## Narrative Review Checklist

| Section/Topic | Item No | Item | Reported on Page Number/Line Number | Reported on Section/Paragraph |
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| **TITLE** | | | | |
| Title | 1 | Identify the report as a Narrative Review or Literature Review. | Page1/Line3-4 | Title/Paragrap1 |
| **ABSTRACT** | | | | |
| Structured summary | 2 | Provide a structured summary with the subsections as: objective, background, methods, conclusion (1). | Page1-2/Line29-47 | Abstract/Paragraph1 |
| **INTRODUCTION** | | | | |
| Rationale/background | 3 | Describe the rationale for the review in the context of what is already known. | Page2-3/Line55-80 | Introduction/Paragraph1-2 |
| Objectives | 4 | Specify the key question(s) identified for the review topic. | Page3/Line81-86 | Introduction/Paragraph2 |
| **METHODS** | | | | |
| Research selection | 5 | Specify the process for identifying the literature search (eg, years considered, language, publication status, study design, and databases of coverage). | n/a | n/a |
| **DISCUSSION/SUMMARY** | | | | |
| Narrative | 6 | Discuss: 1) research reviewed including fundamental or key findings, 2) limitations and/or quality of research reviewed, and 3) need for future research. | Page3-8/Line92-264 | Narrative/Paragraph1-15 |
| Summary | 7 | Provide an overall interpretation of the narrative review in the context of clinical practice and/or the Nutrition Care Process for registered dietitian nutritionists, clinical practice for other health professionals, policy development and implementation, or future research. | Page8-9/Line266-277 | Conclusion/Paragraph1 |

Reference

1. Green BN, Johnson CD, Adams A. Writing narrative literature reviews for peer-reviewed journals: secrets of the trade. J Sports Chiropr Rehabil 2001;15:5–19.

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