

Table S1. Search strategy in CENTRAL, Ovid-Medline and PubMed databases.

CENTRAL
<p>#1 xanthine oxidase inhibitors #2 MeSH descriptor: [Gout Suppressants] explode all trees #3 Febuxostat #4 MeSH descriptor: [Allopurinol] explode all trees #5 Allopurinol #6 MeSH descriptor: [Febuxostat] explode all trees #7 Topiroxostat #8 MeSH descriptor: [Kidney Failure, Chronic] explode all trees #9 MeSH descriptor: [Renal Insufficiency, Chronic] explode all trees #10 CKD or CRF or CRI #11 renal insufficiency or renal failure #12 (#1 or #2 or #3 or #4 or #5 or #6 or #7) #13 (#8 or #9 or #10 or #11) #14 (#12 and #13)</p>
OVID-Medline
<p>1. Kidney diseases [Included related terms] 2. Kidney diseases.mp. or exp Kidney Diseases/ 3. Renal insufficiency.mp. or exp Renal Insufficiency/ 4. Chronic renal insufficiency.mp. or exp Renal Insufficiency, Chronic/ 5. chronic kidney.tw. 6. chronic renal.tw. 7. CKF.tw. 8. ckd.tw. 9. crf.tw. 10. crd.tw. 11. 1 or 2 or 3 or 4 or 5 or 6 or 7 or 8 or 9 or 10 12. exp Febuxostat/ or exp Allopurinol/ or exp Gout Suppressants/ 13. febuxostat.tw. 14. allopurinol.tw. 15. topiroxostat.tw. 16. 12 or 13 or 14 or 15 17. 11 and 16 18. limit 17 to human</p>
PubMed
<p>((xanthine oxidase inhibitor OR topiroxostat OR allopurinol OR febuxostat) AND (chronic renal insufficiency OR chronic kidney disease OR chronic renal failure OR CKD or CRF))</p>

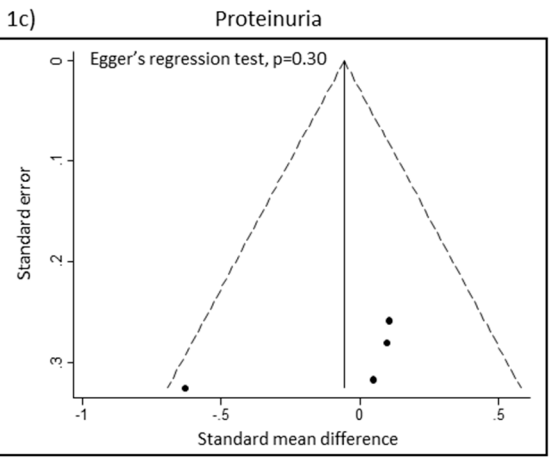
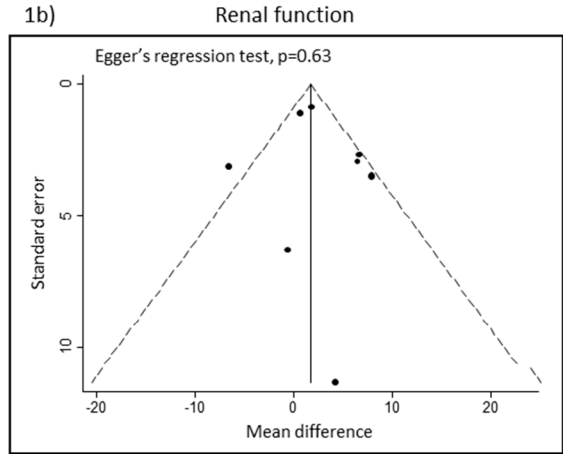
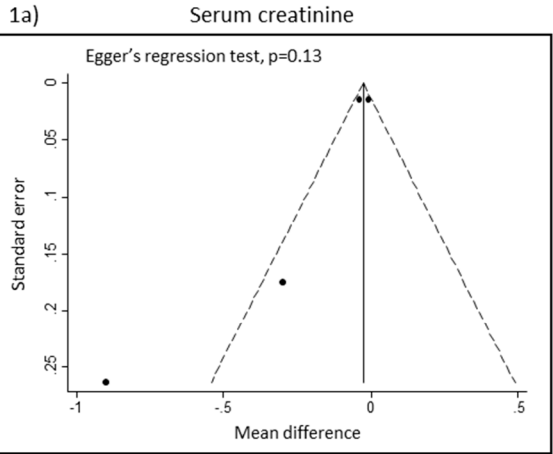


Figure S1. Funnel plots of standard error by difference/standard difference in means and Egger's regression test for assessing publication bias