

# Self-help Therapy and Recovery Trial: evaluation of a recovery guide for psychosis

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**Plain English summary of protocol**  
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8246

# Study information

## Scientific Title

An evaluation of different levels of support in using a recovery guide for people with psychosis and the impact of choice on outcomes

## Acronym

STAR-T

## Study objectives

This study is a partially randomised patient preference trial. The aims of the study are to:

1. Evaluate the feasibility and acceptability of a recovery guide for psychosis when provided with either low or high support
2. To assess the relative impact of the guide in relation to low and high support and no treatment on psychotic symptoms, affect, well-being and functioning

Participants will be able to choose their preferred treatment option (treatment as usual [TAU], low support or high support) or elect to be randomised to a treatment option.

## Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

## Ethics approval(s)

North West 10 REC - Greater Manchester North, 09/02/2010, ref: 09/H1011/81

## Study design

Single centre randomised interventional treatment trial

## Primary study design

Interventional

## Secondary study design

Randomised controlled trial

## Study setting(s)

Hospital

## Study type(s)

Treatment

## Participant information sheet

Not available in web format, please contact Samantha Hartley (Trial Manager) on +44 (0)161 275 8497 or [samantha.hartley@manchester.ac.uk](mailto:samantha.hartley@manchester.ac.uk) to request a copy or more information

## Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Topic: Mental Health Research Network; Subtopic: Psychosis; Disease: Psychosis

## Interventions

Therapy will consist of (in addition to TAU) either:

1. Low support: this therapy will be delivered over 9 months and will consist of the following:

- 1.1. Receive a copy of the Self Help Recovery Guide
- 1.2. Weekly CBT telephone sessions
- 1.3. Up to 5 telephone peer support sessions
2. High support: this will consist of all the components of low support. In addition, participants will receive group sessions.

Follow up length: 15 months

Study entry: registration only

### **Intervention Type**

Other

### **Phase**

Not Specified

### **Primary outcome measure**

Process of Recovery Questionnaire (QPR), measured at baseline, 9 months and 15 months

### **Secondary outcome measures**

Subjective Experiences of Psychotic Symptoms Scale (SEPS), measured at baseline, 9 months and 15 months

### **Overall study start date**

10/03/2010

### **Completion date**

01/09/2011

## **Eligibility**

### **Key inclusion criteria**

1. Aged 18 - 65 years, either sex
2. In contact with mental health services
3. Meeting International Classification of Diseases, version 10 (ICD-10) criteria for non-affective psychosis (schizophrenia, schizophreniform disorder, schizo-affective disorder, delusional disorder)
4. At least one month of stabilisation if the person has experienced a symptom exacerbation in the last 6 months
5. Able to provide written informed consent
6. Able to read the Recovery Guide
7. Able to complete the assessments in English
8. Able to use the telephone

### **Participant type(s)**

Patient

### **Age group**

Adult

### **Lower age limit**

18 Years

**Sex**

Both

**Target number of participants**

Planned sample size: 120; UK sample size: 120

**Key exclusion criteria**

1. Do not speak/read English
2. Experiencing an acute exacerbation of symptoms requiring inpatient or other changes to treatment

**Date of first enrolment**

10/03/2010

**Date of final enrolment**

01/09/2011

## **Locations**

**Countries of recruitment**

England

United Kingdom

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**Sponsor type**

University/education

**Website**

<http://www.manchester.ac.uk/>

**ROR**

<https://ror.org/027m9bs27>

## **Funder(s)**

**Funder type**

Government

**Funder Name**

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**Funding Body Type**

Government organisation

**Funding Body Subtype**

National government

**Location**

United Kingdom

## **Results and Publications**

**Publication and dissemination plan**

Not provided at time of registration

**Intention to publish date**

**Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan**

**IPD sharing plan summary**

Not provided at time of registration

**Study outputs**

Output type	Details	Date created	Date added	Peer reviewed?	Patient-facing?
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results

01/09/2015

Yes

No