

	Sheldon et al. (2008)	Mitchell et al. (2007)	Poage et al. (2008)	SIGN (2008)	Cruickshank et al. (2011)
D1: Scope and purpose	56%	61%	78%	78%	83%
D2: Stakeholder involvement	29%	25%	25%	83%	42%
D3: Methodological rigour of purpose	48%	52%	62%	79%	67%
D4: Clarity and presentation	63%	71%	67%	88%	71%
D5: General applicability	11%	6%	22%	50%	17%
D6: Editorial independence	50%	50%	33%	92%	33%
D7: Applicability on health care system	42%	44%	50%	58%	56%
D8: Methodological rigour of development when using existing guidelines	13.33%	13%	17%	-	40%

[table 3: Methodological guideline appraisal, DELBI]