & interventions	Costs	Health outcomes	Cost-effectiveness
<i>Abbreviations: CUA: cost-utility analysis; HRQoL: health-related quality of life; NHS: National Health Service; NIHR: National Institute for Health Research; QALY: quality-adjusted life year; RCT: randomised controlled trial; SD: standard deviation; SQoL: Sexual quality of life</i>				

Appendix J – Forest plots

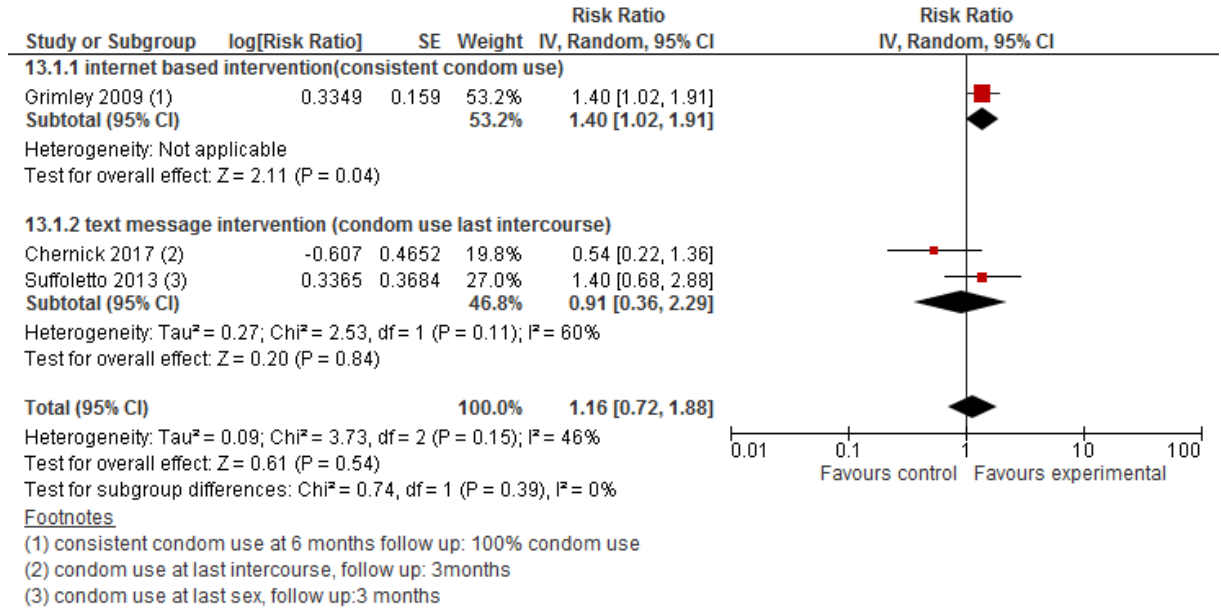
Behavioural outcomes: intervention vs other intervention

1.1 Comparison: Intervention vs other intervention: Sensitivity analysis according to condom measurement



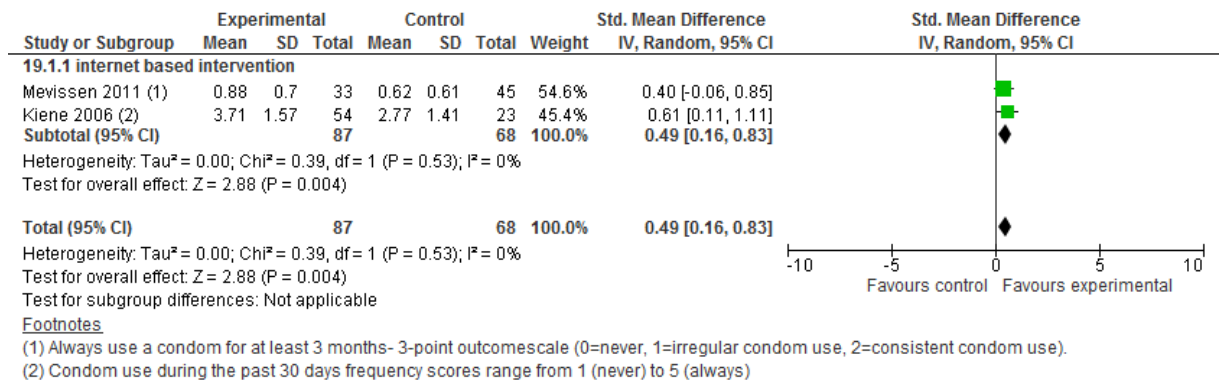
Behavioural outcomes: intervention vs no intervention

2.1 Comparison: Intervention vs no intervention, Outcome: condom use, Sensitivity analysis: digital platform



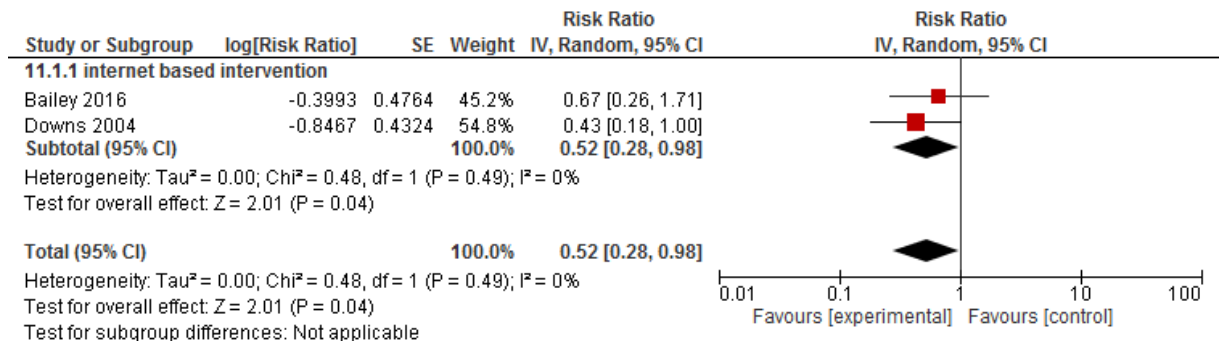
Behavioural outcomes: intervention vs other intervention

3.1 Comparison: intervention vs other intervention, Outcome: condom use



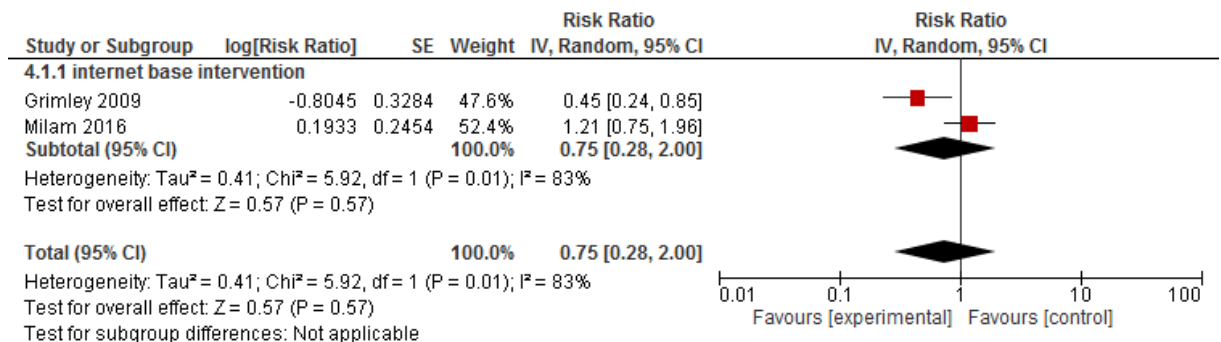
Health outcomes: intervention vs other intervention

