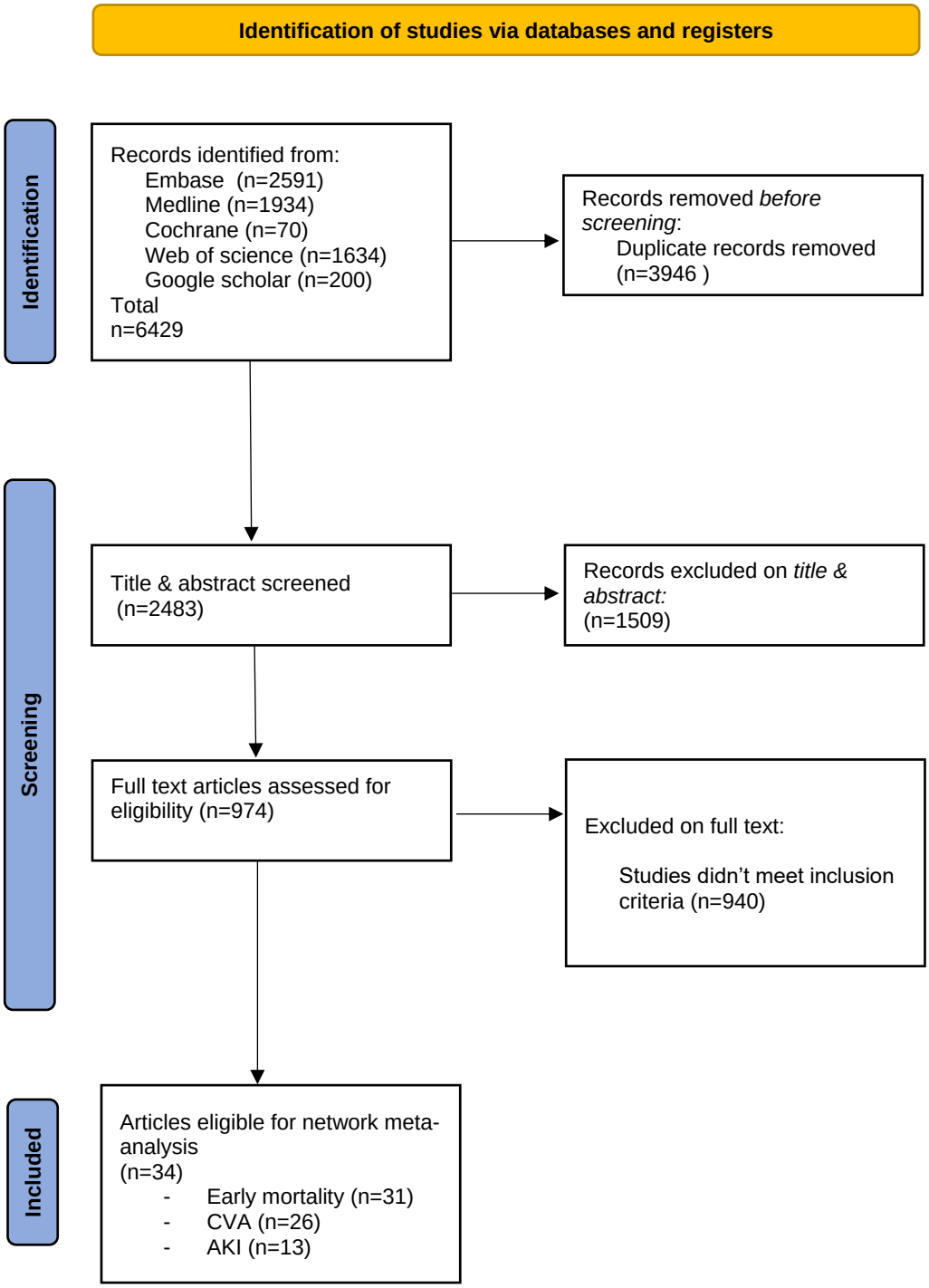
Identification of studies via databases and registers
Identification
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Medline (n=1934)
Cochrane (n=70)
Web of science (n=1634)
Google scholar (n=200)
Total
n=6429
Records removed *before screening*:
Duplicate records removed (n=3946)
Screening
Title & abstract screened (n=2483)
Records excluded on *title & abstract:* (n=1509)
Full text articles assessed for eligibility (n=974)
Excluded on full text:
Studies didn't meet inclusion criteria (n=940)
Included
Articles eligible for network meta-analysis (n=34)
- Early mortality (n=31)
- CVA (n=26)
- AKI (n=13)