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**Supplement DS1 Database search**

MEDLINE: inception-July 30th, 2016

Search terms: ((Ketamine OR Ketofol) AND (Electroconvulsive Therapy OR ECT))

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Cochrane Central Register of Controlled Trials (CENTRAL): inception-July 30th, 2016

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**Table DS1.** *Excluded studies and reasons (for additional not meeting inclusion criteria, please see McGirr et al, 2015).*

<b>Study</b>	<b>Reason</b>
Abdallah et al, 2012 (1)	Conference abstract, study results published and included
Bodnar et al, 2015 (2)	Conference abstract, study results published and included
Erdil et al, 2015a (3)	Physiological parameters only
Erdil et al, 2015b (4)	Physiological parameters only
Erdogan et al, 2012 (5)	EEG focus - Crossover study preventing extraction of control group
Trevithick et al, 2015 (6)	Study protocol, study results provided by investigators and included (Anderson et al, in press).
Wang et al, 2013 (7)	Correspondence
Wang et al, 2012 (8)	Single ECT session

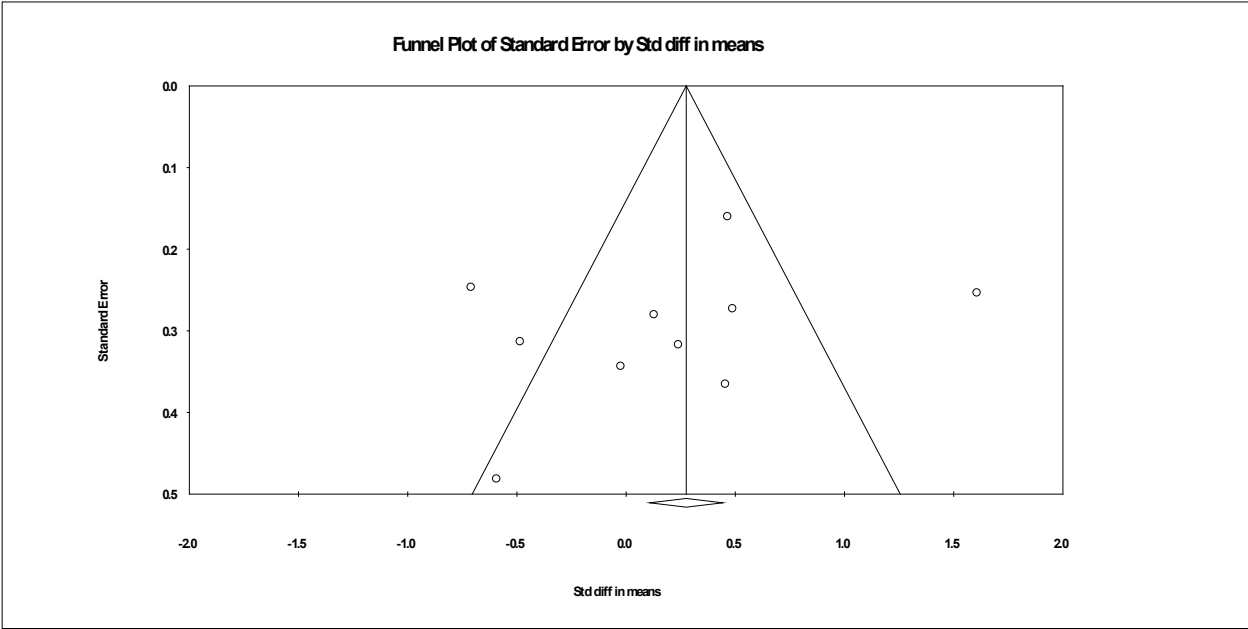
**Table DS2.** *Trial evaluation using the Cochrane Collaboration’s Tool for Assessing Risk of Bias*

<b>Study</b>	<b>Random sequence generation</b>	<b>Allocation concealment</b>	<b>Blinding of participants and personnel</b>	<b>Incomplete outcome data</b>	<b>Selective reporting</b>	<b>Other Bias</b>
Abdallah et al, 2012	Unclear	Unclear	Low	Low	Low	Halted for Futility
Anderson et al, in press	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low	Incorrect ketamine dosing in 11 patients
Jarventausta et al, 2013	Low	Unclear	Low	Low	Low	-
Kuscu et al, 2015	Unclear	Unclear	Participants – Unclear Personnel - Low	High	High (Clinical Response defined but not reported)	Data is not presented on 3 patients withdrawn due to adverse events
Loo et al, 2012	Low	Unclear	Low	Low	Low	National thiopental shortage; n=3 propofol
Rybakowski et al, in press	Unclear	Unclear	Participants – Unclear Personnel - Low	Low	Low	Three group design - one of the groups had 5 days of ketamine exposure whereas the other had 2. Ketamine

