

Randomised controlled trial (RCT) to evaluate a patient-held shared record card for patients with long term mental illness

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Registration date 23/01/2004	Overall study status Completed	☐ Protocol
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		☒ Results
		☐ Individual participant data

Plain English summary of protocol

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844

Study information

Scientific Title

Study objectives

From the viewpoint of both primary and secondary care, what is the effect of a patient held shared record card on the pattern of service use and satisfaction with medical care for people with long term mental illness, compared to current practice?

Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

Ethics approval(s)

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Study design

Cluster randomised controlled parallel group trial

Primary study design

Interventional

Study type(s)

Other

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Schizophrenia and other psychoses

Interventions

Randomly selected patients entered on the North Birmingham Community District Mental Health Team's "community team case load census" database will be randomised:

1. Patient-held records
2. Current practice

100 patients will be required for each arm of the study. To avoid contamination bias, patients in the study and control arm will be drawn from different general practices.

Intervention Type

Other

Phase

Not Applicable

Primary outcome(s)

1. Adherence with treatment
2. Loss to follow up
3. Satisfaction with medical care
4. Number of psychiatric admissions/year
5. Length of inpatient stay

Key secondary outcome(s))

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Completion date

31/07/2001

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria

All patients with more than 2 years history of schizophrenia or other psychoses, severe personality disorder, or severe neurosis who require long-term supervision.

Participant type(s)

Patient

Healthy volunteers allowed

No

Age group

Adult

Sex

All

Key exclusion criteria

1. Dementia, or other brain disorder
2. Alcohol or drug misuse
3. Learning disability
4. 15 years or under
5. 65 year or older.

Date of first enrolment

01/11/1997

Date of final enrolment

31/07/2001

Locations

Countries of recruitment

United Kingdom

England

Study participating centre

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Sponsor information

Organisation

NHS R&D Regional Programme Register - Department of Health (UK)

Funder(s)**Funder type**

Government

Funder Name

NHS Executive West Midlands (UK)

Results and Publications**Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan****IPD sharing plan summary**

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Study outputs

Output type	Details	Date created	Date added	Peer reviewed?	Patient-facing?
Results article	results	01/03/2003		Yes	No