

<p>1. Is the publication considered a controlled clinical trial?</p> <p>a. No STOP</p> <p>b. Yes (with control group) <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p><i>If yes, list study type:</i></p> <hr/>	<p>7. Does the study report on any of the following patient outcomes?</p> <p>Use of psychotropic drugs <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Cognition <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Mood <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Behavioral disturbances <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Social function <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Physical function <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Hospitalizations, institutionalization, ER or other healthcare visits <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Accidents <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Health-related quality of life <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Satisfaction with healthcare <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>All cause mortality <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Other, specify <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>None of the above <input type="checkbox"/> proceed to Q8</p>
<p>2. Does the study population at least partly include patients with dementia?</p> <p>a. No STOP</p> <p>b. Yes <input type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>3. Was the study conducted in an outpatient care setting (including home-based care, ambulatory care, and extended-care facilities)?</p> <p>a. No STOP</p> <p>b. Yes <input type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>4. Does the study address any of the following behavioral symptoms: apathy, agitation, disruptive vocalizations, aggression, disturbed sleep, wandering, impulsivity, disinhibition, depression, inappropriate sexual behavior, or chronic/intermittent hallucinations and delusions?</p> <p>a. No STOP</p> <p>b. Yes <input type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>5. Does the study evaluate the effectiveness, safety, or cost of any form of animal (pet) assisted therapy?</p> <p>a. No STOP</p> <p>b. Yes <input type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>6. Does the comparator group consist of usual care (no treatment/intervention)?</p> <p>a. No STOP</p> <p>b. Yes <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>8. Is the text of the article in English?</p> <p>a. Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></p> <p>9. If this article meets no other criterion, should it be saved for background, discussion, or other reasons?</p> <p>a. No STOP</p> <p>b. Yes: narrative review, general description, reports of uncontrolled studies, informal observational studies with potentially useful references <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>c. Yes: clinical guidelines <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>d. Yes: discusses methodological issues <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>e. Yes: other non-pharmacological therapy, may apply to larger report <input type="checkbox"/></p>