

Table 1. Pooled mean differences from trials included in cochrane review.

	Point estimate (95% Confidence Interval)
CRQ	
Dyspnea	1.06 (0.85, 1.26)
Emotional Function	0.76 (0.52, 1.00)
Fatigue	0.92 (0.71, 1.13)
Mastery	0.97 (0.74, 1.20)
<i>Overall</i>	0.94 (0.57, 1.32)
SGRQ	
Activities	4.78 (1.72, 7.83)
Impacts	6.27 (2.47, 10.08)
Symptoms	4.68 (0.25, 9.61)
<i>Overall</i>	6.11 (3.24, 8.98)
Notes: Scores on the SGRQ have be multiplied by minus 1 (to change the sign of summary scores); MID for each of the HRQL instruments: CRQ MID = 0.5 points difference on the 7-point scale; SGRQ MID = 4 points difference on the 100-point scale.	

Figure 1. Pooled estimate in SMD units.

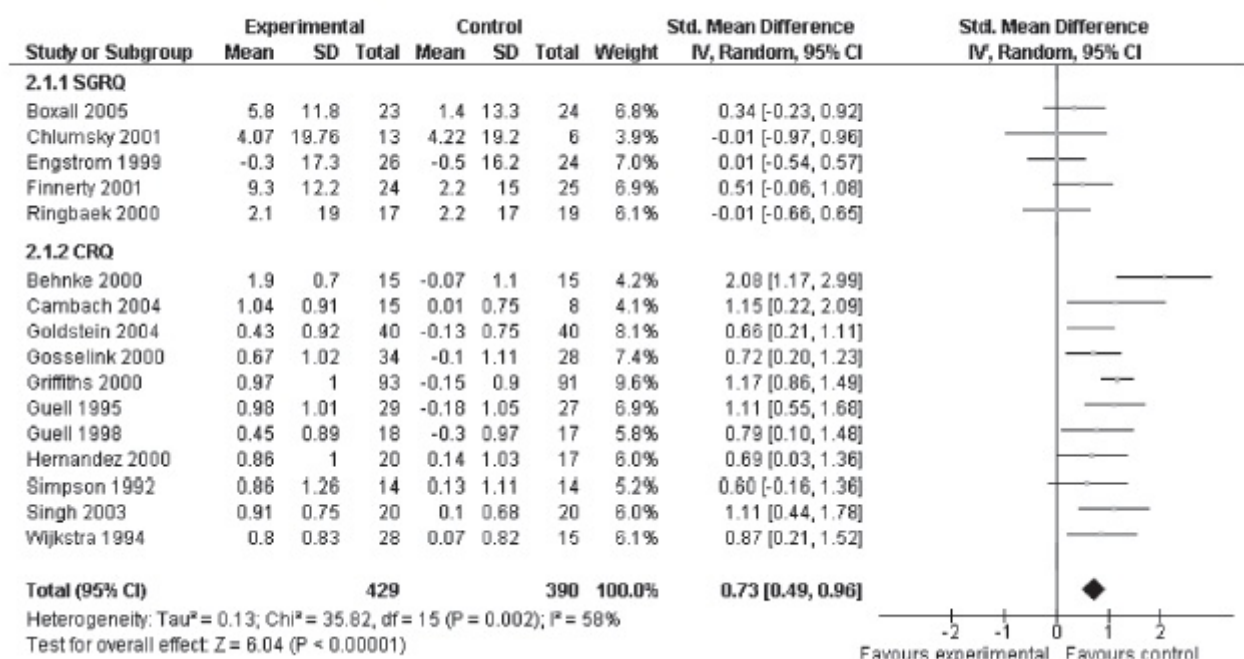


Figure 2. Pooled Estimate in MID Units.