4.1 Comparison: Intervention vs other intervention, Outcome: STI

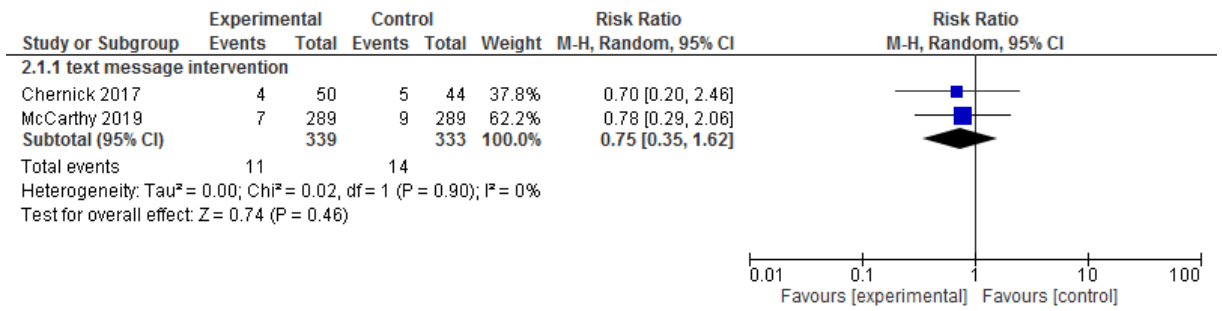


Health outcomes: intervention vs no intervention

5.1 Comparison: Intervention vs no intervention, Outcome: STI



5.2 Comparison: Intervention vs no intervention, Outcome: unwanted pregnancy



Appendix K – Excluded studies

Public Health studies

Study	Reason for exclusion
Abaza, Haitham and Marschollek, Michael (2017) mHealth Application Areas and Technology Combinations*. A Comparison of Literature from High and Low/Middle Income Countries. <i>Methods of information in medicine</i> 56(7): e105-e122	- Review article but not a systematic review
Adams, J.; Neville, S.; Dickinson, P. (2013) Evaluation of Bro Online: An Internet-based HIV prevention initiative for gay and bisexual men. <i>International Journal of Health Promotion and Education</i> 51(5): 239-247	- No usability of the data
Adebayo, D. O.; Udegbe, I. B.; Sunmola, A. M. (2006) Gender, Internet use, and sexual behavior orientation among young Nigerians. <i>Cyberpsychology & behavior : the impact of the Internet, multimedia and virtual reality on behavior and society</i> 9(6): 742-52	- No usability of the data
Al-Ajlouni, Yazan A., Park, Su H., Schneider, John A. et al. (2018) Partner meeting venue typology and sexual risk behaviors among French men who have sex with men. <i>International journal of STD & AIDS</i> 29(13): 1282-1288	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Alarcon Gutierrez, Miguel, Fernandez Quevedo, Manuel, Martin Valle, Silvia et al. (2018) Acceptability and effectiveness of using mobile applications to promote HIV and other STI testing among men who have sex with men in Barcelona, Spain. <i>Sexually transmitted infections</i> 94(6): 443-448	- Not a relevant study design
Allison, Jeroan J., Kiefe, Catarina I., Wall, Terry et al. (2005) Multicomponent Internet continuing medical education to promote chlamydia screening. <i>American journal of preventive medicine</i> 28(3): 285-90	- No outcomes of interest
Anand, T., Nitpolprasert, C., Jantarapakde, J. et al. (2019) Implementation and impact of a technology-	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention

Study	Reason for exclusion
based HIV risk-reduction intervention among Thai men who have sex with men using "Vialogues": a randomized controlled trial. <i>AIDS Care - Psychological and Socio-Medical Aspects of AIDS/HIV</i>	
Anderson, Mollie Blair (2018) The Condom Carnival: Assessment of a novel group intervention aimed to decrease sexual risk and increase condom use among college students. <i>Dissertation Abstracts International: Section B: The Sciences and Engineering 78(8be): No-Specified</i>	- Not a relevant study design
Anonymous (2007) Fourth Annual National HIV/AIDS Youth Story-writing and Video Contests. <i>AIDS patient care and STDs 21(10): 784-785</i>	- Conference abstract
Anonymous (2010) Websites offer STD tests and education. <i>AIDS patient care and STDs 24(5): 344</i>	- Conference abstract
Anonymous (2010) Summaries for patients. HIV nucleic acid testing program with automated Internet and voicemail systems. <i>Annals of internal medicine 152(12): i30</i>	- Not a relevant study design
Anonymous (2010) Community-based computer-assisted motivational intervention reduces repeat births to adolescents. <i>Journal of the National Medical Association 102(2): 154</i>	- Not a relevant study design
Anonymous (2011) UN HIV/AIDS strategy through social media. <i>Australian nursing journal (July 1993) 19(6): 38</i>	- Not a relevant study design
Arya, Monisha, Huang, Anna, Kumar, Disha et al. (2018) The Promise of Patient-Centered Text Messages for Encouraging HIV Testing in an Underserved Population. <i>The Journal of the Association of Nurses in AIDS Care : JANAC 29(1): 101-106</i>	- No usability of the data - No comparison group
Bachmann, Laura H., Grimley, Diane M., Gao, Hongjiang et al. (2013) Impact of a computer-assisted, provider-delivered intervention on sexual risk behaviors in HIV-positive men who have sex with men	- Not a relevant study design

Study	Reason for exclusion
(MSM) in a primary care setting. <i>AIDS Education and Prevention</i> 25(2): 87-101	
Bailey, J. V., Murray, E., Rait, G. et al. (2010) Interactive computer-based interventions for sexual health promotion. <i>Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews</i>	- Systematic review-not directly applicable to review protocol
Bailey, J. V., Murray, E., Rait, G. et al. (2012) Computer-based interventions for sexual health promotion: Systematic review and meta-analyses. <i>International Journal of STD and AIDS</i> 23(6): 408-413	- Systematic review-not directly applicable to review protocol
Bailey, Julia V., Pavlou, Menelaos, Copas, Andrew et al. (2013) The Sexunzipped trial: optimizing the design of online randomized controlled trials. <i>Journal of medical Internet research</i> 15(12): e278	- No outcomes of interest
Baltierra, Nina B., Muessig, Kathryn E., Pike, Emily C. et al. (2016) More than just tracking time: Complex measures of user engagement with an internet-based health promotion intervention. <i>Journal of biomedical informatics</i> 59: 299-307	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Bannink, Rienke, Joosten-van Zwanenburg, Evelien, van de Looij-Jansen, Petra et al. (2012) Evaluation of computer-tailored health education ('E-health4Uth') combined with personal counselling ('E-health4Uth + counselling') on adolescents' behaviours and mental health status: design of a three-armed cluster randomised controlled trial. <i>BMC public health</i> 12: 1083	- study protocol
Bauermeister, Jose A., Pingel, Emily S., Jadwin-Cakmak, Laura et al. (2015) Acceptability and preliminary efficacy of a tailored online HIV/STI testing intervention for young men who have sex with men: the Get Connected! program. <i>AIDS and behavior</i> 19(10): 1860-74	- No outcomes of interest
Bell, David L., Garbers, Samantha, Catalozzi, Marina et al. (2018) Computer-Assisted Motivational Interviewing Intervention to Facilitate Teen Pregnancy Prevention and Fitness Behavior Changes: A Randomized Trial for Young Men. <i>The Journal of</i>	- study protocol