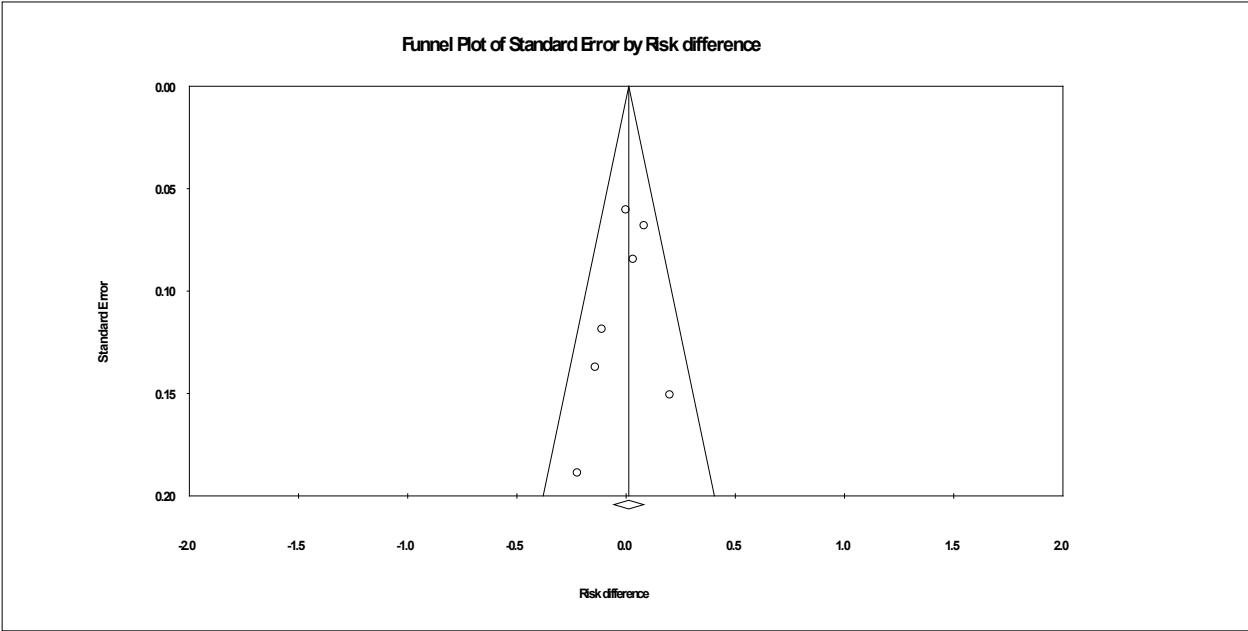
						exposure was the same at session 5.
Salehi et al, 2015	Low	Unclear	High	Low	Low	<p>Title and Abstract describe a double-blind RCT, however single-blind method description</p> <p>Unclear description of methods/missing information</p> <p>Prolonged delirium reported in &gt;60% of ketamine treated and &gt;45% of thiopental treated after every ECT session.</p>
Shams Alizadeh et al, 2015	Low	Unclear	Low	Low	High (Clinical Response defined but not reported)	Data is not presented on 2 withdrawn patients
Yoosefi et al, 2014	Low	Unclear	Low	Low	Low	No patients meeting criteria for

						clinical response after 6 ECT sessions
Zhong et al, 2016	Unclear	Unclear	Low	Low	Low	100% response rate by 8 ECT for all conditions

