

## Online Supplement 1

### Search strategy

1. exp Cerebrovascular Disorders/
2. stroke\*.mp. [mp=ti, ot, ab, nm, hw, ui, an, tc, id, sh, tn, dm, mf]
3. poststroke\*.mp. [mp=ti, ot, ab, nm, hw, ui, an, tc, id, sh, tn, dm, mf]
4. cerebrovascular\*.mp. [mp=ti, ot, ab, nm, hw, ui, an, tc, id, sh, tn, dm, mf]
5. cerebral vascular.mp. [mp=ti, ot, ab, nm, hw, ui, an, tc, id, sh, tn, dm, mf]
6. 2 or 3
7. 4 or 5
8. infarct\*.mp. [mp=ti, ot, ab, nm, hw, ui, an, tc, id, sh, tn, dm, mf]
9. isch?emi\*.mp. [mp=ti, ot, ab, nm, hw, ui, an, tc, id, sh, tn, dm, mf]
10. thrombo\*.mp. [mp=ti, ot, ab, nm, hw, ui, an, tc, id, sh, tn, dm, mf]
11. emboli\*.mp. [mp=ti, ot, ab, nm, hw, ui, an, tc, id, sh, tn, dm, mf]
12. apoplexy.mp. [mp=ti, ot, ab, nm, hw, ui, an, tc, id, sh, tn, dm, mf]
13. 8 or 9 or 10 or 11 or 12
14. cerebral.mp. [mp=ti, ot, ab, nm, hw, ui, an, tc, id, sh, tn, dm, mf]
15. intracerebral.mp. [mp=ti, ot, ab, nm, hw, ui, an, tc, id, sh, tn, dm, mf]
16. intracranial.mp. [mp=ti, ot, ab, nm, hw, ui, an, tc, id, sh, tn, dm, mf]
17. brain\*.mp. [mp=ti, ot, ab, nm, hw, ui, an, tc, id, sh, tn, dm, mf]
18. cerebellar.mp. [mp=ti, ot, ab, nm, hw, ui, an, tc, id, sh, tn, dm, mf]
19. vertebrobasilar.mp. [mp=ti, ot, ab, nm, hw, ui, an, tc, id, sh, tn, dm, mf]
20. 14 or 15 or 16 or 17 or 18 or 19
21. h?emorrhage.mp. [mp=ti, ot, ab, nm, hw, ui, an, tc, id, sh, tn, dm, mf]
22. bleed.mp. [mp=ti, ot, ab, nm, hw, ui, an, tc, id, sh, tn, dm, mf]
23. 21 or 22
24. 13 and 20
25. 20 and 23
26. 1 or 6 or 7 or 24 or 25
27. Depression/
28. Depressive Disorder/
29. 27 or 28
30. 26 and 29
31. limit 30 to human

