

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

Supplementary Table 1. Inclusion and exclusion criteria for the systematic review.

Inclusion	Exclusion
Publication type	
- Article written in English - Primary clinical research articles	- Article not written in English - Conference abstracts or posters - Editorials, commentaries, opinion papers or letters - Book chapters or theses
Study type	
Study includes primary clinical data	- Study uses only secondary data - Case reports - Narrative reviews - Systematic reviews - Meta-analyses
Populations	
Human studies	Non-human studies
Indications	
Exclusively DCM (CSM, ossification of the posterior longitudinal ligament, cervical stenosis, spondylosis, spinal cord compression, cervical myelopathy)	Populations with DCM and at least one other condition (e.g., radiculopathy)
Comparator	
At least one assessment tool from (11, 30, 31)	
Outcomes	
- At least one psychometric property - At least one MCID or SCB	