

Meta Analysen auf Primärdatenbasis - Probleme und Lösungsansätze

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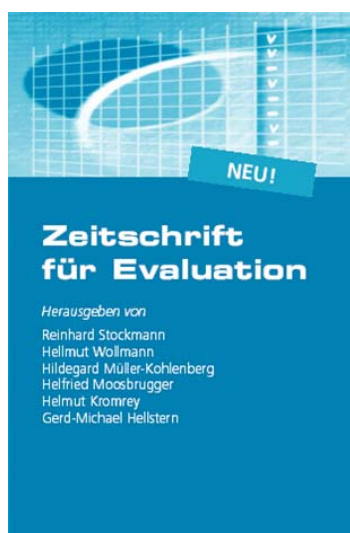
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Abstract

Meta analyses are used for the summary and evaluation of scientific results, which were collected in contents-related studies. Different hindrances can make the collection of raw data for meta analyses difficult. These hindrances concern ethical questions, the data security, the rights to use research data, the copyright for publications, the safety of the data quality and the data plausibility. For these problems solutions and suggestions are presented, which concern the organization of conducted and future research projects. By co-operation of all involved parties future meta analyses will be facilitated. The increasing use of meta analyses as a secondary utilization of primary studies should be already considered in the planning phase of forthcoming research projects. Compared to the benefit of meta analyses, the foresighted input can be estimated substantially smaller than a post hoc accomplished reconstruction and standardization of raw data.



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