**Table DS1 Prevalence of depression after stroke**

Author & year	Study setting	Country	Depression diagnosis	Time since stroke	Asses sed (N)	Depres sed (n)	Depres sed (%)
<b>Daily 1983<sup>1</sup></b>	Rehabilitation	USA	HRSD	7 days	32	5	16
<b>Wade 1987<sup>2</sup></b>	Population	UK	WDI >18	3 weeks 6 months 12 months	379 377 348	84 74 63	22 20 18
<b>Ebrahim 1987<sup>3</sup></b>	Hospital	UK	GHQ >11	6 months	149	34	23
<b>Eastwood 1989<sup>4</sup></b>	Rehabilitation	Canada	GDS	3 weeks - 6 months	87	47	54
<b>Bacher 1990<sup>5</sup></b>	Rehabilitation	Canada	ZDS	Baseline 6 weeks 6 months 1 year	48 43 42 39	12 12 10 12	25 26 24 31
<b>Morris 1990<sup>6</sup></b>	Rehabilitation	Australia	DSM-III	2 months 15 months	99 56	32 67	32 12
<b>House 1991<sup>7</sup></b>	Population	UK	BDI >9	1 months 6 months 12 months	76 107 88	24 34 14	32 32 16
<b>Aström 1993<sup>8</sup></b>	Rehabilitation	Sweden	DSM-III	Discharge 3 months 1 year 2 years 3 years	76 73 68 57 49	19 23 11 11 14	25 31 16 19 29
<b>Shima 1994<sup>9</sup></b>	Rehabilitation	Japan	DSM-III-R	3 months - 10 years	68	41	60
<b>Diamond 1995<sup>10</sup></b>	Rehab.	USA	GDS >10	Admission Discharge	14 4	5 4	36 29
<b>Ng 1995<sup>11</sup></b>	Rehabilitation	Singapore	DSM-III	22 days Discharge	52 49	29 14	55 29
<b>Burvill 1995<sup>12</sup></b>	Population	Australia	DSM-III	4 months	294	68	23
<b>Angeleri 1997<sup>13</sup></b>	Rehabilitation	Italy	BDI >14	2 years	180	62	34
<b>Knapp 1998<sup>14</sup></b>	Hospital	UK	HADS >7	<1 month 1 months after discharge 6 months	30 30 30	10 11 8	33 37
<b>Lincoln 1998<sup>15</sup></b>	Rehabilitation	UK	HADS >10	1 month	84	11	13
<b>Kauhanen 1999<sup>16</sup></b>	Rehabilitation	Finland	DSM-III	3 months 1 year	101 92	53 39	53 41
<b>Robinson 1999<sup>17</sup></b>	Hospital	USA	DSM-IV	Acute phase 3-6 months 1-2 years	50 50 50	22 20 21	44 40 42
<b>VandeWeg 1999<sup>18</sup></b>	Rehabilitation	Netherlands	DSM-III	3-6 weeks	85	30	35
<b>Jürgensen 1999<sup>19</sup></b>	Rehabilitation	Germany	DSM-IV (MD)	6 months	77	15	20
<b>Löfgren 1999<sup>20</sup></b>	Rehabilitation	Sweden	DSM IV	3 years	47	18	38
