

Appendix Table F90. Clinical outcomes after vaginal cones compared to no active treatment (results from RCTs pooled with random effects models)

Outcome	Reference	Active events/ randomized	Control events/ randomized	Relative risk (95% CII)	Weight, %	Absolute risk difference (95% CI)	Weight %	Inclusion of mixed UI
Continence	Bo, 1999 ⁴⁹³	4/29	2/32	2.21 (0.44; 11.17)	35	0.08 (-0.08; 0.23)	61	No
Continence	Castro, 2008 ²⁵³	9/27	3/30	3.33 (1.01; 11.05)	65	0.23 (0.03; 0.44)	39	Not reported
Pooled		13/56	5/62	2.88 (1.10; 7.55)	100	0.14 (-0.01; 0.29)	100	
Heterogeneity p value, I squared				0.69	0.00	0.23	31.20	
Improved UI- negative pad test	Castro, 2008 ²⁵³	11/27	2/30	6.11 (1.49; 25.13)		0.34 (0.14; 0.55)		Not reported
Improved UI- pad weight<2g	Castro, 2008 ²⁵³	11/27	3/30	4.07 (1.27; 13.07)		0.31 (0.09; 0.52)		Not reported
Improved UI- satisfied	Castro, 2008 ²⁵³	13/27	5/30	2.89 (1.19; 7.04)		0.32 (0.08; 0.55)		Not reported
Treatment discontinuation Treatment failure	Castro, 2008 ²⁵³	4/27	2/30	2.22 (0.44; 11.18)		0.08 (-0.08; 0.24)		Not reported
Treatment failure	Castro, 2008 ²⁵³	11/27	19/30	0.64 (0.38; 1.09)		-0.23 (-0.48; 0.03)		Not reported