Heat Exposure during Pregnancy and Risk of Preterm Birth: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis

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Table S1: Electronic search strategy used for literature retrieval.

Database	Search strategy
PubMed	(“Premature Birth”[MeSH Terms] OR “preterm birth”[Title/Abstract] OR prematurity[Title/Abstract] OR “preterm delivery”[Title/Abstract]) AND (“Hot Temperature”[MeSH Terms] OR “Extreme Heat”[MeSH Terms] OR “heat exposure”[Title/Abstract] OR heatwave*[Title/Abstract] OR “extreme temperature*”[Title/Abstract] OR “high ambient temperature”[Title/Abstract]) AND (“Pregnancy”[MeSH Terms] OR pregnan*[Title/Abstract] OR maternal[Title/Abstract])
Google Scholar	“heat exposure” OR heatwave OR “extreme temperature” AND pregnancy AND “preterm birth”.
Additional search	Reference lists of eligible studies were manually screened for additional relevant publications.

Abbreviations: MeSH = Medical Subject Headings. Boolean operators AND/OR were used to combine search terms.

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