<b>Gesztesy 1999<sup>21</sup></b>	Hospital	Hungary	BDI >14	2 years	119	13	11
<b>Kellermann 1999<sup>22</sup></b>	Rehabilitation	Hungary	BDI >10	1 weeks	82	22	27
<b>Langhorne 2000<sup>23</sup></b>	Rehabilitation	UK	Single question	Acute phase	311	50	16
<b>Hayee 2001<sup>24</sup></b>	Hospital	Bangladesh	BDI >9	3 months 1 year	161 156	66 65	41 42

<b>Guillen 2001</b> <sup>25</sup>	Rehabilitation	USA	GDS >14	15 days	243	31	13
<b>Bayer 2001</b> <sup>26</sup>	Hospital	Jordan	DSM-IV	3 months	168	42	25
<b>Eriksson 2004</b> <sup>27</sup>	Hospital	Sweden	Single question	3 months	1399 9	1999	14
<b>Mast 2004</b> <sup>28</sup>	Rehabilitation	USA	GDS >10	1 week	195	71	36
<b>Fure 2006</b> <sup>29</sup>	Hospital	Norway	HADS >6	3-7 days	178	25	14
<b>Kaji 2006</b> <sup>30</sup>	Hospital	Japan	HRSD >10	2-5 weeks	92	23	20
<b>Paul 2006</b> <sup>31</sup>	Population	Australia	IDA >6	5 years	289	48	17
<b>Caeiro 2006</b> <sup>32</sup>	Hospital	Portugal	DSM-IV	<5 days	178	82	46
<b>Storor 2006</b> <sup>33</sup>	Hospital	Australia	HRSD >12	Acute phase	61	20	39
<b>BarkerCollo 2007</b> <sup>34</sup>	Rehabilitation	New Zealand	BDI >9	3 months	73	13	23
<b>Fatoye 2009</b> <sup>35</sup>	Hospital	Nigeria	BDI >9	1 month -2 y	118	47	40
<b>Beghi 2009</b> <sup>36</sup>	Hospital	Italy	DSM-IV	Acute phase	82	24	27
<b>Farner 2010</b> <sup>37</sup>	Rehabilitation	Norway	MADRS >5	18 days 13 months	108 108	60 52	56 48
<b>S-Jarosz 2010</b> <sup>38</sup>	Hospital	Poland	GDS >5	3 months	242	82	34
<b>Chausson 2010</b> <sup>39</sup>	Population	Martinique	MADRS >7	5 years	252	65	26
<b>Bergersen 2010</b> <sup>40</sup>	Rehabilitation	Norway	HADS >7	3.5 years	162	45	28
<b>Raju 2010</b> <sup>41</sup>	Hospital	India	HADS >7	1 months – 3 years	162	60	37
<b>Kitisomprayoonkul 2010</b> <sup>42</sup>	Rehabilitation	Thailand	GDS >12	3 days	83	47	57
<b>Wolfe 2011</b> <sup>43</sup>	Population	UK	HADS >7	3 months 1 year 2 years 3 years 4 years 5 years 6 years 7 years 8 years 9 years 10 years	876 991 743 998 806 569 525 407 334 231 197	289 275 225 315 249 173 163 129 102 87 71	33 28 30 31 31 28 30 32 30 38 36

