

Supplemental material for “Outcomes of clinical ethics support near the end of life. A systematic review of qualitative and survey studies and qualitative research in Clinical ethics support services near end of life. Systematic Review” - Critical aAppraisal

**Fig. 1 Critical Appraisal of Quantitative Studies**

	Clear question	Appropriate design	Clear sampling?	Selection bias possible	Representative sample	Power analysis	Satisfactory response rate	Valid and reliable questionnaire	Confidence Intervals given	Other bias
Cohn 2007	+	+	+	+	?	?	+	?	-	+
DuVal 2004	+	+	+	-	+	?	+	?	-	+
Kalager 2011	+	+	+	+	?	?	?	?	-	-
LaPuma 1988	+	+	+	-	?	?	?	?	-	-
LaPuma 1992	+	+	+	-	?	?	+	?	-	?
McClung 1996	+	+	+	-	?	?	+	?	-	+
Orr 1996	+	+	+	+	?	?	+	?	-	-
Perkins 1988	+	+	+	-	?	?	+	?	-	+
Schneiderman 2006	+	+	+	+	?	?	+	?	-	+
White 1993	+	+	+	-	?	?	+	?	-	+

**Fig. 2** Critical Appraisal of Qualitative Studies

	Congruity philosophy - methodology	Congruity methodology - objectives	Congruity methodology - data collection	Congruity methodology - analysis of data	Congruity methodology - interpretation of results	Theoretical & cultural location of researcher	Influence of researcher on research	Adequate participant representation	Conclusions grounded in data
Kelly 1997	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	?
Orr 1996	?	?	?	?	?	-	-	?	-
Shippee-Rice 1990	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+
Svantesson 2008	?	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+