

Appendix Table 6: vote counting – comparing diagnoses

Direction of result	Number of results			
	All studies	CHD	Heart failure	Both
PA in CR same as control (P>0.05)	100 (69%)	62 (63%)	36 (86%)	2 (40%)
PA in CR higher than control (P≤0.05)	38 (26%)	31 (32%)	4 (10%)	3 (60%)
PA in control higher than CR (P≤0.05)	2 (1%)	2 (2%)	0	0
PA difference between CR and control not clear (no P-value reported)	5 (3%)	3 (3%)	2 (4%)	0
Total	145	98	42	5