

**Supplementary Table 1: Search strategy**

<b>Database</b>	<b>Search Terms</b>
Medline, EMBASE, Cochrane Database of Systematic Review, Cochrane Central Register of Controlled Trials	1. Hypothyroidism/ 2. hypothyroidism.mp. 3. 1 or 2 4. Pregnancy/ 5. pregnanc*.mp. 6. pregnant.mp. 7. 4 or 5 or 6 8. Thyroxine/ 9. thyroxine.mp. 10. levothyroxine.mp. 11. synthroid.mp. 12. lt4.mp. 13. 8 or 9 or 10 or 11 or 12 14. 3 and 7 and 13  With SIGN RCT filter for Medline and EMBASE searches
CINAHL	S1(MH "Hypothyroidism") OR "Hypothyroidism" S2 (MH "Pregnancy") OR "pregnancy" OR "pregnant" S3 MH "Thyroxine") OR "thyroxine" OR "levothyroxine" OR "synthroid" OR "lt4" S4 S1 and S2 and S3  With SIGN RCT filter for CIANHL