

Impact of the pandemic on unpaid carers so far, and measures adopted to support them

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1. What do we know about the impact of COVID-19 on unpaid carers?

- Rapid literature review

2. What measures have been adopted so far?

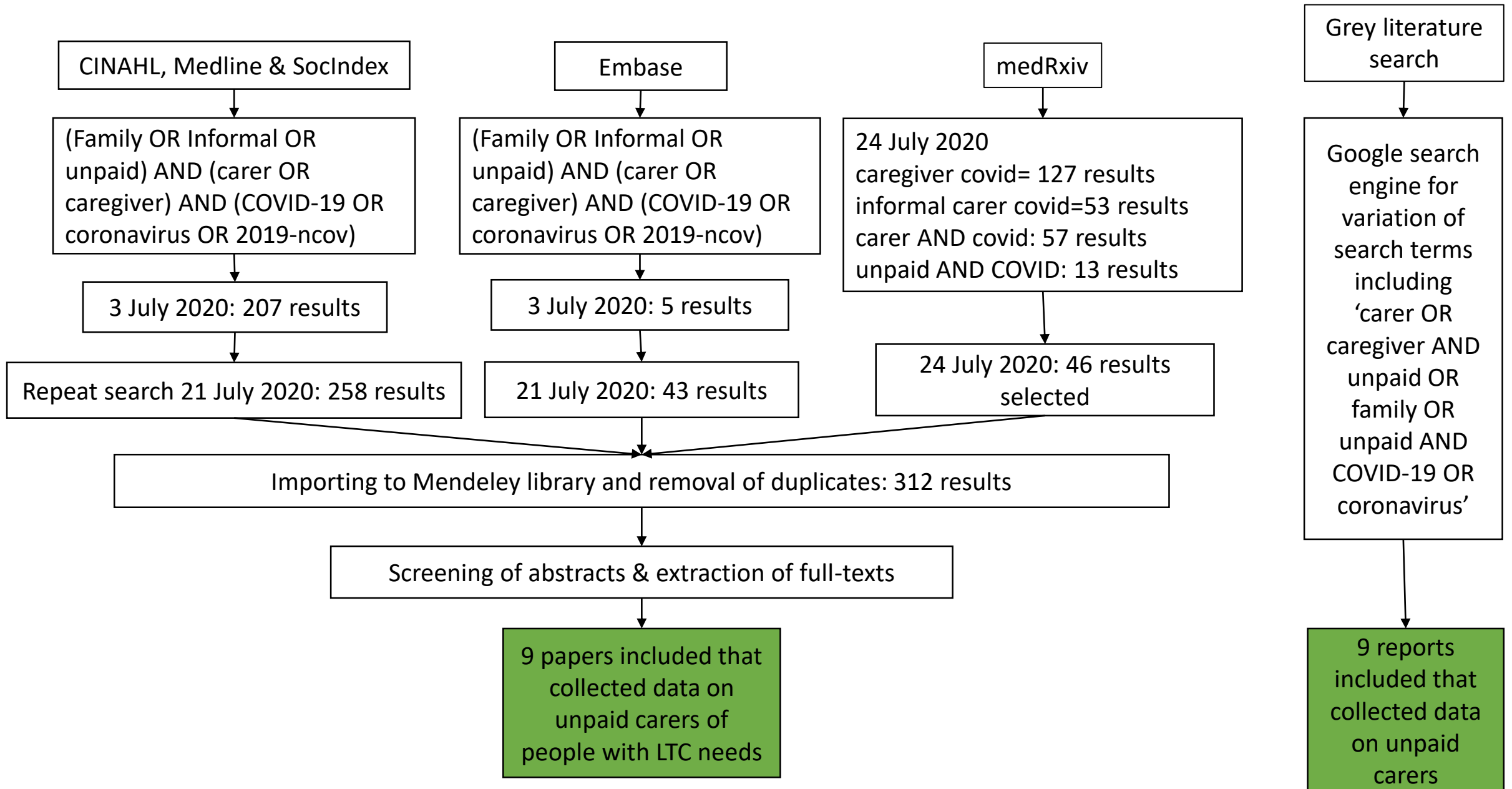
- Review of evidence collected as part of LTCcovid.org



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Rapid review search strategy



Care in the community

Carers provide

New carers

Intensity of care

Carers describe

Worries and concerns about contingency planning in case the carer gets ill

Worries and concerns about the person with care needs

Financial/employment concerns

Family tension/ conflict

Access to groceries/pharmaceuticals

Experiences with support & services

Carers experience

Isolation

Stress

Mental health impacts

Well-being

Carers express

Needs & wishes



Carers supporting people living in residential care settings

Carers provide

Carers describe

Carers experience

Carers express

Visiting policies

Monitoring the health of person with care needs

Quality of care person with care needs receives

Stress

Needs & wishes



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2. What measures have been adopted so far?

Overview of measures described to support unpaid carers in 30 reports published on LTCcovid.org

	Australia (24 April)	Austria (13 July)	Brazil (6 May)	Chile (24 July)	China (18 April)	England	Denmark (27 May)	Finland (12 June)	Germany (26 May)	Hong Kong (8 July)	India (30 May)	Indonesia (30 May)	Ireland (13 May)	Italy (31 July)	Jamaica (25 May)	Jordan (26 July)	Kenya (30 May)	Malaysia (30 May)	Malta (6 June)	Mexico (8 June)	The Netherlands (26 May)	Slovenia (20 April)	South Africa (10 July)	South Korea (7 May)	Spain (28 May)	Sweden (22 July)	Turkey (10 June)	Wales (11 June)	The United States (24 April)	Minnesota (27 July)	Σ
Virtual support interventions	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	x	v	x		x	x			x	x	x						x		x		x		19
Guidance and resources	x	x	x	x		x		x			x	x	x				x				x				x		x		x		14
Financial support						x	(x)		x	v		x	x				x					x		x	x		x		x		12
Emergency support structures					x	x				v			x											x							4
Support with navigating restrictions						x					x				x																3
Healthcare providers responsibility																					x							x		2	
COVID-19 testing (and PPE)						x				v (PPE)											x (PPE)									3	
Ability to visit people with care needs in residential care	x	x						x	x												x				(x)		x		x		8

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