Study	Reason for exclusion
adolescent health : official publication of the Society for Adolescent Medicine 62(3s): S72-S80	
Bilardi, J. E., Fairley, C. K., Hopkins, C. A. et al. (2010) Let them know: Evaluation of an online partner notification service for chlamydia that offers E-mail and SMS messaging. Sexually Transmitted Diseases 37(9): 563-565	- Not a relevant study design
Billings, Douglas W., Leaf, Samantha L., Spencer, Joy et al. (2015) A Randomized Trial to Evaluate the Efficacy of a Web-Based HIV Behavioral Intervention for High-Risk African American Women. AIDS and behavior 19(7): 1263-74	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Biswas, Kamal Kanti, Hossain, Altaf, Chowdhury, Rezwana et al. (2017) Using mHealth to Support Postabortion Contraceptive Use: Results From a Feasibility Study in Urban Bangladesh. JMIR formative research 1(1): e4	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Blas, Magaly M. (2009) Effect of an online video-based intervention to increase HIV testing in gay-identified and non-gay-identified men who have sex with men in Peru. Dissertation Abstracts International: Section B: The Sciences and Engineering 69(9b): 5298	- No outcomes of interest
Blas, Magaly M., Alva, Isaac E., Carcamo, Cesar P. et al. (2010) Effect of an online video-based intervention to increase HIV testing in men who have sex with men in Peru. PloS one 5(5): e10448	- No outcomes of interest
Bonar, Erin E., Koocher, Gerald P., Benoit, Matthew F. et al. (2018) Perceived Risks and Benefits in a Text Message Study of Substance Abuse and Sexual Behavior. Ethics & behavior 28(3): 218-234	- Not a relevant study design
Bonar, Erin E., Walton, Maureen A., Cunningham, Rebecca M. et al. (2014) Computer-enhanced interventions for drug use and HIV risk in the emergency room: preliminary results on psychological precursors of behavior change. Journal of substance abuse treatment 46(1): 5-14	- No outcomes of interest

Study	Reason for exclusion
Bountress, Kaitlin E., Metzger, Isha W., Maples-Keller, Jessica L. et al. (2017) Reducing sexual risk behaviors: secondary analyses from a randomized controlled trial of a brief web-based alcohol intervention for underage, heavy episodic drinking college women. <i>Addiction research & theory</i> 25(4): 302-309	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Bourne, C., Knight, V., Guy, R. et al. (2011) Short message service reminder intervention doubles sexually transmitted infection/HIV re-testing rates among men who have sex with men. <i>Sexually transmitted infections</i> 87(3): 229-31	- No outcomes of interest
Bourne, Chris, Zablotska, Iryna, Williamson, Anthony et al. (2012) Promotion and uptake of a new online partner notification and retesting reminder service for gay men. <i>Sexual health</i> 9(4): 360-7	- No outcomes of interest
Bowen, Anne M.; Horvath, Keith; Williams, Mark L. (2007) A randomized control trial of Internet-delivered HIV prevention targeting rural MSM. <i>Health education research</i> 22(1): 120-7	- No outcomes of interest
Bowen, Deborah; Jabson, Jennifer; Kamen, Charles (2016) mHealth: an avenue for promoting health among sexual and gender minority populations?. <i>mHealth</i> 2: 36	- Not a relevant study design
Brady, Sonya S., Sieving, Renee E., Terveen, Loren G. et al. (2015) An Interactive Website to Reduce Sexual Risk Behavior: Process Evaluation of TeensTalkHealth. <i>JMIR research protocols</i> 4(3): e106	- Not a relevant study design
Brewer, Devon D. (2011) Knowledge of blood-borne transmission risk is inversely associated with HIV infection in sub-Saharan Africa. <i>Journal of infection in developing countries</i> 5(3): 182-98	- No usability of the data - Not a relevant study design
Brown Iii, William, Ibitoye, Mobolaji, Bakken, Suzanne et al. (2015) Cartographic Analysis of Antennas and Towers: A Novel Approach to Improving the Implementation and Data Transmission of mHealth	- Not a relevant study design

Study	Reason for exclusion
Tools on Mobile Networks. JMIR mHealth and uHealth 3(2): e63	
Brown, Katherine E.; Beasley, Kerrie; Das, Satyajit (2018) Self-Control, Plan Quality, and Digital Delivery of Action Planning for Condom and Contraceptive Pill Use of 14-24-Year-Olds: Findings from a Clinic-Based Online Pilot Randomised Controlled Trial. Applied psychology. Health and well-being 10(3): 391-413	- No outcomes of interest
Brown, L. J., Tan, K. S., Guerra, L. E. et al. (2018) Using behavioural insights to increase HIV self-sampling kit returns: a randomized controlled text message trial to improve England's HIV self-sampling service. HIV Medicine 19(9): 585-596	- No usability of the data
Brown, Ludella and Tabi, Marian M. (2013) Increasing HIV/AIDS awareness among African-American women: an exploratory study. Journal of National Black Nurses' Association : JNBNA 24(1): 48-54	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Buhi, Eric R., Klinkenberger, Natalie, Hughes, Shana et al. (2013) Teens' use of digital technologies and preferences for receiving STD prevention and sexual health promotion messages: implications for the next generation of intervention initiatives. Sexually transmitted diseases 40(1): 52-4	- No usability of the data
Bull, Sheana S., Levine, Deborah K., Black, Sandra R. et al. (2012) Social media-delivered sexual health intervention: a cluster randomized controlled trial. American journal of preventive medicine 43(5): 467-74	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Bull, Sheana, Devine, Sharon, Schmiede, Sarah J. et al. (2016) Text Messaging, Teen Outreach Program, and Sexual Health Behavior: A Cluster Randomized Trial. American journal of public health 106(s1): S117-S124	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Burke, Susan M. (2018) Texting as a Strategy to Increase Contraception Use Compliance in Adolescent Females. Journal of pediatric nursing 43: 134-135	- Not a relevant study design
Burns, Kara; Keating, Patrick; Free, Caroline (2016) A systematic review of randomised control trials of	- Systematic review-not directly applicable to review protocol

