### Annex B – Search Strategy Summary for the Scoping Review

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<th>Period</th>
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| Inclusion criteria | • Mental Health Service User  
• Psychiatric patients  
• Chronic mental illness  
• Vocational rehabilitation  
• Psychosocial rehabilitation  
• Occupational therapy  
• Low-income, low-middle- income and upper-middle-income countries  
• English language  
• Published from 2011 and later |
| Exclusion criteria | • Systematic and scoping reviews  
• Source published in other languages, not English.  
• Sources published prior to 2011.  
• Sources from high-income countries  
• Full-text not available |
| Libraries | Worldwide |
| Pubmed, Medline, CINAHL, PsycInfo, Science Direct, | "Mental disorders"[MESH] AND (Severe OR Chronic OR long-term OR persistent) AND ("Psychiatric Rehabilitation"[Mesh]) OR "Rehabilitation, Vocational"[Mesh] OR "work rehabilitation" OR "Occupational Therapy"[MESH]) |
| Google Scholar, HINARI and Wiley online | ("Vocational Rehab"* OR "Work Rehab") AND ("Severe mental illness" OR "Chronic Mental illness") AND "Occupational Therapy" NOT ("North America" or Europe*) |
| EBSCOHost, Cochrane library, Scopus, | ("Psychiatric Rehabilitation" OR "Rehabilitation, Vocational" OR "work rehabilitation" OR "Occupational Therapy") AND ( mental disorders OR mental illness OR psychiatric disorders OR psychiatric illness ) NOT ("North America" OR Europe*) AND ( severe OR chronic OR long-term OR persistent ). |
| Grey Literature Sources | [https://libguides.sun.ac.za/medicine/e-theses](https://libguides.sun.ac.za/medicine/e-theses)  