

repeated measures, which provided a grade 3 level of evidence. One randomized control trial that provided a grade 1 level of evidence. The final article is a matched control study that provided a grade of 2b level of evidence (Dolloghan, 2007). There is variety in the research groups represented as all the studies are from different research departments.

Results

Single group with repeated measures

Harris, Anderson & Novak (1995) used a single

Hawthorne and colleagues (2004) presented data analyses that prove their initial purpose of the study. However, they do not provide a reason for selecting the two aforementioned scales even though they admit that some invalidity of the questionnaires could affect the study outcomes. Since the AQoL was developed by the first author and her research team, their decision to use

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