Study	Reason for exclusion
sexual health interventions delivered by mobile technologies. BMC public health 16(1): 778	
Bushley, Abigail W., Cassel, Kevin, Hernandez, Brenda Y. et al. (2005) A tailored multi-media campaign to promote the human papillomavirus cohort study to young women. Preventive medicine 41(1): 98-101	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - No usability of the data - Not a relevant study design
Cabecinha, Melissa, Mercer, Catherine H., Gravningen, Kirsten et al. (2017) Finding sexual partners online: prevalence and associations with sexual behaviour, STI diagnoses and other sexual health outcomes in the British population. Sexually transmitted infections 93(8): 572-582	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Not a relevant study design
Caceres, C. F. (2015) A HOPE for HIV prevention in virtual MSM communities. The Lancet HIV 2(1): e6-e7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Not a relevant study design
Calderon, Y., Cowan, E., Leu, C. S. et al. (2013) A human immunodeficiency virus posttest video to increase condom use among adolescent emergency department patients. Journal of Adolescent Health 53(1): 79-84	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - No outcomes of interest
Carey, M. P., Senn, T. E., Walsh, J. L. et al. (2015) Evaluating a Brief, Video-Based Sexual Risk Reduction Intervention and Assessment Reactivity with STI Clinic Patients: Results from a Randomized Controlled Trial. AIDS and behavior 19(7): 1228-1246	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Comparator in study does not match that specified in protocol
Carvalho, Telma, Alvarez, Maria-Joao, Pereira, Cicero et al. (2016) Stage-based computer-delivered interventions to increase condom use in young men. International Journal of Sexual Health 28(2): 176-186	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - No eligible population
Cassell, J. A., Dodds, J., Estcourt, C. et al. (2015) The relative clinical effectiveness and cost-effectiveness of three contrasting approaches to partner notification for curable sexually transmitted infections: A cluster randomised trial in primary care. Health Technology Assessment 19(5): 1-144	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Castano, P. M., Bynum, J. Y., Andres, R. et al. (2012) Effect of daily text messages on oral contraceptive	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Study does not contain a relevant intervention

Study	Reason for exclusion
continuation: A randomized controlled trial. <i>Obstetrics and Gynecology</i> 119(1): 14-20	- No outcomes of interest
Castor, D., Pilowsky, D. J., Hadden, B. et al. (2010) Sexual risk reduction among non-injection drug users: report of a randomized controlled trial. <i>AIDS care</i> 22(1): 62-70	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Catalani, C., Philbrick, W., Fraser, H. et al. (2013) mHealth for HIV treatment & prevention: A systematic review of the literature. <i>Open AIDS Journal</i> 7(1): 17-41	- No outcomes of interest
Chavez, N. R.; Shearer, L. S.; Rosenthal, S. L. (2014) Use of Digital Media Technology for Primary Prevention of STIs/HIV in Youth. <i>Journal of Pediatric and Adolescent Gynecology</i> 27(5): 244-257	- Review article but not a systematic review
Chen, Elizabeth and Mangone, Emily Rose (2016) A Systematic Review of Apps using Mobile Criteria for Adolescent Pregnancy Prevention (mCAPP). <i>JMIR mHealth and uHealth</i> 4(4): e122	- No usability of the data
Chen, Yen-Tyng, Bowles, Kristina, An, Qian et al. (2018) Surveillance Among Men Who have Sex with Men in the United States: A Comparison of Web-Based and Venue-Based Samples. <i>AIDS and behavior</i> 22(7): 2104-2112	- Not a relevant study design
Chi, B. H. and Stringer, J. S. A. (2010) Mobile phones to improve HIV treatment adherence. <i>The Lancet</i> 376(9755): 1807-1808	- Not a relevant study design
Cohen, Adam Carl (2017) Evaluating an online patient engagement platform and smartphone application that notifies clients of sexually transmitted infection test results. <i>Dissertation Abstracts International: Section B: The Sciences and Engineering</i> 77(10be): No-Specified	- Not a relevant study design
Cooley, Philip C., Rogers, Susan M., Turner, Charles F. et al. (2001) Using Touch Screen Audio-CASI to Obtain Data on Sensitive Topics. <i>Computers in human behavior</i> 17(3): 285-293	- No usability of the data

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Coomes, Curtis M., Lewis, Megan A., Uhrig, Jennifer D. et al. (2012) Beyond reminders: A conceptual framework for using short message service to promote prevention and improve healthcare quality and clinical outcomes for people living with HIV. <i>AIDS Care</i> 24(3): 348-357	- Review article but not a systematic review
Cordova, David, Mendoza Lua, Frania, Ovadje, Laretta et al. (2017) Randomized Controlled Trials of Technology-Based HIV/STI and Drug Abuse Preventive Interventions for African American and Hispanic Youth: Systematic Review. <i>JMIR public health and surveillance</i> 3(4): e96	- Systematic review-not directly applicable to review protocol
Cornelius, J. B., Dmochowski, J., Boyer, C. et al. (2013) Text-messaging-enhanced hiv intervention for african american adolescents: A feasibility study. <i>Journal of the Association of Nurses in AIDS Care</i> 24(3): 256-267	- No usability of the data - Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Cote, J., Cossette, S., Ramirez-Garcia, P. et al. (2017) Improving Health and Reducing Comorbidity Associated with HIV: The Development of TAVIE en sante, a Web-Based Tailored Intervention to Support the Adoption of Health Promoting Behaviors among People Living with HIV. <i>BioMed Research International</i> 2017: 4092304	- No outcomes of interest - No usability of the data
Courtenay-Quirk, C., Horvath, K. J., Ding, H. et al. (2010) Perceptions of HIV-related websites among persons recently diagnosed with HIV. <i>AIDS Patient Care and STDs</i> 24(2): 105-115	- Not a relevant study design
Cruess, D. G., Burnham, K. E., Finitsis, D. J. et al. (2018) A Randomized Clinical Trial of a Brief Internet-based Group Intervention to Reduce Sexual Transmission Risk Behavior Among HIV-Positive Gay and Bisexual Men. <i>Annals of behavioral medicine : a publication of the Society of Behavioral Medicine</i> 52(2): 116-129	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Cruess, Dean G., Burnham, Kaylee E., Finitsis, David J. et al. (2018) A Randomized Clinical Trial of a Brief Internet-based Group Intervention to Reduce Sexual Transmission Risk Behavior Among HIV-Positive Gay	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention

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and Bisexual Men. <i>Annals of behavioral medicine : a publication of the Society of Behavioral Medicine</i> 52(2): 116-129	
Cumming, Grant P., Cochrane, Rosemary, Currie, Heather D. et al. (2012) Web-based survey 'Contraception and attitudes to sexual behaviour' completed by women accessing a UK menopause website. <i>Menopause international</i> 18(3): 106-9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - No comparison group - Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Darbes, Lynae, Crepaz, Nicole, Lyles, Cynthia et al. (2008) The efficacy of behavioral interventions in reducing HIV risk behaviors and incident sexually transmitted diseases in heterosexual African Americans. <i>AIDS</i> 22(10): 1177-1194	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Dawson Rose, Carol, Cuca, Yvette P., Kamitani, Emiko et al. (2015) Using Interactive Web-Based Screening, Brief Intervention and Referral to Treatment in an Urban, Safety-Net HIV Clinic. <i>AIDS and behavior</i> 19suppl2: 186-93	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - No comparison group
Deglise, Carole; Suggs, L. Suzanne; Odermatt, Peter (2012) SMS for disease control in developing countries: a systematic review of mobile health applications. <i>Journal of telemedicine and telecare</i> 18(5): 273-81	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Systematic review-not directly applicable to review protocol
DeLamater, J.; Wagstaff, D. A.; Havens, K. K. (2000) The impact of a culturally appropriate STD/AIDS education intervention on black male adolescents' sexual and condom use behavior. <i>Health education & behavior : the official publication of the Society for Public Health Education</i> 27(4): 454-70	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Di Noia, Jennifer, Schinke, Steven P., Pena, Juan B. et al. (2004) Evaluation of a brief computer-mediated intervention to reduce HIV risk among early adolescent females. <i>The Journal of adolescent health : official publication of the Society for Adolescent Medicine</i> 35(1): 62-4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - No outcomes of interest
Dickson-Gomez, Julia, Tarima, Sergey, Glasman, Laura R. et al. (2018) Intervention Reach and Sexual Risk Reduction of a Multi-level, Community-Based HIV	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - No eligible population