No cut off point indicates it was not reported by authors.

BDI: Beck Depression Inventory

GDS: Geriatric Depression Scale

GHQ: General Health Questionnaire

HADS: Hospital Anxiety and Depression Scale

HRSD: Hamilton Rating Scale for Depression

IDA: Irritability Depression and Anxiety Scale

MADRS: Montgomery-Åsberg Depression Rating Scale

MD: major depression

WDI: Wakefield Depression Inventory

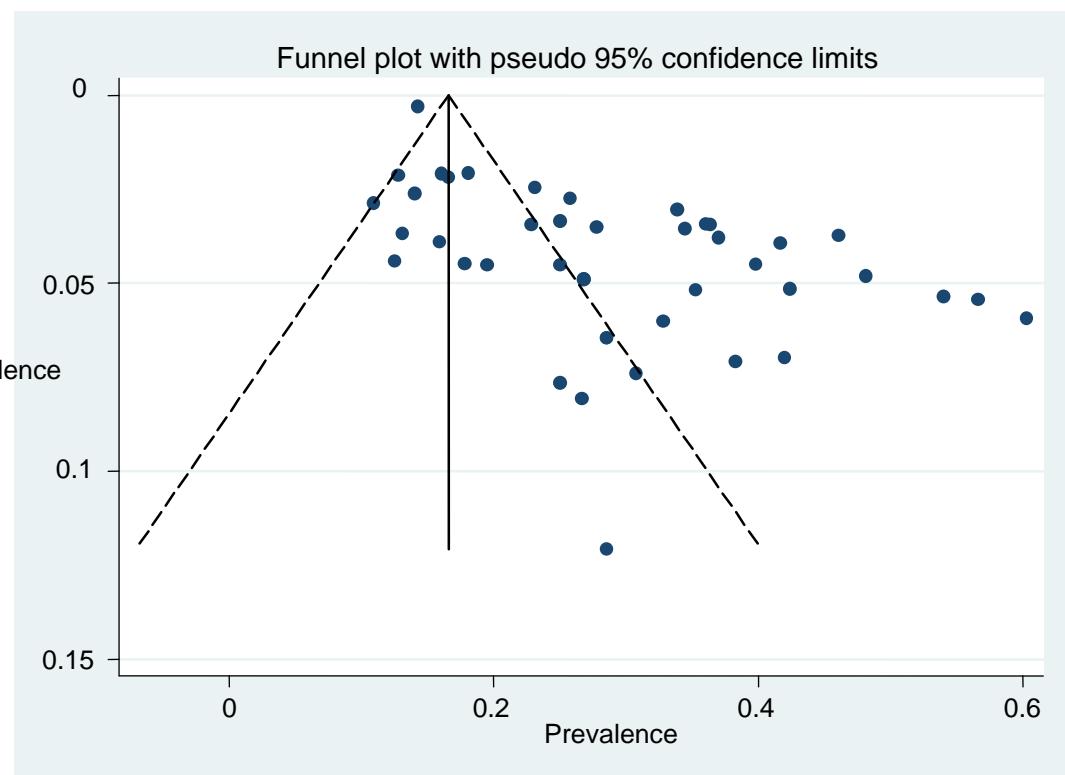
ZDS: Zung Depression Scale

**Table DS2 Predictors of depression after stroke**

Study	Associated in univariate analysis	Not associated in univariate analysis	Associated in multivariate analysis	Not associated in multivariate analysis
Eriksson 2004 <sup>27</sup>	Impaired consciousness on admission	Subtype (Isc/Haem) Stroke unit care Age	Age (<65) Gender (female) PMH of stroke Living alone after stroke Disability after stroke Institutionalised after stroke	Impaired consciousness on admission
Morrison 2005 <sup>44</sup>			Low engagement on exercise 1 month after stroke Low satisfaction with treatment 1 month after stroke Handicap in acute phase Anxiety 10-20 days post-stroke	Age Gender Marital status Living arrangements pre-stroke Alcohol consumption pre stroke Laterality PMH of stroke Stroke severity Disability pre-stroke
Storor 2006 <sup>33</sup>			Neuroticism PMH of mental disorder	
Caeiro 2006 <sup>32</sup>	Gender (female) Hemiparesis in acute phase PMH depression Handicap		PMH of depression	Age Gender Aphasia
Beghi 2009 <sup>36</sup>			PMH psychiatric disorder Psychiatric medication use pre-stroke	Age Gender Subtype (Isc/Haem) Location Stroke severity
Fatoye 2009 <sup>35</sup>	Education level Cognitive impairment after stroke Paresis after stroke	Age Gender PMH psychiatric illness pre-stroke	Education level (low) Cognitive impairment after stroke Paresis after stroke	
Sagen 2010 <sup>45</sup>	Anxiety after stroke		Anxiety after stroke	Age Gender Comorbidities Disability in acute phase
Raju 2010 <sup>41</sup>	Disability after stroke Quality of life Stroke	Age Gender	Handicap after stroke Anxiety after stroke Disability after stroke	Age Gender Income Education Family type

	severity			Stroke severity
Farner 2010 <sup>37</sup>			Low activity level pre-stroke	
Ayerbe 2011 <sup>46</sup> <a href="#">ENREF</a> <a href="#">22 ENR</a> <a href="#">EF 27</a> <a href="#">ENREF</a> <a href="#">20</a>		Ethnicity Pre-stroke treatment of depression	GCS under 13 at baseline Dysphagia at baseline Incontinence at baseline Cognitive impairment at baseline Disability at baseline Inability to work pre-stroke Pre-stroke treatment of depression Disability at follow-up Cognitive impairment at follow-up Low activity level at follow-up Lack of family support at follow up Institutionalization at follow-up	.

