

Clinical Trial Protocol

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The comparison of the effect of music on self-efficacy and the severity of violence expressed in women under domestic violence with control group

Protocol summary

Study aim

Determining the effect of music on the self-efficacy and the severity of violence expressed of women under domestic violence

Design

The number of samples determined in each group is 57 people, considering the 10% drop, the number of samples in each group should be considered 63 people. Random allocator software will be used for random allocation.

Settings and conduct

Sampling in health centers and family physician bases in Sari and intervention at home and virtual.

Participants/Inclusion and exclusion criteria

The study population includes women who are married, have at least one year of experience living with their sexual partner, and are subjected to any form of sexual violence that causes (or is likely to cause) physical, sexual, or psychological harm to women. It is very painful for them or leads to forced deprivation of individual or social liberty, as well as being literate and willing to participate in the study.

Intervention groups

In the intervention group, first, a list of non-verbal music with the necessary characteristics to create relaxation is prepared with the opinion of a music expert and is presented to the participants of this group. After the participant selects their favorite music, they will receive 7 sessions of 45-minute (2 sessions per week) individually according to the Covid-19 pandemic conditions at home. Phone calls will be made twice a week and the researcher will monitor the intervention and homework. The interventions will be performed by a master's degree student in midwifery counseling under the direct supervision of a research team consisting of a reproductive health specialist, a doctorate in nursing, and a master's degree in music.

Main outcome variables

Self-efficacy; severity of expressed violence

General information

Reason for update

Acronym

IRCT registration information

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Recruitment status

Recruitment complete

Funding source

Expected recruitment start date

2021-10-16, 1400/07/24

Expected recruitment end date

2022-01-13, 1400/10/23

Actual recruitment start date

empty

Actual recruitment end date

empty

Trial completion date

empty

Scientific title

The comparison of the effect of music on self-efficacy and the severity of violence expressed in women under domestic violence with control group

Public title

Music on self-efficacy and severity of expressed violence of women under domestic violence

Purpose

Supportive

Inclusion/Exclusion criteria

Inclusion criteria:

Married middle-aged and young women with experience of living with their husbands for at least a year and under domestic violence (according to the Parsa system) Be able to read and write. Have no habit of listening to music No pregnancy No chronic psychiatric disorders And major at the time of the study No history of schizophrenia and bipolar disorder No substance abuse No participation in psychological intervention sessions related to domestic violence in the last 6 months No use of antipsychotic drugs, antidepressants or mood stabilizers in Time of the study No history of suicide attempt, No history of hospitalization in the psychiatric ward (based on self-declaration) Consent of the wife and her husband to participate in the study.

Exclusion criteria:

The patient's desire to leave the study Occurrence of significant stressful events during the study (loss of a family member, job loss, bankruptcy, etc.)

Age

To **54 years** old

Gender

Female

Phase

3

Groups that have been masked

- Participant
- Outcome assessor
- Data analyser

Sample size

Target sample size: **126**

Randomization (investigator's opinion)

Randomized

Randomization description

In order to randomly assign, use Random allocator software and (according to the number of 126 samples) two groups of numbers will be obtained randomly. Individuals will then be placed in intervention or control groups. For example, the numbers in group A will be women receiving the intervention and group B will be in control. Then, by referring to each of the women, we look at the table of numbers in which group they are and according to the table, they will be in the intervention or control group. This will be done for all participants. For example, the number one is in group B, which means that the first client is in the control group.

Blinding (investigator's opinion)

Double blinded

Blinding description

Research participants and staff of health centers. While

explaining the work, we only ask the health staff of the centers to provide us with the contact numbers of women who have been abused if these women agree, and we do not explicitly say, for example, that Ms. X is going to be in the control group or to intervene. We will explain the work process in general. Outcomes will be assessed by health centers' midwife that will not aware of participants' group.

Placebo

Not used

Assignment

Parallel

Other design features

Secondary Ids

empty

Ethics committees

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Ethics committee

Name of ethics committee

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Health conditions studied

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Description of health condition studied

Women under domestic violence

ICD-10 code

ICD-10 code description

Primary outcomes

1

Description

Self-efficacy

Timepoint

At the time of enrollment - immediately after the intervention and one month after the intervention

Method of measurement

Schwartz and Jurosaem General Self-Efficacy Questionnaire (General Self- Efficacy Scale)

Secondary outcomes

1

Description

The severity of the violence expressed

Timepoint

At the time of enrollment - immediately after the intervention and one month after the intervention

Method of measurement

Domestic Violence Questionnaire against Women
Mohseni Tabrizi et al

Intervention groups

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Description

In the intervention group, they will receive 7 sessions of 45 minutes (2 sessions per week) individually according to the coronary pandemic conditions at home. Phone calls will be made twice a week and the researcher will monitor the intervention and homework. The interventions will be performed by a counseling master student in midwifery, under the direct supervision of a research team consisting of a reproductive health specialist, a doctoral nurse, and a music master. In this study, the meaning of music is non-verbal songs with the sound of nature such as wind and the sound of the sea wave and piano pieces that are uplifting and refreshing. Invigorating themes (rhythmic) rhythmic pieces with a relatively sharp melody that inspires vitality and vitality away from excitement and impatience and is accompanied by stability and calmness, which is used by Standley music therapy through Mp3 player in each The meeting will be broadcast. In the first session, a folder containing non-verbal music will be played to the participant and based on their choice, it will be used until the end of the intervention. It should be noted that all non-verbal songs in the file will have the same theme and rhythm. In this study, the first, second and third methods of stand-up music therapy will be used for the intervention group. Passive music is a joy to listen to non-verbal pieces. A special melody to create joy in patients should have a refreshing musical theme. Invigorating themes (rhythmic) rhythmic pieces with a relatively sharp melody that induces vitality and vivacity away from excitement and impatience and is accompanied by stability and calm. Active Musical Activities in Music Therapy Sessions This study will include a discussion of musical emotions, singing, and speaking along with the piano.

Category

Treatment - Other

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Description

Control group: Routine care

Category

N/A

Recruitment centers

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Grant code / Reference number

Is the source of funding the same sponsor organization/entity?

Yes

Title of funding source

Mazandaran 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

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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

Yes - There is a plan to make this available

Data Dictionary

Yes - There is a plan to make this available

Title and more details about the data/document

Research-related information is shared with the aim of keeping individuals' names and identities confidential and adhering to the 31 Code of Ethics.

When the data will become available and for how long

2022

To whom data/document is available

All researchers and research enthusiasts

Under which criteria data/document could be used

For review and supplementary research

From where data/document is obtainable

Author in charge of Dr. Soghra Khani

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

She/He must first send an email to the author of the article and submit her request, and if the author and the

research team deem it appropriate, the documents and files will be provided in a short time

Comments

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