

## Comparison 1: Subcutaneous oxytocin compared with placebo

Source: Zakarija-Grkovic I, Stewart F. Treatments for breast engorgement during lactation. Cochrane Database Syst Rev. 2020;(9):CD006946.

Certainty assessment							No of patients		Effect		Certainty (GRADE)	Importance
No of studies	Study design	Risk of bias	Inconsistency	Indirectness	Imprecision	Other considerations	Subcutaneous oxytocin	Placebo	Relative (95% CI)	Absolute (95% CI)		
<b>Breast engorgement (symptoms not subsided after 3 days of treatment)</b>												
1	randomized trials	very serious <sup>a</sup>	not serious	not serious	very serious <sup>b,c</sup>	none	5/20 (25.0%)	2/25 (8.0%)	<b>RR 3.13</b> (0.68 to 14.44)	<b>170 more per 1000</b> (from 26 fewer to 1000 more)	⊕○○○ VERY LOW	CRITICAL

CI: confidence interval; RR: risk ratio.

a. The pooled effect provided by study "C"

b. Small sample size and/or few events.

c. Wide confidence interval crossing the line of no effect.