



Supplemental data 4. Incidence of patients requiring opioids postoperatively. Six trials (9 comparisons) comparing different regimens of intrathecal bupivacaine + morphine with intrathecal bupivacaine alone (control). Comparisons are shown according to increasing doses of intrathecal morphine. For trials that tested multiple morphine doses, each comparison is shown. There was no graphical evidence of dose-responsiveness. On the event rate scatter, each symbol represents one comparison; diameters of symbols represent number of patients in each comparison. *Comparisons from multiple dose trials that were selected for meta-analysis. CI = Confidence interval. OR = Odds ratio. n/a: In Gürkan 2004, no patient required opioids postoperatively.