

Clinical Trial Protocol

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Investigation of the effect of drug reminder application on drug adherence in primary hypertensive Patients

Protocol summary

Study aim

Investigation of the effect of drug reminder application on drug adherence in primary hypertensive Patients

Design

randomized trial with parallel group , blinded postoperative care, include 76 participants (38 in the intervention group and 38 controls)

Settings and conduct

Referring to the Yazd Cardiovascular research center, the researchers will provide a list of middle-aged people with hypertension and make contacts with eligible individuals. Morisky Medication Adherence Questionnaire is completed on the phone and those who score poorly are invited to visit the center. The participants will then complete the written consent form in the center and their demographic data form and Morisky questionnaire will be completed by the researcher through an interview. Samples will be assigned to one of the groups using random numbers table. Prior to and three months after the intervention, the degree of adherence to drug therapy is measured by the Morisky questionnaire.

Participants/Inclusion and exclusion criteria

Inclusion criteria: Having cognitive-psychological ability to participate in the study Having a smartphone The ability to use of the application Diagnosis of primary blood pressure by a physician Having at least 6 months of history of the disease the age of 25 to 65 years Obtain an Undesirable Score from drug adherence Questionnaire
Exclusion criteria: Hospitalization during the study
Change location to another city

Intervention groups

In the first group, "Drug Reminder" application is installed on patients' mobile phones and the necessary training will be provided to use the application. No action is taken in the control group

Main outcome variables

drug adherence

General information

Reason for update

Acronym

IRCT registration information

IRCT registration number: **IRCT20160503027736N4**

Registration date: **2018-07-18, 1397/04/27**

Registration timing: **retrospective**

Last update: **2018-07-18, 1397/04/27**

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Recruitment status

Recruitment complete

Funding source

Expected recruitment start date

2017-10-04, 1396/07/12

Expected recruitment end date

2018-01-15, 1396/10/25

Actual recruitment start date

empty

Actual recruitment end date

empty

Trial completion date

empty

Scientific title

Investigation of the effect of drug reminder application on drug adherence in primary hypertensive Patients

Public title

the effect of drug reminder application on drug adherence in hypertensive Patients

Purpose

Health service research

Inclusion/Exclusion criteria**Inclusion criteria:**

All middle-aged patients with primary hypertension and have been diagnosed with a primary blood pressure diagnosis physician.

Exclusion criteria:

Mental diseases such as Alzheimer's and other types of dementia

Age

From **25 years** old to **65 years** old

Gender

Both

Phase

N/A

Groups that have been masked

- Investigator

Sample size

Target sample size: **76**

Randomization (investigator's opinion)

Randomized

Randomization description

Simple randomization; Individual; Samples will be assigned to one of the groups(drug reminder application group and control group) using random numbers table.

Blinding (investigator's opinion)

Single blinded

Blinding description

Considering that samples are assigned into the groups with the use of random numbers table, the author will be blinded regarding the assignments.

Placebo

Not used

Assignment

Parallel

Other design features

drug reminder application that it had used in this research"Daro Yab"is that an optic and easy program for using to remind pills and management of drugs

Secondary Ids

empty

Ethics committees**1****Ethics committee****Name of ethics committee**

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IR.RUMS.REC.1396.68

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

drug adherence in primary hypertensive Patients

ICD-10 code

I10

ICD-10 code description

Essential (primary) hypertension

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

obtain weak score of Morisky Medication Adherence Questionnaire

Timepoint

before intervention - three months after the intervention

Method of measurement

Morisky Medication Adherence Questionnaire

Secondary outcomes

empty

Intervention groups**1****Description**

Intervention group: . In the intervention group, "drug Reminder" application is installed on patients' mobile phones and the necessary training will be provided to use the application

Category

N/A

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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
Rafsanjan 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
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Sharing plan**Deidentified Individual Participant Data Set (IPD)**

No - There is not a plan to make this available

Justification/reason for indecision/not sharing IPD
confidentiality of participants**Study Protocol**

No - There is not a plan to make this available

Statistical Analysis Plan

No - There is not a plan to make this available

Informed Consent Form

No - There is not a plan to make this available

Clinical Study Report

Not applicable

Analytic Code

No - There is not a plan to make this available

Data Dictionary

No - There is not a plan to make this available