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Question: Immunonutrition compared to standard formula in upper gastrointestinal surgery
Setting:
Bibliography: ¹

Certainty assessment							Impact	Certainty	Importance
Ns of studies	Study design	Risk of bias	Inconsistency	Indirectness	Imprecision	Other considerations			
Song, 2017 ²									
11	randomised trials	not serious	not serious	not serious	serious ^a	none		<div>⊕⊕⊕⊖ Moderate</div>	
Zuho 2021 ³									
6	randomised trials	not serious	not serious	not serious	not serious	none		<div>⊕⊕⊕⊕ High</div>	
Wong CS ⁴									
19	randomised trials	serious	not serious	not serious	not serious	none		<div>⊕⊕⊕⊖ Moderate</div>	
Adiamah 2021 ⁵									
1	randomised trials	not serious	not serious	not serious	not serious	none		<div>⊕⊕⊕⊕ High</div>	
Cao 2022 ⁶									
15	randomised trials	serious	serious ^b	not serious	serious ^c	none		<div>⊕⊖⊖⊖ Very low</div>	
Cheng 2018 ⁷									
7	randomised trials	serious	not serious	not serious	serious ^d	none		<div>⊕⊕⊖⊖ Low</div>	
Li 2020 ⁸									
1	randomised trials	not serious	not serious	not serious	not serious	none		<div>⊕⊕⊕⊕ High</div>	
Niu JW 2021 ⁹									
6	randomised trials	serious ^e	serious ^f	not serious	not serious	none		<div>⊕⊕⊖⊖ Low</div>	
Li XK 2021 ¹⁰									
1	randomised trials	not serious	serious ^g	not serious	not serious	none		<div>⊕⊕⊕⊖ Moderate</div>	
Kanekiyo, 2019 ¹¹									
1	randomised trials	not serious	not serious	not serious	not serious	none		<div>⊕⊕⊕⊕ High</div>	

CI: confidence interval

Explanations

- a. Regional data bases
- b. Observational studies
- c. lack time with IN
- d.
- e. Half of studies from same country
- f. no exclusion criteria
- g. laboratory values without clinical relevance

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