

Vernetzte www.Welten: Effectiveness of a school-based media education program

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Plain English summary of protocol
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1234

Study information

Scientific Title
Effectiveness of a school-based media education program: Cluster-randomised controlled trial

Study objectives

The program Vernetzte www.Welten shows an effect on media-related knowledge, media-related attitudes and behaviour.

Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

Ethics approval(s)

The Ministry of Cultural Affairs Schleswig-Holstein (Ministerium für Bildung und Kultur des Landes Schleswig-Holstein) approved on the 24th of August 2010

Study design

Prospective cluster randomised controlled trial

Primary study design

Interventional

Study type(s)

Quality of life

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Prevention of media addiction and problem gambling in youth

Interventions

Schools are randomised to provide:

1. Vernetzte www.Welten intervention program

Teachers were instructed to arrange the following schedule during a period of three months:

1.1. Implementation of four specified class units concerning media education (focused on computer/internet use & gambling)

1.2. Circulation of the parent booklet Jugendliche & Medien - Tipps für Eltern (Youth and Media Parental Information)

2. Control: Normal lessons

Intervention Type

Other

Phase

Not Applicable

Primary outcome(s)

1. Media literacy

2. Attitudes towards media use

3. Actual media use, lifetime

4. Actual prevalence of gambling

All outcomes will be assessed at baseline, immediately after the intervention and 12 months after the treatment.

Key secondary outcome(s))

No secondary outcome measures

Completion date

31/12/2012

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria

1. Students of public schools
2. Age between 11 and 13 (6th and 7th grade), either sex

Participant type(s)

Patient

Healthy volunteers allowed

No

Age group

Child

Lower age limit

11 years

Upper age limit

13 years

Sex

All

Key exclusion criteria

1. Students of schools with special pedagogic needs
2. Students from schools currently conducting structured interventions concerning media use
3. Missing parental consent

Date of first enrolment

01/09/2010

Date of final enrolment

31/12/2012

Locations

Countries of recruitment

Germany

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Sponsor information

Organisation

Ministry for Work, Social Affairs and Health of Schleswig-Holstein (Germany)

ROR

<https://ror.org/036e5c451>

Funder(s)

Funder type

Government

Funder Name

Ministry for Work, Social Affairs and Health of the Federal State of Schleswig-Holstein (Germany)

Results and Publications

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?
Results article	results	01/05/2013		Yes	No
Participant information sheet	Participant information sheet	11/11/2025	11/11/2025	No	Yes