Excluded obstetric papers:

Reasons for exclusion:

1) Less than 200 patients with an epidural included:
   Bader AM, Gilbertson L, 1992¹

2) No denominator:
   Bonica JJ, 1995³
   Loo CC, Dahlgren G, et al, 2000⁴

3) No clear statements about serious side effects as neurological injury, epidural hematoma or infection:
   Norris MC, Grieo WM, et al, 1994⁵
   Fuller JG, McMorland GH, et al, 1990⁶
   Ezra Y, Wade C, et al, 2002⁷
   Stocks GM, Hallworth SP, et al, 2000⁸
   Crawford JS, Davies P, et al, 1986⁹
   Collis RE, Baxandall ML, 1994¹⁰

4) Studies with patients included in a later and bigger study:
   Crawford JS, 1972¹¹
References