

(Appendix 1): STROBE Statement-Checklist of items that should be included in reports of cross-sectional studies (n= 18)

Code	Authors	Title	Date/Country	Title and abstract	Background	Study design	Setting	Participants	variables	Data sources/measurement	Bias	Study size	Quantitative variables	Statistical methods	Descriptive data	Outcome data	Main results	Other analysis	Key results	limitations	interpretation	Generalisability	Funding	Grade
1	J.A.Ademuyiwa	Work–Family Conflicts among Female Staff of Higher Institutions in Nigeria	Nigeria/2021	*	*	*	*	*	-	*	-	*	-	*	*	*	*	*	*	-	*	-	*	14
2	Karyn H. Bernas	CONTRIBUTORS TO STRESS RESISTANCE: Testing a Model of Women's Work-Family Conflict	2000	*	*	*	*	*	-	*	-	*	-	*	*	*	*	-	*	*	*	-	*	15
3	S. Vijayakumar Bharathi et al	A Study on the Determinants of Work–Life Balance of Women Employees in Information Technology Companies in India	2016/India	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	-	*	-	*	*	*	*	-	*	-	*	-	-	14
4	Youngkeun Choi	Workplace ostracism and work-to-family conflict among female employees: Moderating role of perceived organizational support	KOREA/2021	*	*	*	*	*	-	*	-	*	*	*	*	*	*	-	*	*	*	-	-	15

5	<u>Emeline C. Eckart</u>	An Investigation of the Variables That Influence Female Counselors' Work–Family Conflict	2011	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	18
6	<u>Zaiton Hassan</u>	The Relationship Between Workplace Spirituality and Work-to-Family Enrichment in Selected Public Sector Organizations in Malaysia	Malaysia/2020	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	-	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	18
7	<u>Kaur et al</u>	Work-Life Balance of Women Working in Education Sector (With Reference to Warangal Dist., Telangana)/2018	2018																					
8	<u>Lee et al</u>	The Impact of Work–Family Conflict and Facilitation on Women’s Perceptions of Role Balance/2014	2014	*	*	*	-	*	-	*	*	*	*	*	-	*	*	*	*	-	*	-	*	15
9	<u>Lee et al</u>	Finding time over time: Longitudinal links between employed mothers' work-family conflict and time profiles	2017	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	-	*	*	*	*	*	*	-	*	*	*	*	-	17

15	Uysal et al	Emotional support makes the difference: work-family conflict and employment related guilt among employed mothers	2020	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	16
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16	Uzogiwe et al	Predictors of Work-Family Role Conflict and Its Impact on Professional Women in Medicine, Engineering, and Information Technology in Nigeria	2016	*	*	*	*	*	,	*	,	,	*	*	*	*	*	,	*	*	*	*	*	16
17	Zayed et al	Work environment characteristics as determinants of work to family conflict among working females, Egypt	2021	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	,	19
18	Zito et al	Job demands and work-family conflict in a health care staff. The role of work shifts]	2013	*	*	*	*	*	,	*	,	,	*	*	*	*	*	,	*	*	*	*	*	16

(Appendix 2): Result of the quality assessment for the qualitative studies (n=13)

Code	Study	Date/Author	Abstract/title	Introduction/aims	Data collection	Sampling	Analysis	Ethics/bias	Results	Generability	Implications	Total	Grade
1	Investigators analyse major factors behind work-life balance decisions of African women working in the United Kingdom	2021	4	3	3	3	4	1	4	1	1	31	A
2	Patriarchal hegemony: Investigating the impact of patriarchy on women's work-life balance	2019/Adisa et al	3	4	4	3	4	1	3	1	1	24	B
3	Causes and Consequences of Work-Family Conflict (WFC) among the Female Employees in Bangladesh: An Empirical Study	2015/Akkas et al	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	27	B
4	The influence of societal and organizational culture on the use of work-life balance programs: A comparative analysis of the United States and the Republic of Korea	2021/Brown et al	4	4	4	4	4	2	2	2	3	29	B
5	The Stressors in Professional Women's Work-family Conflict: A Chinese Study	2004/Fan et al	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	27	B
6	Basic Model of Work-life Balance for Married Women Working in Public Sector in Penang, Malaysia	2020/Hassan	4	3	3	3	3	3	3	1	1	24	B
7	Creating Their Own Work-Life Balance: Experiences of Highly Educated and Married Female Employees in South Korea	2018/Kang et al	4	3	3	3	4	3	4	2	2	28	B

8	Perceptions of work-family conflict among married female professionals in Hong Kong	2003/Lo	4	4	4	2	2	2	3	2	2	25	B
9	Institutionalized patriarchy and work-life balance (WLB) challenges for female medical doctors: the case of Nigeria	2021/Nwagbara	4	4	4	4	4	3	3	3	3	32	A
10	Work-life balance: A phenomenological study of women entrepreneurs in Pakistan	2018/ Sumaira Rehman et al	4	4	3	3	3	3	3	2	2	26	B
11	Work-life balance: working women in the IT sector in india	2015/Sane et al	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	1	24	B
12	Why Iranian women experience work-family conflict?	2021/Taghizade et al	4	3	3	3	4	3	3	3	2	28	B
13	Work-family balance of Indian women software professionals: A qualitative study	2011/valk et al	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	1	24	B