

PROactive Management Of Depression in the Elderly

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Study information

Scientific Title

Acronym
PROMODE

Study objectives

A screening and stepped care treatment program for elderly with depressive symptoms in general practice will lead to significant reduction of depressive symptoms and costs in comparison to Care As Usual (CAU).

Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

Ethics approval(s)

Approval received from the Medical Ethics Committee of the Leiden University Medical Centre (Commissie medische ethiek van het Leids Universitair Medisch Centrum [LUMC]) on the 27th February 2007. We also received a letter of approval from the Raad van Bestuur (Board of Directors) of the LUMC.

Study design

Pragmatic cluster randomised controlled trial

Primary study design

Interventional

Study type(s)

Screening

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Depressive symptoms

Interventions

In the intervention practices elderly with depressive symptoms will be offered a stepped care treatment program, including:

1. Individual counselling by a community psychiatric nurse
2. Psycho-education by a Coping with Depression group course or a similar therapy on individual basis, and
3. Pharmacological treatment and/or referral for patients with persistence of depressive symptoms after step 1 and 2.

In the control practices elderly will receive care as usual.

Intervention Type

Other

Phase

Not Specified

Primary outcome(s)

Difference in severity of depressive symptoms (Montgomery Asberg Depression Rating Scale [MADRS] baseline - six months).

Key secondary outcome(s)

Differences (at six and 12 months) in:

1. Percentage responders to treatment
2. Quality of life (Short Form health survey [SF-36], EuroQol questionnaire [EQ-5D])

3. Mortality
4. Use of (in)formal help or home care
5. Medical consumption
6. Cost-effectiveness
7. Costs per Quality Adjusted Life Year (QALY)

Completion date

01/03/2009

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria

1. Inclusion criteria for screening: elderly aged 75 years and over enlisted in general practices
2. Inclusion criteria for treatment-offer: screen positive for depression (Geriatric Depression Scale [GDS-15] more than four)

Participant type(s)

Patient

Healthy volunteers allowed

No

Age group

Senior

Sex

All

Key exclusion criteria

1. Exclusion criteria for screening: terminal illness, current treatment for depression, loss of partner/important relative within previous three months
2. Exclusion criteria for treatment-offer: severe cognitive impairment (Mini Mental State Examination [MMSE] less than 19)

Date of first enrolment

01/03/2007

Date of final enrolment

01/03/2009

Locations

Countries of recruitment

Netherlands

Study participating centre

Leiden University Medical Center (LUMC)

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Sponsor information

Organisation

Leiden University Medical Center (LUMC) (Netherlands)

ROR

<https://ror.org/05xvt9f17>

Funder(s)

Funder type

Research organisation

Funder Name

The Netherlands Organisation for Health Research and Development (ZonMw) (Netherlands)

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	01/03/2011		Yes	No
Results article	results	01/07/2012		Yes	No