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Prevention Intervention for Crack Users in San Salvador, El Salvador. <i>AIDS and behavior</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Not a relevant study design - Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Dietrich, Janan J., Lazarus, Erica, Andrasik, Michele et al. (2018) Mobile Phone Questionnaires for Sexual Risk Data Collection Among Young Women in Soweto, South Africa. <i>AIDS and behavior</i> 22(7): 2312-2321	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Not a relevant study design
Dokkum, Nynke F. B., Koekenbier, Rik H., van den Broek, Ingrid V. F. et al. (2012) Keeping participants on board: increasing uptake by automated respondent reminders in an Internet-based chlamydia screening in the Netherlands. <i>BMC public health</i> 12: 176	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - No comparison group - Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Downs, J. S., Ashcraft, A. M., Murray, P. J. et al. (2018) Video Intervention to Increase Perceived Self-Efficacy for Condom Use in a Randomized Controlled Trial of Female Adolescents. <i>Journal of Pediatric and Adolescent Gynecology</i> 31(3): 291	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Comparator in study does not match that specified in protocol
Drozd, F., Skeie, L. G., Kraft, P. et al. (2014) A web-based intervention trial for depressive symptoms and subjective well-being in patients with chronic HIV infection. <i>AIDS Care - Psychological and Socio-Medical Aspects of AIDS/HIV</i> 26(9): 1080-1089	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - No outcomes of interest
Eathington, Patricia, Baldwin, Kathleen, Jones, Krista et al. (2013) Delivering sexually transmitted infection education via text messaging: An evidence-based project. <i>Western Journal of Nursing Research</i> 35(9): 1236-1237	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Not a relevant study design
Ebin, Julie and Van Wagenen, Aimee (2006) Developing Successful Sexual Health and Support Services for Bisexual People: Lessons Learned from the BiHealth Program. <i>Journal of Bisexuality</i> 6(12): 165-189	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Not a relevant study design
Eleuteri, S., Rossi, R., Tripodi, F. et al. (2018) Sexual health in your hands: How the smartphone apps can	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Review article but not a systematic review

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Escobar-Chaves, S. L., Shegog, R., Moscoso-Alvarez, M. R. et al. (2011) Cultural tailoring and feasibility assessment of a sexual health middle school curriculum: A pilot test in Puerto Rico. <i>Journal of School Health</i> 81(8): 477-484	- No outcomes of interest
Escobar-Viera, Cesar Gabriel (2017) Assessing the impact of depressive symptoms on the intention to use mHealth interventions among people living with HIV and participating in the Florida health cohort. <i>Dissertation Abstracts International: Section B: The Sciences and Engineering</i> 77(9be): No-Specified	- Not a relevant study design
Essien, E. James, Mgbere, Osaro, Monjok, Emmanuel et al. (2011) Effectiveness of a video-based motivational skills-building HIV risk-reduction intervention for female military personnel. <i>Social science & medicine</i> (1982) 72(1): 63-71	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Evans, Alexandra E.; Edmundson-Drane, Elizabeth W.; Harris, Karol K. (2000) Computer-assisted instruction: An effective instructional method for HIV prevention education?. <i>Journal of Adolescent Health</i> 26(4): 244-251	- No outcomes of interest
Ezegbe, Bernedeth, Eseadi, Chiedu, Ede, Moses O. et al. (2018) Efficacy of rational emotive digital storytelling intervention on knowledge and risk perception of HIV/AIDS among schoolchildren in Nigeria. <i>Medicine</i> 97(47): e12910	- No outcomes of interest - Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Fernandez, M. Isabel, Hosek, Sybil G., Hotton, Anna L. et al. (2016) A randomized controlled trial of POWER: An Internet-based HIV prevention intervention for Black bisexual men. <i>AIDS and Behavior</i> 20(9): 1951-1960	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Ferrer, R. A., Fisher, J. D., Buck, R. et al. (2011) Pilot test of an emotional education intervention component for sexual risk reduction. <i>Health psychology</i> 30(5): 656-660	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention

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Fiellin, L. E., Hieftje, K. D., Pendergrass, T. M. et al. (2017) Video Game Intervention for Sexual Risk Reduction in Minority Adolescents: randomized Controlled Trial. <i>Journal of medical internet research</i> 19(9): e314	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - No outcomes of interest - Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Free, C., McCarthy, O., French, R. S. et al. (2016) Can text messages increase safer sex behaviours in young people? Intervention development and pilot randomized controlled trial. <i>Health Technology Assessment</i> 20(57): 1-81	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Not a relevant study design
Gabarron, Elia and Wynn, Rolf (2016) Use of social media for sexual health promotion: a scoping review. <i>Global health action</i> 9: 32193	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Review article but not a systematic review
Gamage, Deepa G., Fuller, Candice A., Cummings, Rosey et al. (2011) Advertising sexual health services that provide sexually transmissible infection screening for rural young people - what works and what doesn't. <i>Sexual health</i> 8(3): 407-11	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Not a relevant study design
Garett, Renee; Smith, Justin; Young, Sean D. (2016) A Review of Social Media Technologies Across the Global HIV Care Continuum. <i>Current opinion in psychology</i> 9: 56-66	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Review article but not a systematic review
Gibbs, Jo, Gkatzidou, Voula, Tickle, Laura et al. (2017) 'Can you recommend any good STI apps?' A review of content, accuracy and comprehensiveness of current mobile medical applications for STIs and related genital infections. <i>Sexually transmitted infections</i> 93(4): 234-235	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Not a relevant study design
Gilbert, M., Bonnell, A., Farrell, J. et al. (2017) Click yes to consent: Acceptability of incorporating informed consent into an internet-based testing program for sexually transmitted and blood-borne infections. <i>International Journal of Medical Informatics</i> 105: 38-48	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Not a relevant study design
Gilbert, Mark, Haag, Devon, Hottes, Travis Salway et al. (2016) Get Checked... Where? The Development of a Comprehensive, Integrated Internet-Based Testing Program for Sexually Transmitted and Blood-Borne	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - No usability of the data

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Infections in British Columbia, Canada. JMIR research protocols 5(3): e186	
Goedel, William C., Mitchell, Jason W., Krebs, Paul et al. (2017) Willingness to Use Mobile Phone Apps for HIV Prevention Among Men Who Have Sex with Men in London: Web-Based Survey. JMIR mHealth and uHealth 5(10): e153	- Not a relevant study design
Gold, J., Aitken, C. K., Dixon, H. G. et al. (2011) A randomised controlled trial using mobile advertising to promote safer sex and sun safety to young people. Health education research 26(5): 782-794	- Comparator in study does not match that specified in protocol
Gold, Judy, Lim, Megan S. C., Hocking, Jane S. et al. (2011) Determining the impact of text messaging for sexual health promotion to young people. Sexually transmitted diseases 38(4): 247-52	- Not a relevant study design
Govender, Kaymarlin, Beckett, Sean, Masebo, Wilfred et al. (2019) Effects of a Short Message Service (SMS) Intervention on Reduction of HIV Risk Behaviours and Improving HIV Testing Rates Among Populations located near Roadside Wellness Clinics: A Cluster Randomised Controlled Trial in South Africa, Zimbabwe and Mozambique. AIDS and behavior	- Not focused on behaviour change
Gagnano, Andrea and Miglioretti, Massimo (2017) Is a web video effective in increasing intention to use condoms? A test based on the Health Action Process Approach. Applied Psychology Bulletin 279(65): 2-14	- No usability of the data
Guse, Kylene, Levine, Deb, Martins, Summer et al. (2012) Interventions using new digital media to improve adolescent sexual health: a systematic review. The Journal of adolescent health : official publication of the Society for Adolescent Medicine 51(6): 535-43	- Systematic review-not directly applicable to review protocol
Halpern, Carolyn Tucker, Mitchell, Ellen M. H., Farhat, Tilda et al. (2008) Effectiveness of web-based education on Kenyan and Brazilian adolescents' knowledge about HIV/AIDS, abortion law, and emergency contraception: findings from TeenWeb. Social science & medicine (1982) 67(4): 628-37	- No outcomes of interest - Study does not contain a relevant intervention

