

Study	Year	Country	Comparison	Outcome
Biopsy				
Simon	2021	Sweden	No NAFLD vs Non-cirrhotic fibrosis	Fatal CVD
Vilar-Gomez	2018	Multicenter	F3 vs F4	Non-fatal CVD
Henson	2020	USA	F0-F1 vs F3-F4	Fatal and non-fatal CVD
Ekstedt	2015	Sweden	No NAFLD vs F3-F4	Fatal and non-fatal CVD
Heterogeneity: $\tau^2 = 0.38$, $I^2 = 81.67\%$, $H^2 = 5.46$				
Test of $\theta_i = \theta_j$: $Q(3) = 16.37$, $p = 0.01$				

Non-invasive markers of fibrosis

Kim	2013	USA	NFS <0.676 vs NFS ?0.676	Fatal CVD
Baratta	2020	Italy	NFS <0.676 vs NFS ?0.676	Fatal and non-fatal CVD
Sinn	2020	Korea	NFS <1.455 vs NFS ?1.455	Non-fatal CVD
Heterogeneity: $\tau^2 = 0.03$, $I^2 = 26.00\%$, $H^2 = 1.35$				
Test of $\theta_i = \theta_j$: $Q(2) = 2.70$, $p = 0.26$				

Overall

Heterogeneity: $\tau^2 = 0.18$, $I^2 = 73.84\%$, $H^2 = 3.82$
 Test of $\theta_i = \theta_j$: $Q(6) = 22.93$, $p = 0.01$
 Test of group differences: $Q_b(1) = 0.10$, $p = 0.76$