

Reporting Items for Updated Clinical Guidelines: Checklist for the Reporting of Updated Guidelines (CheckUp)

Item	Assessment	Reported on page number	Notes
1. The updated version can be distinguished from the previous version of the clinical guideline	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unclear <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable		
2. The rationale for updating the clinical guideline is reported	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unclear <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable		
3. Changes in the scope and purpose between the updated and previous version are described and justified	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unclear <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable		
4. The sections reviewed in the updating process are described	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unclear <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable		
5. Recommendations are clearly presented and labelled as new, modified, or not changed. Deleted recommendations are clearly noted	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unclear <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable		
6. Changes in recommendations are reported and justified	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unclear <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable		
7. The panel participants in the updated version are described	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unclear <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable		
8. Disclosures of interests of the group responsible for the updated version are recorded	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unclear <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable		

9.	The role of the funding body for the updated version is identified and described	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unclear <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable		
10.	The methods used for searching and identifying new evidence in the updating process are described	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unclear <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable		
11.	The methods used for evidence selection in the updating process are described	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unclear <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable		
12.	The methods used to assess the quality of the included evidence in the updating process are described	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unclear <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable		
13.	The methods used for the evidence synthesis in the updating process are described	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unclear <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable		
14.	The methods used for externally reviewing the updated version are described	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unclear <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable		
15.	The methods and plan for implementing the changes of the updated version in practice are described	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unclear <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable		
16.	The plan and methods for updating the new version in the future are reported	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unclear <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable		