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**Comment 1:** “The dates were all from library construction to December 31, 2017”. “December 31, 2017” was outdated, the authors should extend the search date.

**Reply 1:** The search date has been updated.

**Comment 2:** “Intervention methods: The experimental group adopted auricular therapy (including auricular acupuncture therapy and auricular acupuncture therapy”, I think this sentence was incorrect.

**Reply 2:** Modified the wrong description method.

**Comment 3:** In the “Outcome Indicators” section, the safety outcome should be added.

**Reply 3:** Safety outcome added.

**Comment 4:** In the “Methodological quality evaluation” section, please use "risk of bias assessment" tool recommended by the Cochrane handbook to evaluate again. Such as “Covert grouping”, it is not the item listed by the Cochrane handbook.

**Reply 4:** The methodological quality was evaluated using the Cochrane handbook.

**Comment 5:** The sections of “1.8 Bias analysis” and “1.9 Sensitivity analysis”, authors did not use the Bias analysis and Sensitivity analysis, so I suggest authors delete these sections.

**Reply 5:** Bias analysis and sensitivity analysis were deleted from the method.