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Harrington, Elizabeth K., Drake, Alison L., Matemo, Daniel et al. (2019) An mHealth SMS intervention on Postpartum Contraceptive Use Among Women and Couples in Kenya: A Randomized Controlled Trial. American journal of public health 109(6): 934-941	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Hebert, Luciana E., Hill, Brandon J., Quinn, Michael et al. (2018) Mobile contraceptive application use in a clinical setting in addition to standard contraceptive counseling: A randomized controlled trial. Contraception 98(4): 281-287	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Heeren, G. A., Jemmott, J. B., Ngwane, Z. et al. (2013) A randomized controlled pilot study of an HIV risk-reduction intervention for sub-Saharan African university students. AIDS and behavior 17(3): 1105-1115	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Hersh, A. R., Munoz, L. F., Rincon, M. et al. (2018) Video compared to conversational contraceptive counseling during labor and maternity hospitalization in Colombia: A randomized trial. Contraception 98(3): 210-214	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Hickman, Nichole Erin and Schaar, Gina (2018) Impact of an Educational Text Message Intervention on Adolescents' Knowledge and High-Risk Behaviors. Comprehensive child and adolescent nursing 41(1): 71-82	- No outcomes of interest
Hickson, Ford, Tomlin, Keith, Hargreaves, James et al. (2015) Internet-based cohort study of HIV testing over 1 year among men who have sex with men living in England and exposed to a social marketing intervention promoting testing. Sexually transmitted infections 91(1): 24-30	- Not a relevant study design
Hieftje, Kimberly, Edelman, E. Jennifer, Camenga, Deepa R. et al. (2013) Electronic media-based health interventions promoting behavior change in youth: a systematic review. JAMA pediatrics 167(6): 574-80	- Systematic review-not directly applicable to review protocol
Hightow-Weidman, Lisa B., LeGrand, Sara, Muessig, Kathryn E. et al. (2019) A Randomized Trial of an	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention

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Online Risk Reduction Intervention for Young Black MSM. <i>AIDS and behavior</i> 23(5): 1166-1177	
Hightow-Weidman, Lisa B., Pike, Emily, Fowler, Beth et al. (2012) HealthMpowerment.org: feasibility and acceptability of delivering an internet intervention to young Black men who have sex with men. <i>AIDS care</i> 24(7): 910-20	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Horvath, Keith J. and Bauermeister, Jose A. (2017) eHealth Literacy and Intervention Tailoring Impacts the Acceptability of a HIV/STI Testing Intervention and Sexual Decision Making Among Young Gay and Bisexual Men. <i>AIDS education and prevention : official publication of the International Society for AIDS Education</i> 29(1): 14-23	- No outcomes of interest
Hou, Su- I. (2009) HIV-related behaviors among black students attending Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs) versus white students attending a traditionally white institution (TWI). <i>AIDS care</i> 21(8): 1050-7	- Not a relevant study design
Hudnut-Beumler, Julia; Po'e, Eli; Barkin, Shari (2016) The Use of Social Media for Health Promotion in Hispanic Populations: A Scoping Systematic Review. <i>JMIR public health and surveillance</i> 2(2): e32	- Review article but not a systematic review
Hugo, J. M., Stall, R. D., Rebe, K. et al. (2016) Knowledge, Attitudes and Beliefs regarding Post Exposure Prophylaxis among South African Men who have Sex with Men. <i>AIDS and behavior</i> 20(suppl3): 350-356	- Not a relevant study design
Hull, Peter, Mao, Limin, Prestage, Garrett et al. (2016) The use of mobile phone apps by Australian gay and bisexual men to meet sex partners: an analysis of sex-seeking repertoires and risks for HIV and STIs using behavioural surveillance data. <i>Sexually transmitted infections</i> 92(7): 502-507	- Not a relevant study design
Iacobucci, Gareth (2018) Sixty seconds on . . . contraceptive apps. <i>BMJ (Clinical research ed.)</i> 361: k2019	- Not a relevant study design

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Ingersoll, K., Frederick, C., MacDonnell, K. et al. (2018) A Pilot RCT of an Internet Intervention to Reduce the Risk of Alcohol-Exposed Pregnancy. <i>Alcoholism: Clinical and Experimental Research</i> 42(6): 1132-1144	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Ingersoll, Karen S., Ceperich, Sherry Dyche, Nettleman, Mary D. et al. (2005) Reducing alcohol-exposed pregnancy risk in college women: initial outcomes of a clinical trial of a motivational intervention. <i>Journal of substance abuse treatment</i> 29(3): 173-80	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Jackson, Dawnyea D., Ingram, Lucy Annang, Boyer, Cherrie B. et al. (2016) Can technology decrease sexual risk behaviors among young people? Results of a pilot study examining the effectiveness of a mobile application intervention. <i>American Journal of Sexuality Education</i> 11(1): 41-60	- Not focused on behaviour change
Jackson, Dawnyea Dominique (2015) The development, implementation, and testing of an interactive sexual health web-based application intervention to reduce sexual risk behaviors among college students. <i>Dissertation Abstracts International: Section B: The Sciences and Engineering</i> 76(1be): No-Specified	- Not a relevant study design
Jaganath, Devan, Gill, Harkiran K., Cohen, Adam Carl et al. (2012) Harnessing Online Peer Education (HOPE): integrating C-POL and social media to train peer leaders in HIV prevention. <i>AIDS care</i> 24(5): 593-600	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Johnson, W. D., Diaz, R. M., Flanders, W. D. et al. (2008) Behavioral interventions to reduce risk for sexual transmission of HIV among men who have sex with men. <i>Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews</i>	- Systematic review-not directly applicable to review protocol
Johnson, W. D., Holtgrave, D. R., McClellan, W. M. et al. (2005) HIV intervention research for men who have sex with men: a 7-year update. <i>AIDS Education and Prevention</i> 17(6): 568-589	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention

