# Narrative Review Checklist

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| TITLE         | 1       | Identify the report as a Narrative Review or Literature Review. | Page1/Line3 | Title |
| ABSTRACT      | 2       | Provide a structured summary with the subsections as: objective, background, methods, conclusion (1). | Page2/Line35-52 | Abstract/Paragraph1 |
| INTRODUCTION  | 3       | Describe the rationale for the review in the context of what is already known. | Page2/Line60-77 | Introduction/Paragraph1-2 |
|               | 4       | Specify the key question(s) identified for the review topic. | Page2/Line78-83 | Introduction/Paragraph3 |
| METHODS       | 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 | 6 | Discuss: 1) research reviewed including fundamental or key findings, 2) limitations and/or quality of research reviewed, and 3) need for future research. | Page8/Line247-255 | Summary/Paragraph1-2 |
|               | 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/Line256-260 | Summary/Paragraph3 |

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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