

# Clinical Trial Protocol

## Iranian Registry of Clinical Trials

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### Comparison of the efficacy of drug therapy with cognitive-behavioral therapy with the drug in reducing the symptoms and sings of type 2 bipolar disorder.

#### Protocol summary

##### Study aim

Identify the signs and symptoms that drug medication or cognitive-behavioral therapy with the drug has in reducing or improving them.

##### Design

Twenty patients with type 1 bipolar mood disorder who were admitted to the psychiatric ward were selected. They were randomly (A random number table) assigned to TAU (N=10) or CBT with TAU (N=10). Each group will be receive its own therapy.

##### Settings and conduct

Intervention and control groups consist of type 1 bipolar patients that were admitted to the psychiatric ward of Fatemi Hospital in Ardebil . At first, bipolar patients were randomly assigned to two groups of drug therapy(control group) and cognitive-behavioral therapy with drug(Intervention group).

##### Participants/Inclusion and exclusion criteria

Including critria: -Age minimum 18 and maximum 50 years ; Minimum education third grade middle school; Minimum standards DSM-V criteria; First episode of disease Excluding critria: Having substance abuse and active thoughts of suicide; psychotic disorder and OCD and personality disorder; impulse control disorder and aggression; pregnant; history of any psychiatric treatment in the past 6 months

##### Intervention groups

The drug treatment group will receive treatment as usual (TAU) treatment. And in the patients of the cognitive behavioral therapy group along with the drug receive TAU treatment and cognitive-behavioral therapy for 8 weeks based on the JC Wright method.

##### Main outcome variables

High mood; sexual interests; sleep; thought content; aggressive behavior; irritability; speech impairment; appearance; insight; motor activity; speech speed

#### General information

##### Reason for update

##### Acronym

none

##### IRCT registration information

IRCT registration number: **IRCT20170103031741N2**

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##### Registration date

2018-09-11, 1397/06/20

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##### Recruitment status

##### Recruitment complete

##### Funding source

Educational Assistant University of Medical Sciences  
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##### Expected recruitment start date

2018-06-10, 1397/03/20

##### Expected recruitment end date

2018-09-01, 1397/06/10

##### Actual recruitment start date

empty

**Actual recruitment end date**

empty

**Trial completion date**

empty

**Scientific title**

Comparison of the efficacy of drug therapy with cognitive-behavioral therapy with the drug in reducing the symptoms and signs of type 2 bipolar disorder.

**Public title**

The effect of cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT) for reducing signs and symptoms of bipolar disorder

**Purpose**

Treatment

**Inclusion/Exclusion criteria****Inclusion criteria:**

Age minimum 18 years and maximum 50 years Minimum education third grade middle school Minimum standards DSM-V criteria for the diagnosis of bipolar disorder type People who experience a first episode of disease Chronic patients who had at least 2 weeks of discontinuation And a new episode of recurrent disease and had been hospitalized.

**Exclusion criteria:**

Having substance abuse Having active thoughts of suicide Having any comorbidity disorder accompanied by a psychotic clinical presentation. Having OCD Having any personality disorder. Having impulse control disorder and aggression. Any pregnant. History of any psychiatric treatment in the past 6 months. Hospitalized patients have a history of drug treatment without discontinuing the drug.

**Age**

From **18 years** old to **50 years** old

**Gender**

Both

**Phase**

N/A

**Groups that have been masked**

*No information*

**Sample size**

Target sample size: **20**

**Randomization (investigator's opinion)**

Randomized

**Randomization description**

A sample of bipolar patients is a type of admission in the psychiatric ward in an accessible manner, of which 20 will be contributed. Patients with Bipolar Mood Disorder in the department (based on psychiatric diagnosis) are divided into two groups of drugs and cognitive-behavioral therapy with the drug randomly. The accident method will be simple. A random number table is a collection of numbers that are generated without a specific pattern or order and completely randomized. To use a random number table, we first set the table numbers to read, for example, top, bottom, left, or right. The second default considering numbers for different groups for example, pair numbers for intervention A (drug treatment group) and individual numbers for intervention B (cognitive behavioral therapy group with medication). -Randomization: Individual. -Randomization

Tool: Random Number Tables. -Allocation concealment: Numbered drug containers

**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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**Ethics committee reference number**