**Fig. DS1 Funnel plot for the studies included.**



## References

1. Daily R. The assessment of depressed mood following stroke. *Arch Phys Med Rehabil* 1983;64:519.
2. Wade DT, Legh-Smith J, Hewer RA. Depressed mood after stroke. A community study of its frequency. *Br J Psychiatry* 1987;151:200-5.
3. Ebrahim S, Barer D, Nouri F. Affective illness after stroke. *Br J Psychiatry* 1987;151:52-6.
4. Eastwood MR, Rifat SL, Nobbs H, Ruderman J. Mood disorder following cerebrovascular accident. *Br J Psychiatry* 1989;154:195-200.
5. Bacher Y, Korner-Bitensky N, Mayo N, Becker R, et al. A longitudinal study of depression among stroke patients participating in a rehabilitation program. *Can J Rehabil* 1990;4:27-37.
6. Morris PL, Robinson RG, Raphael B. Prevalence and course of depressive disorders in hospitalized stroke patients. *Int J Psychiatry Med* 1990;20:349-64.
7. House A, Dennis M, Mogridge L, Warlow C, Hawton K, Jones L. Mood disorders in the year after first stroke. *Br J Psychiatry* 1991;158:83-92.
8. Astrom M, Adolfsson R, Asplund K. Major depression in stroke patients. A 3-year longitudinal study. *Stroke* 1993;24:976-82.
9. Shima S, Kitagawa Y, Kitamura T, Fujinawa A, Watanabe Y. Poststroke depression. *Gen Hosp Psychiatry* 1994;16:286-89.
10. Diamond PT, Holroyd S, Macciocchi SN, Felsenthal G. Prevalence of depression and outcome on the geriatric rehabilitation unit. *Am J Phys Med Rehabil* 1995;74:214-7.
11. Ng KC, Chan KL, Straughan PT. A study of post-stroke depression in a rehabilitative center. *Acta Psychiatr Scand* 1995;92:75-9.
12. Burvill PW, Johnson GA, Jamrozik KD, Anderson CS, Stewart-Wynne EG, Chakera TM. Prevalence of depression after stroke: the Perth Community Stroke Study. *Br J Psychiatry* 1995;166:320-7.
13. Angeleri F, Angeleri VA, Foschi N, Giaquinto S, Nolfe G, Saginario A, et al. Depression after stroke: An investigation through catamnesis. *J Clin Psychiatry* 1997;58:261-65.
14. Knapp P, Hewison J. The protective effects of social support against mood disorder after stroke. *Psychol HealthMed* 1998;3:275-83.
15. Lincoln NB, Gladman JR, Berman P, Luther A, Challen K. Rehabilitation needs of community stroke patients. *Disabil Rehabil* 1998;20:457-63.
16. Kauhanen M, Korpelainen JT, Hiltunen P, Brusin E, Mononen H, Maatta R, et al. Poststroke depression correlates with cognitive impairment and neurological deficits. *Stroke* 1999;30:1875-80.
17. Robinson RG, Murata Y, Shimoda K. Dimensions of social impairment and their effect on depression and recovery following stroke. *Int psychogeriatr* 1999;11:375-84.
18. van de Weg FB, Kuik DJ, Lankhorst GJ. Post-stroke depression and functional outcome: a cohort study investigating the influence of depression on functional recovery from stroke. *Clin Rehabil* 1999;13:268-72.
19. Jürgensen F, Meins W, Meier HP. Depression after stroke: prevalence, functional outcome and recovery six month after discharge from a geriatric rehabilitation center. *Zeitschrift Gerontol Geriatr*. 1999; 32: 251.
20. Lofgren B, Gustafson Y, Nyberg L. Psychological well-being 3 years after severe stroke. *Stroke* 1999;30:567-72.
21. Gesztesy R, Fekete I, Kellermann M, Csiba L, Bereczki D. Screening for depressive symptoms among post-stroke outpatients in Eastern Hungary. *J Geriatr Psychiatry Neurol* 1999;12:194-99.
22. Kellermann M. Screening for depressive symptoms in the acute phase of stroke. *Gen Hosp Psychiatry* 1999;21:116-21.
23. Langhorne P, Stott DJ, Robertson L, MacDonald J, Jones L, McAlpine C, et al. Medical complications after stroke: a multicenter study. *Stroke* 2000;31:1223-9.
24. Hayee MA, Akhtar N, Haque A, Rabbani MG. Depression after stroke-analysis of 297 stroke patients. *Bangladesh Med Res Counc Bull* 2001;27:96-102.
25. Gillen R, Tennen H, McKee TE, Gernert-Dott P, Affleck G. Depressive symptoms and history of depression predict rehabilitation efficiency in stroke patients. *Arch Phys Med Rehabil*

