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Alex Todhunter-Brown (formerly Pollock). Alex is Professor of Evidence Synthesis at Glasgow Caledonian University. Alex has particular expertise relating to systematic reviews of complex interventions, leading methodological work, completing and supporting systematic reviews on a number of topics, including stroke. She is Co-Lead of the Cochrane Heart, Stroke and Circulation Thematic Group, and was previously a Co-ordinating editor with the Cochrane Stroke Group. Alex has over 110 publications and an h-index (Scopus) of 41; in October 2023 she was cited as being in the top 2% in her discipline ([Ioannidis 2023](#)).   She Co-leads the NIHR Evidence Synthesis Scotland IniativE (NESSIE), which conducts evidence syntheses for the UK NIHR Evidence Synthesis Programme.

Alex has an active interest in active and meaningful public involvement in research, with a particular focus on involvement in evidence syntheses. She was the invited lead author of a chapter on involving stakeholders in systematic reviews for the [2021 Guideline International Network (GIN) Toolkit](#). She led the ACTIVE project, funded by Cochrane Training, aimed at supporting review authors have meaningful involvement of patients and the public in systematic reviews. This project involved reviewing evidence relating to stakeholder involvement in systematic reviews and developing the content of Cochrane's [Involving People](#) resource. She is a founding member and joint lead of a Cochrane Co-production Methods Group, a member of MuSE (Multi-Stakeholder Engagement) Consortium, and a member of a Joanna Briggs Institute Knowledge Users Methodology Group.