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## PEER-REVIEW REPORT

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In this systematic review and meta-analysis study, the authors compared the long-term clinical performance after flapless implant surgeries to the conventional approach with flap elevation. The topic is interesting and the manuscript is well written, It would be advisable only to recheck the mentioned keywords because some of the keywords are broad terms that do not reflect the focus of the manuscript (e.g; Surgery and prognosis), also some abbreviations were not explained in the first time they appears in the manuscript (e.g. CCTs, OR and CI).

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