IR.ARUMS.REC.1395.57

**Health conditions studied****1****Description of health condition studied**

Bipolar Mood Disorder type one

**ICD-10 code**

Chapter V

**ICD-10 code description**

F31

**Primary outcomes****1****Description**

High Mood

**Timepoint**

At the beginning of the study and 2 months after the intervention

**Method of measurement**

Yang Mania Scale Response; Hamilton Test

## 2

### **Description**

Sexual interests

### **Timepoint**

At the beginning of the study and 2 months after the intervention

### **Method of measurement**

Yang Mania Scale Response; Hamilton Test

## 3

### **Description**

Sleep

### **Timepoint**

At the beginning of the study and 2 months after the intervention

### **Method of measurement**

Yang Mania Scale Response; Hamilton Test

## 4

### **Description**

Thought content

### **Timepoint**

At the beginning of the study and 2 months after the intervention

### **Method of measurement**

Yang Mania Scale Response; Hamilton Test

## 5

### **Description**

Aggressive behavior

### **Timepoint**

At the beginning of the study and 2 months after the intervention

### **Method of measurement**

Yang Mania Scale Response; Hamilton Test

## 6

### **Description**

Irritability

### **Timepoint**

At the beginning of the study and 2 months after the intervention

### **Method of measurement**

Yang Mania Scale Response; Hamilton Test

## 7

### **Description**

Speech impairment

### **Timepoint**

At the beginning of the study and 2 months after the intervention

### **Method of measurement**

Yang Mania Scale Response; Hamilton Test

## 8

### **Description**

Appearance

## **Timepoint**

At the beginning of the study and 2 months after the intervention

### **Method of measurement**

Yang Mania Scale Response; Hamilton Test

## 9

### **Description**

Insight

### **Timepoint**

At the beginning of the study and 2 months after the intervention

### **Method of measurement**

Yang Mania Scale Response; Hamilton Test

## 10

### **Description**

Motor activity

### **Timepoint**

At the beginning of the study and 2 months after the intervention

### **Method of measurement**

Yang Mania Scale Response; Hamilton Test

## 11

### **Description**

Speech speed

### **Timepoint**

At the beginning of the study and 2 months after the intervention

### **Method of measurement**

Yang Mania Scale Response; Hamilton Test

## **Secondary outcomes**

## 1

### **Description**

Quality of life

### **Timepoint**

At the beginning of the study and 2 months after the intervention

### **Method of measurement**

FS36 Score

## **Intervention groups**

## 1

### **Description**

Intervention group : will be receive cognitive-behavioral therapy (12 sessions,Based on JC Wright method) with a common drug treatment such as sodium valproate (15mg/kg/Daily, PO) and lithium(400mg daily,PO) for 2 month .

### **Category**

Behavior

## 2

### Description

Control group: will be receive a common drug treatment such as sodium valproate (15mg/kg/Daily, PO) and lithium(400mg daily,PO) for 2 month .

### 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**

Ardabil University of Medical Sciences

**Proportion provided by this source**

100

**Public or private sector**

Public

**Domestic or foreign origin**

Domestic

**Category of foreign source of funding**

*empty*

**Country of origin****Type of organization providing the funding**

Academic

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## Sharing plan

**Deidentified Individual Participant Data Set (IPD)**

Yes - There is a plan to make this available

**Study Protocol**

Yes - There is a plan to make this available

**Statistical Analysis Plan**

Yes - There is a plan to make this available

**Informed Consent Form**

Yes - There is a plan to make this available

**Clinical Study Report**

Yes - There is a plan to make this available

**Analytic Code**

Not applicable

**Data Dictionary**

Not applicable

**Title and more details about the data/document**

Total data after unidentifiable people as SPSS can be shared.

**When the data will become available and for how long**

Six months later print the results.

**To whom data/document is available**

Researchers working in academia and academia.

**Under which criteria data/document could be used**

In order to investigate narrative and data validation.

**From where data/document is obtainable**

Fatemi Hospital, Department of Psychiatry, proprietary files of this study.

**What processes are involved for a request to access data/document**

Applying for access to project documentation, apply to the hospital's research council and then issue permission to access files and data.

**Comments**

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