

Clinical Trial Protocol

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Effectiveness and Comparison of cognitive-behavioral therapy and Hope therapy for anxiety and depression in Student at Shahrekord University of Medical Sciences

Protocol summary

Summary

The aim of this study was investigating and comparing the effectiveness of two methods of cognitive behavior and Hope Therapy on anxiety and depression in students. Inclusion criteria in study include: student; female; having problem of anxiety and depression. Exclusion criteria include: use psychological drugs for anxiety and depression; simultaneous another psychiatric interventions. the population of study comprised of female students in Shahrekord University. They were initially screen, and 45 participants were given a diagnosis of anxiety and depression were selected and randomly assigned to three groups of Hope therapy, cognitive therapy, and control group (15 individual in each group). The experimental groups received 12 sessions (one session, 90 min) of hope therapy and cognitive behavior therapy. All subjects in the same condition in three stages: pre, post, and three-month follow-up were assessed. The primary outcomes of the study include :anxiety score and depression score.

General information

Acronym

IRCT registration information

IRCT registration number: **IRCT2014110919872N1**

Registration date: **2015-01-10, 1393/10/20**

Registration timing: **retrospective**

Last update:

Update count: **0**

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Recruitment status

Recruitment complete

Funding source

Shahrekord University of Medical Sciences_ Islamic Azad University of Shahrekord.

Expected recruitment start date

2013-11-22, 1392/09/01

Expected recruitment end date

2013-12-19, 1392/09/28

Actual recruitment start date

empty

Actual recruitment end date

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Trial completion date

empty

Scientific title

Effectiveness and Comparison of cognitive-behavioral therapy and Hope therapy for anxiety and depression in Student at Shahrekord University of Medical Sciences

Public title

Effectiveness of cognitive-behavioral therapy and Hope therapy for anxiety and depression

Purpose

Treatment

Inclusion/Exclusion criteria

Inclusion criteria: being student; Female; Having problem of anxiety and depression. Exclusion criteria: use psychological drugs for anxiety and depression;

simultaneous another psychiatric interventions.

Age

From **18 years** old to **27 years** old

Gender

Female

Phase

N/A

Groups that have been masked

No information

Sample size

Target sample size: **45**

Randomization (investigator's opinion)

Randomized

Randomization description

Blinding (investigator's opinion)

Not blinded

Blinding description

Placebo

Not used

Assignment

Parallel

Other design features

Secondary Ids

empty

Ethics committees

1

Ethics committee

Name of ethics committee

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Approval date

2014-04-26, 1393/02/06

Ethics committee reference number

1490

Health conditions studied

1

Description of health condition studied

Anxiety and Depression

ICD-10 code

f30

ICD-10 code description

Mood [affective] disorders

Primary outcomes

1

Description

Anxiety and Depression score

Timepoint

Pre-test and post-test and 3 months after intervention

Method of measurement

Anxiety and depression subscales of the questionnaire scl90-r

Secondary outcomes

empty

Intervention groups

1

Description

First group: The experimental group received 12 sessions (one session, 90 min) of cognitive behavior Therapy.

Category

Treatment - Other

2

Description

Second group:: The experimental group received 12 sessions (one session, 90 min) of Hope Therapy.

Category

Treatment - Other

3

Description

Control Group except in the pre - post test and follow-up not present in any intervention.

Category

Other

Recruitment centers

1

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1

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Grant name

Grant code / Reference number

**Is the source of funding the same sponsor
organization/entity?**

Yes

Title of funding source

Islamic Azad University of Shahrekord

Proportion provided by this source

100

Public or private sector

empty

Domestic or foreign origin

empty

Category of foreign source of funding

empty

Country of origin

Type of organization providing the funding

empty

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Sharing plan

Deidentified Individual Participant Data Set (IPD)

empty

Study Protocol

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Statistical Analysis Plan

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Informed Consent Form

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Clinical Study Report

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Analytic Code

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Data Dictionary

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