

Table III. Compliance with evidence scan reporting standards (16–18).

Clarity around the evidence scan and its purpose is reported in lines 70–72, in the study aims (lines 77–81), clarity on the literature required (lines 101–111), Inclusion and exclusion criteria (lines 127–141), and in the time-frame of assessment (lines 127–129).

Collaboration and Consensus is reported in lines 52–72 (*Genesis of the research*).

A robust evidence-base was ensured by comprehensive searching, careful literature inclusion criteria (lines 127–141), hierarchy of evidence (21) and assessment of psychometric properties (lines 149–179) and Table I.

Target governance was established as part of the research relationship between the authors and their participating organizations in terms of scope of work, deliverables and reporting principles.

Understanding context is reported throughout the Introduction.

Using a wide set of metrics is reported in Table III, particularly noting the need to comprehensively identify different manifestations of incipient hospital-acquired deconditioning (HAD) that could present in older people in acute hospital settings.