

Critical Appraisal and Risk of Bias Assessment Tools

**The difference between the risk of bias assessment and
quality assessment**

Quality Assessment

**Quality assessment is
the assessment of the
inclusion of
methodological
safeguards of a
study**

Risk of Bias

**Risk of bias
assessment concerns
the implication of the
inclusion of such
safegaurds for study
results**

**Note that the provided tools only serve as a basis and
other resources are available that may better suit the
scientific need for your research**