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| **Included** | **Excluded** |
| **Design** | |
| Case note analyses (longitudinal) | Qualitative only studies |
| Case control  Retrospective cohort | Systematic review or meta-analysis (categorise in separate folder) |
| Prospective cohort | Narrative review |
|  | Non-English/Spanish language (if translation can’t be found) |
|  | Commentaries |
|  | Case studies |
|  | Small N samples (<20 eligible participants) |
|  | Conference abstracts |
|  | Books |
| **Population** | |
| Psychiatric diagnosis | Non-psychiatric inpatients OR mixed samples that were not segregated for analysis |
| Current adult inpatients (voluntary or involuntary)  Consent to treatment decisions (broadly defined) | Majority focus on organic disorders (e.g. delirium, dementia or intellectual disability)  Child or older adult sample  Non-treatment decisions only |
| **Data/Outcomes** | |
| Association between psychopathology and capacity (measured as either a binary clinical judgment or using a validated capacity scale) | No association between capacity and psychopathology investigated OR no reliability statistic reported |
| Inter-rater reliability (broadly defined) |  |

**Table 1.** A full list of inclusion/exclusion criteria

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**Figure 1.** Forest plot for the meta-analysis of BPRS scores

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**Figure 2.** Forest plot for the meta-analysis of MMSE scores

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**Figure 3.** Forest plot for the meta-analysis of GAF scores