Table 1 Characteristics of studies included in meta-analysis

Author	Year	City	Gender	Resident	Habitat	Mean age (yr)	Sample size
Abbasimoghadam <sup>a</sup>	2009	Tehran	Male	Own home	City	71	5600
Abbasimoghadam <sup>b</sup>	2009	Tehran	Female	Own home	City	71	5600
Aghanoori <sup>a</sup>	2011	Markazi	Female	Own home	City	70.7	91
Aghanoori <sup>b</sup>	2011	Markazi	Male	Own home	City	70.7	74
Ahmadi	2004	Zahedan	Both	Mixed <sup>b</sup>	City	72.3	200
Albokordi <sup>a</sup>	2005	Shahinshahr	Female	Mixed	City	67.2	34
Albokordi <sup>b</sup>	2005	Shahinshahr	Male	Mixed	City	67.2	66
Farhadi <sup>a</sup>	2010	Boushehr	Female	Own home	Rural	_	16
Farhadi <sup>b</sup>	2010	Boushehr	Male	Own home	Rural	_	53
Farzianpour <sup>a</sup>	2012	Marivan	Both	Mixed	City	_	2433
Farzianpour <sup>b</sup>	2012	Masjed Soleiman	Both	Mixed	City	74.51	349
Hekmatpou <sup>a</sup>	2014	Arak	Female	Own home	City	67.5	271
Jaafarzadeh Fakhari	2010	Sabzevar	Both	Own home	Both	69.3	304
Naseha	2014	Chaharmahal Bakhteiari	Both	Nursing home	Both	73.13	87
Nejati <sup>a</sup>	2008	Kashan	Female	Own home	City	69.8	193
Nejati <sup>b</sup>	2008	Kashan	Male	Own home	City	69.8	196
Rafaati <sup>a</sup>	2005	Tehran	Female	Nursing home	City	76.8	118
Rafaati <sup>b</sup>	2005	Tehran	Male	Nursing home	City	76.8	84
Rostamai	2010	Masjed Soleiman	Both	Own home	City	74.51	349
Salehi <sup>a</sup>	2013	Tehran	Female	Nursing home	City	64.07	298
Salehi <sup>b</sup>	2013	Tehran	Male	Nursing home	City	64.07	102
Vahdani <sup>a</sup>	2005	Tehran	Male	Mixed	City	67.9	157
Vahdani <sup>b</sup>	2005	Tehran	Female	Mixed	City	67.9	239

<sup>&</sup>quot;Studies provided all 6 STROBE items (low risk of bias).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>b</sup>Both own home and nursing home.