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Jones, Jamal and Salazar, Laura F. (2016) A Review of HIV Prevention Studies that Use Social Networking Sites: Implications for Recruitment, Health Promotion Campaigns, and Efficacy Trials. <i>AIDS and behavior</i> 20(11): 2772-2781	- Systematic review-not directly applicable to review protocol
Jones, Krista; Baldwin, Kathleen A.; Lewis, Patricia Ryan (2012) The potential influence of a social media intervention on risky sexual behavior and Chlamydia incidence. <i>Journal of community health nursing</i> 29(2): 106-20	- Not a relevant study design - Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Jones, Krista, Eathington, Patricia, Baldwin, Kathleen et al. (2014) The impact of health education transmitted via social media or text messaging on adolescent and young adult risky sexual behavior: a systematic review of the literature. <i>Sexually transmitted diseases</i> 41(7): 413-9	- Systematic review-not directly applicable to review protocol
Jones, Rachel (2012) Handheld computers to run ACASI to assess HIV risk and deliver tailored soap opera video feedback: acceptability among young adult urban women. <i>The Journal of the Association of Nurses in AIDS Care : JANAC</i> 23(3): 260-7	- Not a relevant study design
Jones, Rachel and Lacroix, Lorraine J. (2012) Streaming weekly soap opera video episodes to smartphones in a randomized controlled trial to reduce HIV risk in young urban African American/black women. <i>AIDS and behavior</i> 16(5): 1341-58	- No comparison group - No usability of the data
Kang, Melissa, Rochford, Arlie, Skinner, Rachel et al. (2012) Facilitating chlamydia testing among young people: a randomised controlled trial in cyberspace. <i>Sexually transmitted infections</i> 88(8): 568-73	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Kang, Melissa; Skinner, Rachel; Usherwood, Tim (2010) Interventions for young people in Australia to reduce HIV and sexually transmissible infections: a systematic review. <i>Sexual health</i> 7(2): 107-28	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Karyotaki, E. (2018) Internet-based interventions for people with HIV and depression. <i>The Lancet HIV</i> 5(9): e474-e475	- Not a relevant study design

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Kennedy, David P., Hunter, Sarah B., Chan Osilla, Karen et al. (2016) A computer-assisted motivational social network intervention to reduce alcohol, drug and HIV risk behaviors among Housing First residents. <i>Addiction science & clinical practice</i> 11(1): 4	- study protocol
Kerani, R. P., Fleming, M., Deyoung, B. et al. (2011) A randomized, controlled trial of inSPOT and patient-delivered partner therapy for gonorrhea and chlamydial infection among men who have sex with men. <i>Sexually Transmitted Diseases</i> 38(10): 941-946	- No outcomes of interest
Kitagawa, Risa (2015) Texting and sexual health: experimental evidence from an information intervention in Kenya. <i>Proceedings of the Seventh International Conference on Information and Communication Technologies and Development</i> : 1-10	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Klein, Charles H. and Card, Josefina J. (2011) Preliminary efficacy of a computer-delivered HIV prevention intervention for African American teenage females. <i>AIDS education and prevention : official publication of the International Society for AIDS Education</i> 23(6): 564-76	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Knight, R., Karamouzian, M., Salway, T. et al. (2017) Online interventions to address HIV and other sexually transmitted and blood-borne infections among young gay, bisexual and other men who have sex with men: A systematic review. <i>Journal of the International AIDS Society</i> 20(3): e25017	- Systematic review-not directly applicable to review protocol
L'Engle, Kelly L., Mangone, Emily R., Parcesepe, Angela M. et al. (2016) Mobile Phone Interventions for Adolescent Sexual and Reproductive Health: A Systematic Review. <i>Pediatrics</i> 138(3)	- Systematic review-not directly applicable to review protocol
Laisaar, Kaja-Triin, Raag, Mait, Rosenthal, Marika et al. (2015) Behavioral Interventions to Reduce Sexual Risk Behavior in Adults with HIV/AIDS Receiving HIV Care: A Systematic Review. <i>AIDS patient care and STDs</i> 29(5): 288-98	- Systematic review-not directly applicable to review protocol
Lehmiller, J. J. and loerger, M. (2014) Social networking smartphone applications and sexual health	- Not a relevant study design

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outcomes among men who have sex with men. PLoS ONE 9(1): e86603	
Lim, Megan S. C., Hocking, Jane S., Aitken, Campbell K. et al. (2012) Impact of text and email messaging on the sexual health of young people: a randomised controlled trial. Journal of epidemiology and community health 66(1): 69-74	- Study does not contain a relevant intervention
Lim, Megan S. C., Hocking, Jane S., Hellard, Margaret E. et al. (2008) SMS STI: a review of the uses of mobile phone text messaging in sexual health. International journal of STD & AIDS 19(5): 287-90	- Review article but not a systematic review
Lin, Y. J., Lee, C. H., Chang, C. C. et al. (2016) Evaluation of a Video-Based Intervention to Promote Condom Use Among College Students in Taiwan. Studies in health technology and informatics 226: 101-104	- No comparison group - No outcomes of interest
Long, L., Abraham, C., Paquette, R. et al. (2017) Erratum to "Brief interventions to prevent sexually transmitted infections suitable for in-service use: A systematic review" [Prev. Med. (2016) 91 364-382] (S0091743516301633)(10.1016/j.ypmed.2016.06.038). Preventive Medicine 96: 163-164	- Systematic review-not directly applicable to review protocol
Lopez Laureen, M., Stockton Laurie, L., Chen, Mario et al. (2014) Behavioral interventions for improving dual-method contraceptive use. Cochrane Database of Systematic Reviews: Reviews issue3	- Systematic review-not directly applicable to review protocol
Lopez, Laureen M., Grey, Thomas W., Chen, Mario et al. (2016) Behavioral interventions for improving contraceptive use among women living with HIV. The Cochrane database of systematic reviews: cd010243	- Systematic review-not directly applicable to review protocol
Lustria, Mia Liza A., Cortese, Juliann, Gerend, Mary A. et al. (2016) A model of tailoring effects: A randomized controlled trial examining the mechanisms of tailoring in a web-based STD screening intervention. Health psychology : official journal of the Division of Health Psychology, American Psychological Association 35(11): 1214-1224	- No usability of the data

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Lydie, Nathalie, de Barbeyrac, Bertille, Bluzat, Lucile et al. (2017) Chlamyweb Study I: rationale, design and acceptability of an internet-based chlamydia testing intervention. <i>Sexually transmitted infections</i> 93(3): 179-187	- No comparison group
Mangone, Emily Rose; Lebrun, Victoria; Muessig, Kathryn E. (2016) Mobile Phone Apps for the Prevention of Unintended Pregnancy: A Systematic Review and Content Analysis. <i>JMIR mHealth and uHealth</i> 4(1): e6	- Systematic review-not directly applicable to review protocol
Mausbach, B. T., Semple, S. J., Strathdee, S. A. et al. (2007) Efficacy of a behavioral intervention for increasing safer sex behaviors in HIV-negative, heterosexual methamphetamine users: results from the Fast-Lane Study. <i>Annals of behavioral medicine</i> 34(3): 263-274	- No eligible population - Study does not contain a relevant intervention
McKenney, Jennie, Sullivan, Patrick S., Bowles, Kristina E. et al. (2018) HIV Risk Behaviors and Utilization of Prevention Services, Urban and Rural Men Who Have Sex with Men in the United States: Results from a National Online Survey. <i>AIDS and behavior</i> 22(7): 2127-2136	- Not a relevant study design
Miller, M. K., Champassak, S., Goggin, K. et al. (2016) Brief behavioral intervention to improve adolescent sexual health a feasibility study in the emergency department. <i>Pediatric Emergency Care</i> 32(1): 17-19	- No usability of the data - Not a relevant study design
Mobley, Victoria, Cope, Anna, Dzialowy, Nicole et al. (2018) A Comparison of Syphilis Partner Notification Outcomes by Reported Use of Internet-based Apps to Meet Sex Partners in North Carolina, 2013-2016. <i>Sexually transmitted diseases</i> 45(12): 823-828	- Not a relevant study design
Moniz, Michelle H.; Meyn, Leslie A.; Beigi, Richard H. (2015) Text Messaging to Improve Preventive Health Attitudes and Behaviors During Pregnancy: A Prospective Cohort Analysis. <i>The Journal of reproductive medicine</i> 60(910): 378-82	- No usability of the data

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Muessig, Kathryn E., Pike, Emily C., Legrand, Sara et al. (2013) Mobile phone applications for the care and prevention of HIV and other sexually transmitted diseases: a review. <i>Journal of medical Internet research</i> 15(1): e1	- Review article but not a systematic review
Nadarzynski, Tom, Burton, Jack, Henderson, Kimberley et al. (2019) Targeted advertisement of chlamydia screening on social media: A mixed-methods analysis. <i>Digital health</i> 5: 2055207619827193	- Not a relevant study design
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Appendix L – Intervention matrix

The intervention matrix was made to assess if any associations between intervention components and effectiveness could be deduced. This was then to be tested through subgroup analysis. However, this was not possible because the interventions contained many different components and combinations of components. Therefore, deducing which single components that were associated with effectiveness was not possible.

