

Does occupational therapy intervention improve the quality of life for older people with dementia in a care home setting?

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Registration date 20/11/2006	Overall study status Completed	<input type="checkbox"/> Protocol
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Plain English summary of protocol
Not provided at time of registration

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EudraCT/CTIS number

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ClinicalTrials.gov number

Secondary identifying numbers

N/A

Study information

Scientific Title

Added as of 04/08/09: A cluster, randomised controlled trial with blinded assessment of outcome to evaluate the effectiveness of occupational therapy intervention to improve the quality of life for older people with dementia in a care home setting.

Acronym

CHAD (Care Homes: Activity and Dementia)

Study objectives

The provision of a programme of occupational therapy intervention for older people with dementia in a care home setting will improve the quality of life score by three points when measured using the Quality of Life in Alzheimer's Disease - patient and caregiver report (QOL-AD) compared to a control group.

As of 04/08/09 this trial has been updated. All updates can be found under the relevant field with the above update date.

Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

Ethics approval(s)

National Health Service Barking & Dagenham Local Research Ethics Committee (ref: 05/Q0602/8), approval gained in February 2004.

Study design

Single-blind cluster randomised controlled trial

Primary study design

Interventional

Secondary study design

Randomised controlled trial

Study setting(s)

Care home

Study type(s)

Quality of life

Participant information sheet

Not available in web format, please use the contact details below to request a contact information sheet.

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Quality of life for older people with dementia in care homes

Interventions

Series of seven education sessions provided by registered occupational therapist to group of care staff covering the need for occupation, how to get to know the resident and how to select /offer personally meaningful activities. Staff will complete a series of work-based learning tasks in between the sessions.

Intervention Type

Other

Phase

Not Specified

Primary outcome measure

The Quality of Life in Alzheimer's Disease - patient and caregiver report (QOL-AD)

Secondary outcome measures

1. Challenging Behaviour Scale (CBS)
2. Cornell scale for depression in dementia
3. Rating Anxiety In Dementia (RAID)

Overall study start date

01/06/2006

Completion date

30/09/2007

Eligibility**Key inclusion criteria**

Care homes residents need to be:

1. Aged 60 and over
2. Have lived at the care home for at least two months on a permanent basis
3. Fulfill the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders Fourth Edition (DSM-IV) criteria for dementia
4. Score less than 24 on the Mini Mental Status Examination (MMSE)
5. Able to consent/assent to participate in the trial

Participant type(s)

Patient

Age group

Senior

Sex

Not Specified

Target number of participants

166

Key exclusion criteria

Residents with primarily a mental health diagnosis or learning disability.

Date of first enrolment

01/06/2006

Date of final enrolment

30/09/2007

Locations

Countries of recruitment

England

United Kingdom

Study participating centre

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Sponsor information

Organisation

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University/education

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<https://ror.org/02jx3x895>

Funder(s)

Funder type

Hospital/treatment centre

Funder Name

North East London Mental Health NHS Trust (UK) - Occupational Therapy service

Results and Publications

Publication and dissemination plan

Not provided at time of registration

Intention to publish date

Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan

Not provided at time of registration

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	01/12/2013		Yes	No