

Supplementary Table 2. Assessment of publication bias using an Egger's test for nine studies

| Std.Eff | Coefficient | Std. error | t | P> t | 95% CI |
|---------|-------------|------------|------|-------|-----------------|
| slope | 0.692 | 0.379 | 1.82 | 0.111 | -0.205 to 1.590 |
| bias | 1.710 | 1.427 | 1.20 | 0.270 | -1.666 to 5.08 |

Number of studies=9.

Std. Eff, standardized effect size; Std.error, standard error; CI, confidence interval.