Supplementary Table 1. Upgrade items of PLOEM version 2.0

	Factors visualized simulataneously in the same screenshot	PLOEM version 1.0	PLOEM version 2.0
1	Research ID by numbering	yes	yes
2	Research title with PMID by mouse-rollover	yes	yes
3	Research design by different dot styles	yes	yes
4	Publication year by timeline (horizontal axis)	yes	yes
5	Multiple treatment options by vertical axis	yes	yes
6	Direct links to the study by clicking the mouse	yes	yes
7	Downloading of DEF (Microsoft excel form)	yes	yes
8	Networking for comparative studies	no	yes
9	Listing the candidate studies for quantitative MA	no	yes
10	Subgroup mapping for the selected periods	no	yes
11	Uploading of DEF (Microsoft excel form)	no	yes
12	Registering individual user's online account	no	yes
13	Saving uploaded data on the PLOEM web (needs sign-in)	no	yes
14	Overviewing the non-adjusted pooled overall survival	no	yes

* PMID, pubmed ID; DEF, data extraction form; MA, meta-analysis