Key for “Outcomes” columns	
Most effective (green boxes)	Significantly more effective than other arms.
Equivalent (yellow boxes)	If the other arm is "most effective", then equivalent arm is also effective, but the other arm is significantly more effective
	If the other arm is "ineffective", then equivalent arm is also ineffective, but the other arm is significantly less effective
Ineffective (red boxes)	Significantly less effective than other arms.

Study	Intervention mode	Arm	Components of intervention							Components of intervention													
			Personalised feedback	subjective norms	normative feedback	Decisional balance exercise	verbal persuasion	Health information	Safe sex advice	info on condom use	info on STI barriers	skills to address condom use barriers	Education on harms of STI	education and prevention of HIV	benefits adopting protective behaviour	disclosure of HIV status	Multiple health assessment	Assess risk behaviour	booster session	Knowledge on smoking and cessation			
No chronic condition																							
Bannink 2014	computer	Intervention Control	Yes No	No No	yes No	yes No	yes No	No No	No No	Yes No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	Yes yes	No No				
Bailey 2016	Computer	Intervention Control	Yes No	No No	No No	No No	No No	Yes No	No No	No No	No No	Yes No	Yes No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No				
Bowen 2008	computer	Intervention Control	Yes No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	Yes No	No No	No No	No No	No No	Yes No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No				
Carpenter 2010	computer	Intervention Control	Yes No	No No	No No	No No	No No	Yes Yes	No No	Yes No	No No	No No	No No	Yes No	No No	No No	No No	Yes No	No No				
Chernick 2017	text	Intervention Control	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	Yes Yes	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No				
Downs 2004	Video	Intervention Control	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	Yes No	No No	Yes No	No No	No No	No No	No No	yes No	No No	No No	No No	No No				
Gilbert 2008	Video	Intervention Control	yes No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	Yes No	Yes No				
Grimley 2009	Computer	Intervention Control	Yes No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	Yes Yes	No No				
Kiene 2006	Computer	Intervention Control	yes No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	yes No	No No	No No	No No	No No	yes No	No No	No No	No No	No No				
Klein 2017	Computer	Intervention Control	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	yes No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No				
Mevisen 2011	computer	Intervention other intervention Control	yes No No	No No No	No No No	No No No	No No No	yes No No	Yes Yes No	No No No	No Yes No	Yes Yes No	Yes No No	No No No	No No No	No No No	No No No	No No No	No No No				
Milam 2016	Computer	Intervention Control	yes No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	yes yes	Yes Yes	No No	No No	No No	No No	yes yes	No No	Yes No	Yes No	No No				
Sufoletto 2013	Text	Intervention Control	yes No	No No	No No	No No	No No	yes No	No No	No No	No No	yes No	No No	yes No	No No	No No	No No	yes No	No No				
McCarthy 2019	text	Intervention Control	No No	No No	No No	No No	yes No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No				
Cheng 2019	computer	Intervention Control	No No	yes No	No No	No No	No No	yes No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	yes No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No				

Study	Components of intervention						Monitoring													normative beliefs	positive Attitudes towards condom
	Exercises/quizzes	Intention discuss STI testing	cognitive rehearsal	scripted dialogue/scenarios	general text messages for the study	Videos/audio files	building skills by identifying specific risk reduction behaviours	action planning	decisional balance	prompts and cues	Goal setting	Review behaviour goals.	choosing preferred approaches to safer sex	Readiness/ Stage of change	motivation texts	problem solving	promote positive behaviour movements	Reminders			
No chronic con																					
Bannink 2014	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	yes	No	yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	yes	No	No	
Bailey 2016	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	No	yes	Yes	yes	No	No	No	Yes	No	No	No	No	
Bowen 2008	No	No	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	yes	No	No	No	No	yes	No	No	
Carpenter 2010	Yes	No	No	No	No	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	
Chernick 2017	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	
Downs 2004	No	No	Yes	No	No	yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	
Gilbert 2008	No	No	No	yes	No	yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	
Grimley 2009	No	No	No	No	No	yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	
Kiene 2006	yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	yes	No	No	yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	
Klein 2017	No	No	No	No	No	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	
Mevissen 2011	No	Yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	yes	yes	yes	
Milam 2016	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	yes	No	No	No	
Sufoletto 2013	No	No	No	No	No	yes	No	No	No	No	yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	yes	No	No	
McCarthy 2019	No	No	No	No	yes	No	No	No	No	No	yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	
Cheng 2019	No	No	No	Yes	No	No	No	No	yes	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	

Study								Outcomes			
	Reminders	normative beliefs	positive Attitudes towards condom	Motivation and self-efficacy	virtual consultant/ men	Tailoring	Intensity	Condom use	STI	Engagement	contraceptive use
No chronic con											
Bannink 2014	yes No	No No	No No	No No	No No	Yes No	1 session with optional extra reading after completing intervention usual care (assessment with questionnaire)				
Bailey 2016	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	un known unknown (clinic care)				
Boven 2008	yes No	No No	No No	yes No	Yes No	Yes No	3 modules, each at least 48h apart Pre-test questionnaires				
Carpenter 2010	No No	No No	No No	yes No	No No	yes No	1 session 1 session				
Chernick 2017	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	Daily to every 5 days wallet card,physician monologue				
Downs 2004	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	1 session, but participants could do the intervention over a few sessions pagebook/ brochures				
Gilbert 2008	No No	No No	No No	No No	yes No	yes No	1 session with booster session at 3 months clinic usual care				
Grimley 2009	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	yes No	15 min session 15 min session				
Kiene 2006	No No	No No	No No	yes No	No No	yes No	2 sessions unknown				
Klein 2017	No No	No No	No No	yes No	No No	No No	2 sessions not known				
Mevisen 2011	yes No No	yes yes No	yes yes No	yes yes No	Yes No No	yes No No	unknown unknown unknown				
Milam 2016	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	yes No	every month for 12 months 12 months survey				
Sufoletto 2013	yes No	No No	No No	yes No	No No	No No	every Sunday at noon text messages sent each week for 12 weeks				
McCarthy 2019	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	yes No	0-3 texts/ day for 120 days 16 text messages over 120 days				
Cheng 2019	No No	No No	No No	No No	No No	yes No	intervention with 2 parts unknown				

Key:
Most effective
Equivalent
Ineffective
 Proportion of people abstinent considered effective: 20%