Cognitive load theory for training health professionals in the workplace: A BEME systematic review of studies among diverse professions

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As it is nearly June 1, I wanted to provide an update on the progress of our BEME review. The review team is in the midst of step 6 – data extraction. We have a very large number of studies (N=90) selected for inclusion in the review. Of these, 23 have been extracted by one reviewer (me) and 5 have been extracted by two reviewers. So we still have a large number of studies still requiring data extraction. This process is slow, for multiple reasons. We are extracting quite a few pieces of data, many of the studies are in professions outside of the health professions (which makes them somewhat more cumbersome to read and extract).