

Supplementary Table 1. Full List of Formatted Search Terms

Embase Classic+Embase search terms <1947 to 2021 November 12>

1	Chronic illness*.mp.	25718
2	chronic condition*.mp.	33249
3	long-term condition*.mp.	2940
4	long-term health condition*.mp.	352
5	long-term illness*.mp.	983
6	Chronic disease*.mp.	269041
7	Chronic health condition*.mp.	4176
8	Long-lasting disease*.mp.	388
9	long-lasting condition*.mp.	69
10	Inflammatory Bowel Disease.mp.	95288
11	exp ulcerative colitis/ or exp colitis/ or exp Crohn disease/ or exp inflammatory bowel disease/	255342
12	Ulcerative Colitis.mp.	94775
13	UC.mp.	49264
14	Crohns Disease.mp.	80934
15	CD.mp.	214417
16	rheumatoid arthritis.mp.	257628
17	MS.mp.	523172
18	multiple sclerosis.mp.	161082
19	(Intervention* or RCT or Randomised Control Trial* or Clinical Trial* or Online intervention* or Web-based intervention* or digital intervention* or digital health intervention* or app intervention*).mp.	3341829

20	1 or 2 or 3 or 4 or 5 or 6 or 7 or 8 or 9 or 10 or 11 or 12 or 13 or 14 or 15 or 16 or 17 or 18 1587598
21	Adherence.mp. 235416
22	medication adherence.mp. 21202
23	patient compliance.mp. 149479
24	adher*.mp. 341384
25	complian*.mp. 384614
26	persit*.mp. 210
27	discount*.mp. 22340
28	non-complian*.mp. 14761
29	concordan*.mp. 115308
30	non-concordan*.mp. 597
31	non-persisten*.mp. 1656
32	Non-adheren*.mp. 19337
33	medication non adherence.mp. 1673
34	medication non compliance.mp.307
35	Intervention*.mp. 1669396
36	RCT.mp. 46549
37	Randomised Control Trial*.mp. 3658
38	Clinical Trial*.mp. 1869027
39	Online intervention*.mp. 1388
40	Web-based intervention*.mp. 2563
41	digital intervention*.mp. 749
42	digital health intervention*.mp. 413
43	app intervention*.mp. 184

44	21 or 22 or 23 or 24 or 25 or 26 or 27 or 28 or 29 or 30 or 31 or 32 or 33 or 34	780868
45	35 or 36 or 37 or 38 or 39 or 40 or 41 or 42 or 43	3341829
46	20 and 44 and 45	12699
47	limit 46 to (english and (adult <18 to 64 years> or aged <65+ years>))	6179

Supplementary Table 2. Categories of Interventions

	<u>Approach Type</u>				
	Technology Assisted	Educational	Monitoring	Psychological/ Behaviour Change	Tools
<u>Examples</u>	<i>Text message reminders, Web-based interventions, Telephone.</i>	<i>E-learning; Teaching sessions.</i>	<i>Electronic pill bottle/s &/or caps; Pill counts; Telephone check-ups.</i>	<i>Cognitive Behavioural Therapy; Motivational Interviewing; Counselling.</i>	<i>Pill box organiser; Diaries; Information pack, Advice sheet.</i>
<u>Description</u>	<i>Electronic system is used to support adherence.</i>	<i>Education provided to participants in various formats.</i>	<i>Frequent checking of participants' adherence behaviour/s.</i>	<i>Psychological approach based upon a theoretical framework.</i>	<i>Physical items offered to participants and used independently.</i>
<u>Predominant Intervention Component/s</u>	Chapman et al ⁴ , 2020 Cross et al ⁴⁷ , 2012 De Jong et al ⁴⁸ , 2017 Del Hoyo et al ⁴⁹ , 2018	Chapman et al ⁴ , 2020 El Miedany et al ⁵⁰ , 2012 El Miedany, Gaafary & Palmer ⁵¹ , 2012 Nikolaus et al ⁵⁷ , 2014	Cross et al ⁴⁷ , 2012 Del Hoyo et al ⁴⁹ , 2018 Hebing et al ⁵² , 2022 Landtblom et al ³⁶ , 2012	Asgari et al ⁴⁶ , 2021 Cross et al ⁴⁷ , 2021 Chapman et al ⁴ , 2020 El Miedany et al ⁵⁰ , 2012 Ferguson et al ⁴⁵ , 2014	Cross et al ⁴⁷ , 2012

	El Miedany, Gaafary & Palmer⁵¹, 2012 Landtblom et al ³⁶ , 2012 Linn et al ⁵⁴ , 2018 Mary et al⁵⁵, 2019 Rice et al⁵⁸, 2021 Settle et al ⁵⁹ , 2016 Song et al⁶⁰, 2020 Turner et al⁶³, 2014	Song et al⁶⁰, 2020 Taibanguay et al ⁶¹ , 2019 Tan et al ⁶² , 2021 Unk et al ⁶⁴ , 2014	Matteson-Kome et al ⁵⁶ , 2014 Rice et al⁵⁸, 2021 Settle et al ⁵⁹ , 2016 van Heuckelum ⁶⁵ , 2021	Hebing et al ⁵² , 2022 Keefer et al ⁵³ , 2012 Linn et al ⁵⁴ , 2018 Mary et al⁵⁵, 2019 Song et al⁶⁰, 2020 Taibanguay et al ⁶¹ , 2019 Turner et al⁶³, 2014 Zwikker et al ⁶⁶ , 2014	
<u>Secondary Intervention Component/s</u>	NIL	Asgari et al⁴⁶, 2021 Cross et al ⁴⁷ , 2012. De Jong et al⁴⁸, 2017 Del Hoyo et al⁴⁹, 2018 Landtblom et al ³⁶ , 2019 Settle et al ⁵⁹ , 2016 Zwikker et al ⁶⁶ , 2014	De Jong et al⁴⁸, 2017 Turner et al⁶³, 2014	van Heuckelum et al ⁶⁵ , 2021	Asgari et al⁴⁶, 2020 Del Hoyo et al⁴⁹, 2018 El Miedany et al⁵⁰, 2012 Mary et al⁵⁵, 2019 Landtblom et al ³⁶ , 2012

Note: Studies in **Bold** text were found to have a significantly effective adherence intervention at completion when compared to controls