

**Table 2**

Main features of FINER criteria (Feasibility, interest, novelty, ethics, and relevance) to formulate a good research question. Adapted from Cummings *et al.*[7]

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<b>Component</b>	<b>Criteria</b>
Feasible	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>-Ensures adequacy of research design</li><li>-Guarantees adequate funding</li><li>-Recruits target population strategically</li><li>-Aims an achievable sample size</li><li>-Prioritises measurable outcomes</li><li>-Optimises human and technical resources</li><li>-Accounts for clinicians commitment</li><li>-Procures high adherence to the treatment and low rate of dropouts</li><li>-Opts for appropriate and affordable frame time</li></ul>
Interesting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>-Engages the interest of principal investigators</li><li>-Attracts the attention of readers</li><li>-Presents a different perspective of the problem</li></ul>
Novel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>-Provides different findings</li><li>-Generates new hypotheses</li><li>-Improves methodological flaws of existing studies</li><li>-Resolves a gap in the existing literature</li></ul>
Ethical	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>-Complies with local ethical committees</li><li>-Safeguards the main principles of ethical research</li><li>-Guarantees safety and reversibility of side effects</li></ul>
Relevant	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>-Generates new knowledge</li><li>-Contributes to improve clinical practice</li><li>-Stimulates further research</li><li>-Provides an accurate answer to a specific research question</li></ul>

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