

Clinical Trial Protocol

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The effect of self care program based on Orem's theory on the quality of sleep and psychological indices in patients with multiple sclerosis

Protocol summary

Summary

Multiple sclerosis (MS) is a chronic disease and a major source of disability across the world. Orem's theory emphasizes an individual's ability to self-care. Thus, the aim of the study was to examine the effects of an educational program based on Orem's Self-care Theory on sleep quality and Some indicators of mental in patients with Multiple sclerosis. The current clinical trial included 78 MS patients during 2014-15. The population included all MS patients registered at the MS Association of Zahedan who were invited to participate in the study through a public call. The objectives of the study were explained, and the ones willing and qualified according to inclusion criteria were registered. They were randomly allocated to a control and case group (n=39 in each group). The tools included a demographics form, Pittsburgh Sleep Quality Index Snyder's Hope Scale, DASS21 and Patient Needs Assessment Form who were completed by the patients before and three months after the educational intervention. The intervention involved nine educational sessions based on Orem's theory. Application of the program materials during the three months of education by patients was followed through self-report forms. Both needs assessment and self-report forms were researcher-made.

General information

Acronym

IRCT registration information

IRCT registration number: **IRCT2015050522100N1**

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Recruitment status

Recruitment complete

Funding source

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Expected recruitment start date

2015-02-19, 1393/11/30

Expected recruitment end date

2015-03-21, 1394/01/01

Actual recruitment start date

empty

Actual recruitment end date

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Trial completion date

empty

Scientific title

The effect of self care program based on Orem's theory on the quality of sleep and psychological indices in patients with multiple sclerosis

Public title

The effect of self-care program on quality of sleep and Some indicators of mental in patients with multiple sclerosis

Purpose

Supportive

Inclusion/Exclusion criteria

Inclusion criteria: age between 20-50; Literacy; lack of

continuous use of sleep medication; sleep quality score of five or higher devices; independent of the wheelchair; not in the acute phase of the disease; the lack of other acute disorders or chronic physical and mental or psychological such as depression; impaired speech or hearing. Exclusion criteria: lack of willingness to continue participation in the trial for any reason; patients who have complications during the intervention; physical-mental disorders and diseases are serious.

Age

From **20 years** old to **50 years** old

Gender

Both

Phase

N/A

Groups that have been masked

No information

Sample size

Target sample size: **84**

Randomization (investigator's opinion)

Not 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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2015-04-06, 1394/01/17

Ethics committee reference number

IR.BUMS.1394.1

Health conditions studied

1

Description of health condition studied

multiple sclerosis

ICD-10 code

G35

ICD-10 code description

multiple sclerosis

Primary outcomes

1

Description

Quality of sleep

Timepoint

Early intervention and 3 months

Method of measurement

Pittsburgh Sleep Quality Index...

2

Description

Hope

Timepoint

3 months

Method of measurement

Schneider hopes questionnaire

Secondary outcomes

1

Description

Some mental health indicators

Timepoint

Early intervention and 3 months

Method of measurement

Schneider hopes questionnaireDASS21.

Intervention groups

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Description

Intervention group: Patients in the intervention group completed the questionnaire and 45-minute sessions over a two-week training program in 9th place, with medical supervision neurologist offered to them. In the meetings, after additional details about the research and its objectives in the form of self reported by patients and care program on how to register will be explained to them in this form. Then the content of the curriculum as defined by the disease, its causes and symptoms, methods of diagnosis and treatment and self-care skills related to physical problems and muscle weakness, fatigue and how to relieve muscle spasms, gait disorders, urination and defecation disorders, disorder physical and cognitive performance and mental disorders will be presented. The program will be presentations and displays images of patients are taught and trained for the review of cases will be considered for the patient questions to be answered. Patients were followed for 3 months after intervention and support researcher training program to run daily on Czech daily list of self-reported home pay and complete the. Researcher on a specific day in the community and patients will be able to attend your questions and problems to ask her in

person or by phone. After three months, people will be invited to attend the forum. Then the questionnaires completed by the participants

Category

Rehabilitation

2**Description**

Control group: Patients in the control group completed questionnaires at baseline and these patients will not be any interference. After three months, the control group will be invited to attend forums and questionnaires completed by patients.

Category

Rehabilitation

Recruitment centers**1****Recruitment center****Name of recruitment center**

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Yes

Title of funding source

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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)
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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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