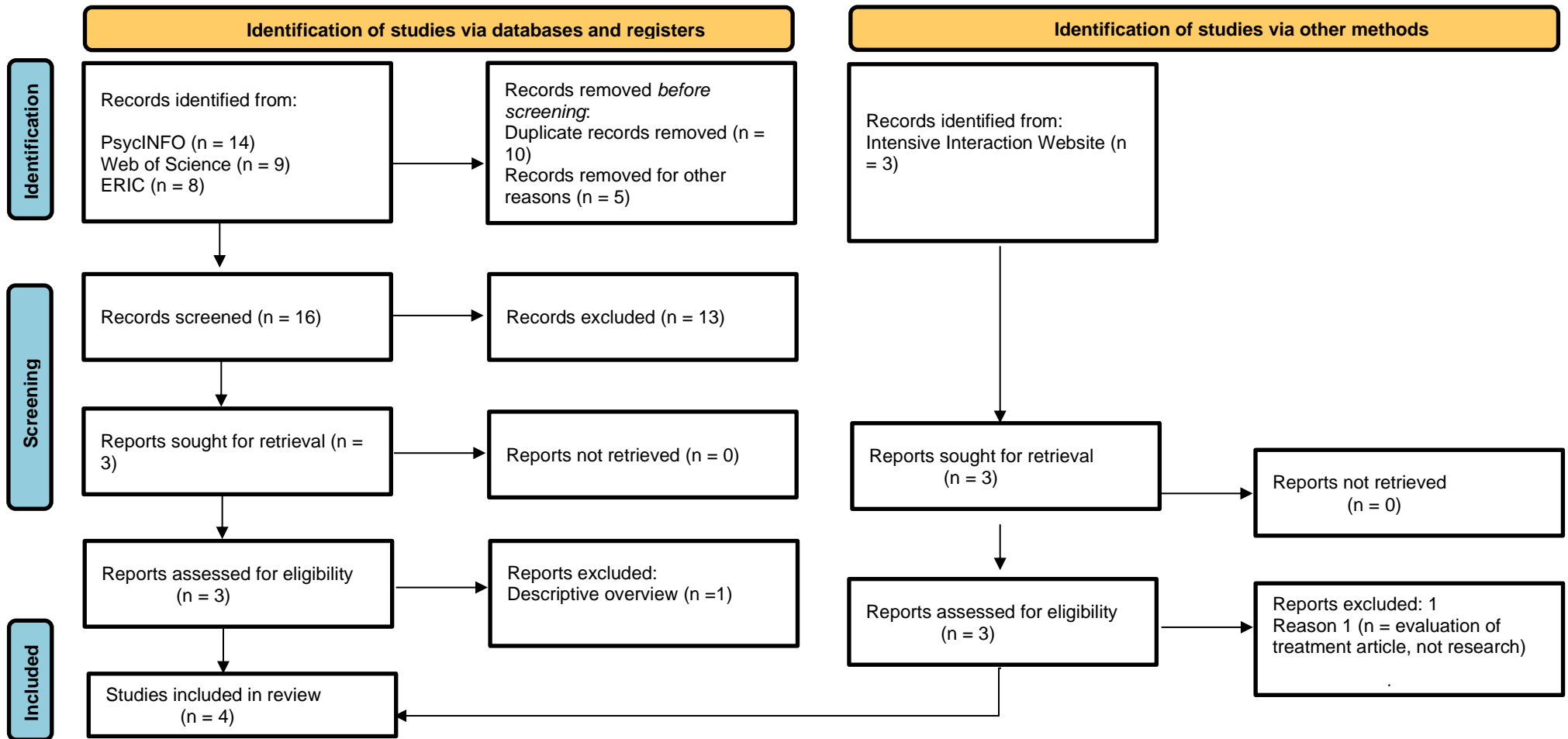


Appendix A

PRISMA 2020 flow diagram for new systematic reviews which included searches of databases, registers, and other sources (Page et al., 2021)



Appendix B

Systematic Search Protocol Based on the PICO Framework (Melynk & Fineout-Overholt, 2005)

Area of Framework	Key Terms
Population	Children OR child* OR "young person" OR adolescent* OR teenager*
Intervention	"Intensive Interaction"
Comparison	N/A
Outcome	Communication

Appendix C

Inclusion and Exclusion Criteria

Inclusion	Exclusion
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Research dated 2014 or later.• Peer reviewed journal articles.• Participant age 0-25.• A diagnosis of autism or a learning disability.• Evaluating the impact of II for the participants.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Articles that included participants over the age of 25.• Book reviews.
