

Supplementary Material 1

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1.	"alcohol use" OR "alcohol abuse" OR "substance abuse" OR "alcohol dependence" OR "alcohol addiction"	
2.	associated factors OR correlates OR risk factors OR contributing factors OR protective factors	
3.	adolescen* OR teen* OR young people	
4.	school going OR "in-school adolescents" OR "school-going adolescents" OR school attending OR school-based OR school learners OR students OR pupil	
5.	Angola OR Botswana OR Comoros OR "Democratic Republic of Congo" OR Eswatini OR Swaziland OR Lesotho OR Madagascar OR Malawi OR Mauritius OR Mozambique OR Namibia OR Seychelles OR South Africa OR United Republic Tanzania OR Zambia OR Zimbabwe	
6.	1 or 2 or 3 or 4 or 5	
7.	((("alcohol use" OR "alcohol abuse" OR "substance abuse" OR "alcohol dependence" OR "alcohol addiction") AND (associated factors OR correlates OR risk factors OR contributing factors OR protective factors)) AND (adolescen* OR teen* OR young people)) AND (school going OR "in-school adolescents" OR "school-going adolescents" OR school attending OR school-based OR school learners OR students OR pupil)) AND (Angola OR Botswana OR Comoros OR "Democratic Republic of Congo" OR Eswatini OR Swaziland OR Lesotho OR Madagascar OR	

	Malawi OR Mauritius OR Mozambique OR Namibia OR Seychelles OR South Africa OR United Republic Tanzania OR Zambia OR Zimbabwe)	
8.	From 11 March 2020 – 10 March 2024	