Appendix D Table 11. Additional Study Characteristics of Meta-Analyses of Harms of In Utero Exposure to Metronidazole (KQ5)

| Author;  Year;  Study Quality | Years Covered by Search; Years Covered by Included Studies;  Study Sponsor | Number of Studies;  Number of Participants | Inclusion Criteria |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Burtin et al133;  1995  Fair | 1959 to 1999;  1964 to 1987;  Association Francaise pour la Recherche Therapeutique | 7 cohort studies;  NR | Studies of any design that included at least 10 women exposed to metronidazole (oral or intravaginal) during pregnancy  Control group of unexposed women or women exposed exclusively during the third trimester |
| Caro-Paton et al134;  1997  Fair | 1966 to 1996;  1977 to 1994;  NR | 5 total; 4 cohort studies and 1 case-control study;  199,451 | Studies evaluating exposure to metronidazole during pregnancy for whatever its indication |

**Abbreviation:** NR=not reported.