

Results of the quality assessment for the qualitative studies (n = 7)

Study	Date/Author	Abstract/title	Introduction/aim	Data collection	Sampling	Analysis	Ethics/bias	Results	Generability	Implications	Total	Grade
Factors that Contribute in the First Hookah Smoking Trial by Women: A Qualitative Study from Iran	Baheiraei et al /2015	4	3	3	3	3	4	3	3	2	28	B
Qualitative Studies Smoking Hookah Among Girls And Young Women	Sohrab Zade et/ 2015	3	4	3	4	3	1	4	2	3	27	B
Thematic analysis focus group discussions (FGDs) and key informant interviews	Rima Afifi et/2013	4	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	3	34	A
find the role of psycho-social needs and gaps as a possible risk factor for hookah smoking initiation in women	Baheiraei et al/2015	3	4	4	4	4	4	3	4	4	34	A
The rise in narghile (shisha, hookah) water pipe tobacco smoking: A qualitative study of perceptions of smokers and non-smokers	Rima T Nakkash et/2011	4	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	35	A
Water pipe (Hookah) Smoking Among Youth And Women In Canada Is New Not Traditional	Fadi Hammal et al/2015	3	3	3	4	4	3	4	4	1	29	B
role of family members' smoking behaviours as a possible risk factor for initiation of hookah smoking in women	Baheiraei/2015	3	4	4	4	3	4	4	3	1	30	A