

Clinical Trial Protocol

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The effect of the Spiritual care on caregiver burden Mothers with Intellectual disability

Protocol summary

Summary

Taking care of mentally retarded children creates many problems for mothers. The problems lead to mother's care burden and forgetfulness of self-care by her. Due to the effective role of spiritual confrontations in meeting the psychological needs of the mothers with mentally retarded children, this study aims to determine the effect of spiritual self-care on care burden of the mothers with mentally retarded children who are supported by Elahi rehabilitation center in Quchan. This is a semi-experimental study in which 60 mothers with mentally retarded children are considered by the before-and-after test. Sample population of the study are the total available number of these mothers. The qualifications the mothers need include being Muslim, having at least primary school literacy, being the real parent of the child, etc; and the exclusion qualifications include being a member of religious minority, illiteracy, being unreal parent of the child, having depression, etc. Sample population are divided randomly to the intervention group and the control group. Data collection tools include a personal information researcher-made questionnaire with 14 questions based on research purposes. The questions are about age, marital status, education level, income, job, number of children, place of residence and gender of children. To determine the questionnaire validity, the corrective comments and suggestions of 10 professors of Zabol Nursing and Midwifery faculty were used. Caregiver burden questionnaire (Novak & Guest, 1389) with 24 items is also used to measure objective and subjective caregiver burden. The questionnaires are completed before, immediately after and two weeks later of the spiritual self-care training. For data analysis, SPSS20 software is used.

General information

Acronym

IRCT registration information

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Recruitment status

Recruitment complete

Funding source

Governmental

Expected recruitment start date

2016-01-21, 1394/11/01

Expected recruitment end date

2016-06-21, 1395/04/01

Actual recruitment start date

empty

Actual recruitment end date

empty

Trial completion date

empty

Scientific title

The effect of the Spiritual care on caregiver burden
Mothers with Intellectual disability

Public title

The effect of the Spiritual care on caregiver burden
Mothers with Intellectual disability

Purpose

Supportive

Inclusion/Exclusion criteria

Inclusion criteria: Mentally disabled children; Being Muslim; Have at least basic literacy; The real mother of the child; The lack of clear diagnosis of depressive illness; Not taking antidepressant medication; Not taking any narcotic drugs or psychotropic; willingness to participate in research; Lack of disabled children; the ability to communicate verbally with mothers by religious adviser with any Ethnicity, Exclusion criteria: Being religious minorities; Illiteracy; Having a child than half; Having depression and taking antidepressants; Drug addiction and drug or psychotropic; Unwillingness to participate in research

Age

From **20 years** old to **60 years** old

Gender

Female

Phase

N/A

Groups that have been masked

No information

Sample size

Target sample size: **60**

Randomization (investigator's opinion)

Randomized

Randomization description

Blinding (investigator's opinion)

Single 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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2016-04-20, 1395/02/01

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zbmu.1.REC.1394.131

Health conditions studied

1

Description of health condition studied

burden caregiver

ICD-10 code

ICD-10 code description

Primary outcomes

1

Description

burden caregiver

Timepoint

Before the intervention After the intervention two weeks after the intervention

Method of measurement

burden caregiver questionnaire Guest & Novak

Secondary outcomes

empty

Intervention groups

1

Description

Adjusted on the basis of spiritual-religious spiritual care training strategies will be Richard and Bergin The Islamic approach and focus on issues such as meditation, prayer, repentance and forgiveness, altruism, patience, trust and tank Which is run by a religious adviser to the study group. Features chaplain, dressed as clergy without, a scholar at the Graduate And fluent in the dialect of Farsi, Turkish and Kurdish dialects, according to the people of this region.

Category

Behavior

2

Description

The control group completed the questionnaires first. After the training sessions, the caregiver burden questionnaires were completed again by the same group. Two weeks after the intervention, the final process was accomplished aiming to meet the maternal health and encouragement. Then the caregiver burden questionnaires were completed by this group.

Category

Behavior

Recruitment centers

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

Vice chancellor for research of zabol univercity of medical sciences

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

empty

Clinical Study Report

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Analytic Code

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Data Dictionary

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