The proposed items in the PRIBA to be used for reporting bibliometric studies, adapted from the PRISMA Checklist.

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	1b	Indicate the coverage period.	Line 2	Title
Abstract				
Abstract	2a	Provide an explicit statement of objective(s).	Line 27-28	Abstract
	2b	Specify the data sources.	Line 30	Abstract
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	2d	Provide results for main outcomes.	Line 32-41	Abstract
	2e	Provide an overall interpretation of the results and implications.	Line 42-44	Abstract
Introduction				
Rationale	3	Describe the rationale for the study.	Line 71-75	1 Introduction
Objectives	4	Provide an explicit statement of objective(s).	Line 76	1 Introduction
Methods				
Data source	5a	Specific the database(s) or other data sources searched.	Line 112	2.2 Data Search and Screening
	5b	Describe the characteristics of the data source.	Line 110-111	2.2 Data Search and Screening
	5c	Specify the date when the search was conducted.	Line 113	2.2 Data Search and Screening
Eligibility criteria	6	Specify the inclusion and exclusion criteria, such as language, article types, and coverage period.	Line 123-125	2.2 Data Search and Screening
Search strategy	7	Specify the search strategy and keywords used.	Line 114-123	2.2 Data Search and Screening
Bibliometric indicators	8	Describe the bibliometric indicators used.	Line 83-108	2.1 Terms related to Bibliometric Analysis
Analytical software	9	Specify the software package(s) used and the settings selected.	Line 134-142	2.3 Data Analysis and Visualization
Results				
Search process	10	Describe the results of the search and selection processes, and use a flow diagram if necessary.	Line 142	2.3 Data Analysis and Visualization
Bibliometric indicators	11	Describe the results of bibliometric indicators, including quantity, performance, and structural indicators.	Line 147-227	3 Results
Figures	12	Prepare figures with an adequate resolution for online and print readability.	Line 695-718	Figures
Discussion			·	·
Conclusions	13	Summarize key results with reference to study objective(s).	Line 233-281	4.1 General Information
Limitations	14	Discuss any limitations and impact of potential bias.	Line 465-467	5 Conclusions
Interpretation	15	Interpret the results in the context of background knowledge.	Line 282-455	4.2 Research Status & 4.3 Research Frontiers
Other information				
Support	16	Describe the sources of financial or non-financial support and the role of funders or sponsors.	Line 469-471	Acknowledgements
Conflicts Of interest	17	Declare any competing interests of the author(s).	Line 478-479	Footnote
Data availability	18	Specify if data are publicly available and the route of access.	Line 475-477	Footnote

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