**Fig. DS1.** *Funnel Plot for standardized mean difference in clinician rated depression score.*



**Fig. DS2.** *Funnel Plot for clinical response rates.*



**Fig. DS3.** *Funnel Plot for clinical remission rates.*

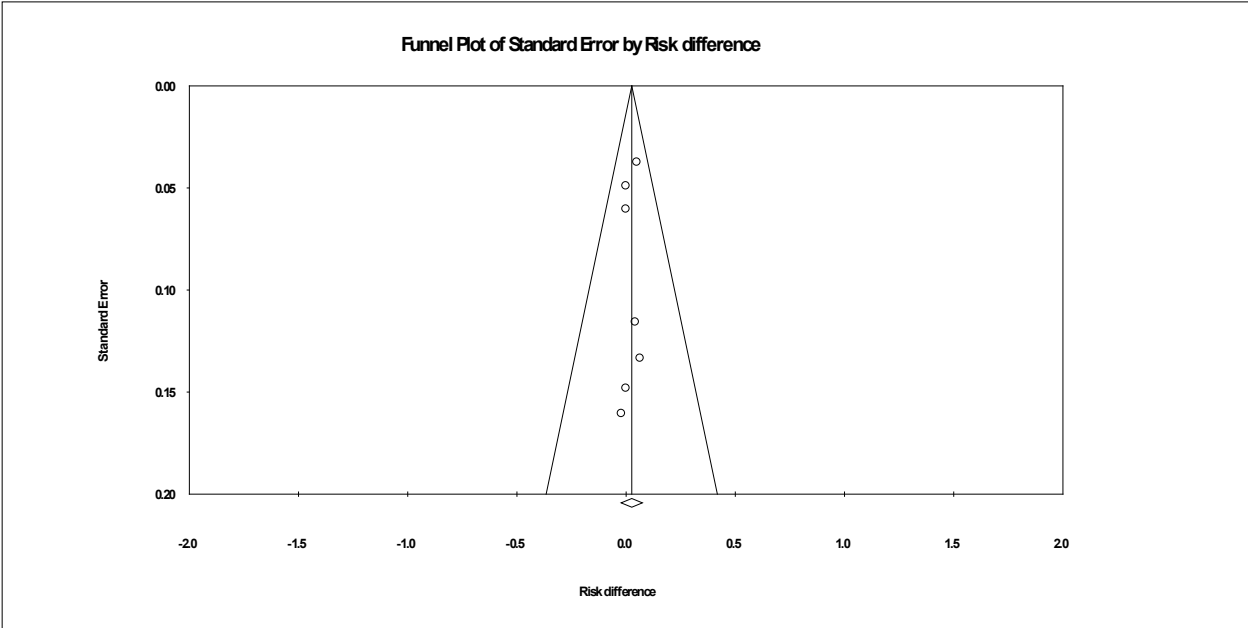
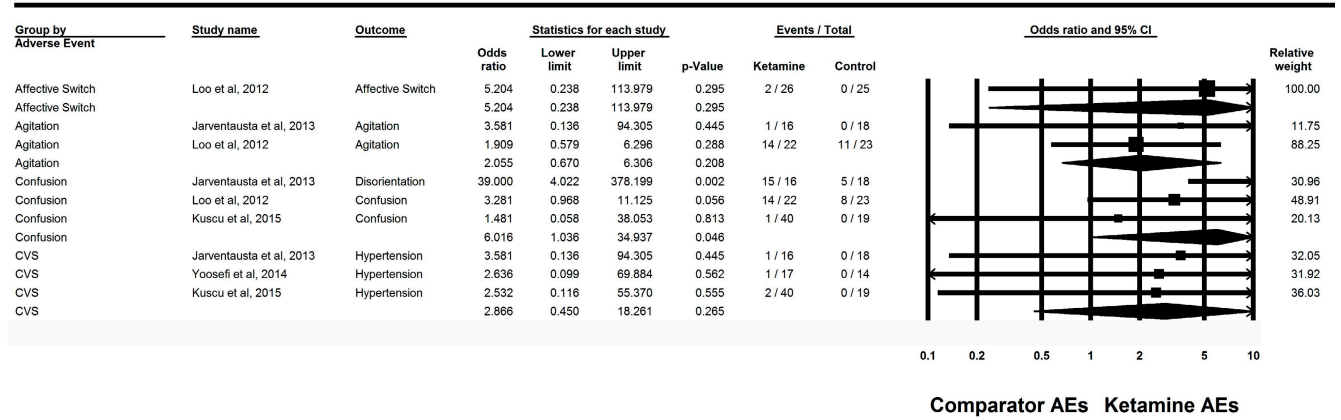




Fig. DS4. Adverse Events



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