

Clinical Trial Protocol

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Study of the effect of "good-enough sex model" on sexual intimacy and sexual satisfaction in menopausal and non-menopausal women.

Protocol summary

Summary

The current study aims to determine the effect of teaching the "good-enough sex model" on sexual intimacy and sexual satisfaction in menopausal and non-menopausal women who have referred to the Shahid Beheshti Medical University health centers. This research is quasi-experimental, in such a way that a list of the health centers relevant to the Shahid Beheshti Medical University is provided first. Three health centers will be randomly selected then; in these three centers, the samples (50 menopausal and 50 non-menopausal women) will be selected continuously based on the entry criteria to join the research. The population under study must be healthy Iranians free from any chronic illnesses, having had a natural menopause, and living within the first ten years of menopause; besides, the non-menopausal women mustn't be during their pregnancy or breastfeeding. teaching this pattern and help an increase in intimacy and the sexual satisfaction of women. After obtaining written consent sexual intimacy and sexual satisfaction will be measured and then for each group separately three 60-minute sessions spaced 10 days on the base of " good enough sex model" is organized, again, two weeks after the last session sexual intimacy and sexual satisfaction will be checked. The primary outcome in this study is sexual intimacy and sexual satisfaction.

General information

Acronym

IRCT registration information

IRCT registration number: **IRCT2016072120854N4**
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Registrant information

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Recruitment status

Recruitment complete

Funding source

Privately funded.

Expected recruitment start date

2016-12-05, 1395/09/15

Expected recruitment end date

2017-03-20, 1395/12/30

Actual recruitment start date

empty

Actual recruitment end date

empty

Trial completion date

empty

Scientific title

Study of the effect of "good-enough sex model" on sexual intimacy and sexual satisfaction in menopausal and non-menopausal women.

Public title

Study of the effect of "good-enough sex model" on sexual intimacy and sexual satisfaction in menopausal and non-menopausal women.

Purpose

Supportive

Inclusion/Exclusion criteria

Inclusion criteria: Being Iranian; Willing to participate in the study and be available during the next month; Living with their spouse during the study; Have a minimum education (reading and writing); Neither wife nor husband mustn't have experienced any serious tension during the study; Having a natural menopause; Being in the first ten years of their menopause; Not being in the period of pregnancy or breastfeeding. Exclusion criteria Women who may get pregnant during the study; Women who do not have desire to continue their cooperation with the researcher; Women who would be unable to participate in all the three education sessions.

Age

From **20 years** old to **65 years** old

Gender

Female

Phase

N/A

Groups that have been masked

No information

Sample size

Target sample size: **50**

Randomization (investigator's opinion)

N/A

Randomization description

Blinding (investigator's opinion)

Not blinded

Blinding description

Placebo

Not used

Assignment

Parallel

Other design features

This study is designed to assess the sexual intimacy and sexual satisfaction before and after education in the study population.

Secondary Ids

empty

Ethics committees

1

Ethics committee

Name of ethics committee

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2016-01-19, 1394/10/29

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IR.SBMU.PHNM.1394.264

Health conditions studied

1

Description of health condition studied

sex counselling

ICD-10 code

Z70.1

ICD-10 code description

Counselling related to sexual attitude, behaviour and orientation

Primary outcomes

1

Description

Sexual intimacy

Timepoint

Before intervention and 2 weeks after the end of intervention

Method of measurement

Questionnaire of sexual intimacy

2

Description

Sexual satisfaction

Timepoint

Before intervention and 2 weeks after the end of intervention

Method of measurement

Questionnaire of sexual satisfaction

Secondary outcomes

empty

Intervention groups

1

Description

Intervention is on the base of education. Education is based on "good enough sex model" for menopausal and non-menopausal women in three sessions. This strategy is separately applied for each group of them. Classes will be held with 10 days interval as well as each session is 1 hour.

Category

Other

Recruitment centers

1

Recruitment center

Name of recruitment center

Health centers relevant to the Shahid Beheshti University of Medical sciences

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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
Shahid Beheshti University of Medical Sciences
Proportion provided by this source
100
Public or private sector
empty
Domestic or foreign origin
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Category of foreign source of funding
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Type of organization providing the funding
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Sharing plan

Deidentified Individual Participant Data Set (IPD)
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Study Protocol
empty
Statistical Analysis Plan
empty
Informed Consent Form
empty
Clinical Study Report
empty
Analytic Code
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Data Dictionary
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