

APPENDIX 2: TITLE AND ABSTRACT SCREENING CHECKLIST

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	Include	Exclude
1. What is the study population in this article?	<input type="checkbox"/> Patients presenting in the ED with chest pain <input type="checkbox"/> Patients with suspected ACS or AMI <input type="checkbox"/> Can't tell	<input type="checkbox"/> Patients in non-ED hospital setting; i.e., regular hospital wards, intensive care unit (ICU), coronary care unit (CCU) <input type="checkbox"/> Community-based/non-institutional care settings
2. What is the intervention?	<input type="checkbox"/> hs-cTnT <input type="checkbox"/> hs-cTnI	<input type="checkbox"/> Conventional/sensitive (i.e., non-high sensitivity) cTn assays.
3. What is the type of study reported in this article?	<input type="checkbox"/> RCT <input type="checkbox"/> Non-RCT <input type="checkbox"/> Meta-analysis, systematic review, or HTA <input type="checkbox"/> Comparative observational study <input type="checkbox"/> Economic evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Can't decide	<input type="checkbox"/> Before after trial <input type="checkbox"/> Non-comparative observational study <input type="checkbox"/> Qualitative study
Include for full text review	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No

ACS = acute coronary syndrome; AMI = acute myocardial infarction; ED = emergency department; hs-cTnI = high-sensitivity cardiac troponin I; hs-cTnT = high-sensitivity cardiac troponin T; HTA = health technology assessment; ID = identification; RCT = randomized controlled trial.