- 2001;82:1645-9.
26. Bayer R. Frequency and clinical determinants of major post stroke depression in Jordan. *Qatar Med J* 2001;10:47-50.
  27. Eriksson M, Asplund K, Glader EL, Norrvig B, Stegmayr B, Terent A, et al. Self-reported depression and use of antidepressants after stroke: A national survey. *Stroke* 2004;35:936-41.
  28. Mast BT, MacNeill SE, Lichtenberg PA. Post-stroke and clinically-defined vascular depression in geriatric rehabilitation patients. *Am J Geriatr Psychiatry* 2004;12:84-92.
  29. Fure B, Wyller TB, Engedal K, Thommessen B. Emotional symptoms in acute ischemic stroke. *Int J Geriatr Psychiatry* 2006;21:382-87.
  30. Kaji Y, Hirata K, Ebata A. Characteristics of poststroke depression in Japanese patients. *Neuropsychobiology* 2006;53:148-52.
  31. Paul SL, Dewey HM, Sturm JW, Macdonell RA, Thrift AG. Prevalence of depression and use of antidepressant medication at 5-years poststroke in the North East Melbourne Stroke Incidence Study. *Stroke* 2006;37:2854-5.
  32. Caeiro L, Ferro JM, Santos CO, Figueira ML. Depression in acute stroke. *J Psychiatry Neurosci* 2006;31:377-83.
  33. Storor DL, Byrne GJ . Pre-morbid personality and depression following stroke. *Int Psychogeriatr*. 2006;18:457-69.
  34. Barker-Collo SL. Depression and anxiety 3 months post stroke: prevalence and correlates. *Arch Clin Neuropsychol* 2007;22:519-31.
  35. Fatoye FO, Mosaku SK, Komolafe MA, Eegunranti BA, Adebayo RA, Komolafe EO, et al. Depressive symptoms and associated factors following cerebrovascular accident among Nigerians. *J Ment Health* 2009;18:224-32.
  36. Beghi M, Cornaggia CM, Di Giacomo E, Primati C, Clerici M. Stroke and psychiatric disorders. *Psichiatri* 2009;44:55-63.
  37. Farner L, Wagle J, Engedal K, Flekkoy KM, Wyller TB, Fure B. Depressive symptoms in stroke patients: A 13 month follow-up study of patients referred to a rehabilitation unit. *J Affect Disord* 2010;127:211-18.
  38. Sienkiewicz-Jarosz H, Milewska D, Bochynska A, Chelmniak A, Dworek N, Kasprzyk K, et al. Predictors of depressive symptoms in patients with stroke - a three-month follow-up. *Neurol Neurochir Pol* 2010;44:13-20.
  39. Chausson N, Olindo S, Cabre P, Saint-Vil M, Smadja D. Five-year outcome of a stroke cohort in Martinique, French West Indies: Etude Realisee en Martinique et Centre sur l'Incidence des Accidents vasculaires cerebraux, Part 2. *Stroke* 2010;41:594-9.
  40. Bergersen H, Froslie KF, Stibrant Sunnerhagen K, Schanke AK. Anxiety, depression, and psychological well-being 2 to 5 years poststroke. *J Stroke Cerebrovasc Dis* 2010;19:364-9.
  41. Raju RS, Sarma PS, Pandian JD. Psychosocial Problems, Quality of Life, and Functional Independence Among Indian Stroke Survivors. *Stroke* 2010;41:2932-37.
  42. Kitisomprayoonkul W, Sungkao P, Taveemanoon S, Chaiwanichsiri D. Medical complications during inpatient stroke rehabilitation in Thailand: a prospective study. *J Med Assoc Thai* 2010;93:594-600.
  43. Wolfe CD, Crichton SL, Heuschmann PU, McKevitt CJ, Toschke AM, Grieve AP, et al. Estimates of outcomes up to ten years after stroke: analysis from the prospective South London Stroke Register. *PLoS Med* 2011;8(5):e1001033.
  44. Morrison V, Pollard B, Johnston M, MacWalter R. Anxiety and depression 3 years following stroke: demographic, clinical, and psychological predictors. *J Psychosom Res* 2005;59:209-13.
  45. Sagen U, Finset A, Moum T, Morland T, Vik TG, Nagy T, et al. Early detection of patients at risk for anxiety, depression and apathy after stroke. *Gen Hosp Psychiatry* 2010;32:80-5.
  46. Ayerbe L, Ayis S, Rudd AG, Heuschmann PU, Wolfe CD. Natural history, predictors, and associations of depression 5 years after stroke: the South London Stroke Register. *Stroke* 2011;42:1907-11.