

How does clients' empathy and mental flexibility relate to treatment outcome? A longitudinal study of group psychotherapy and group cohesion in personality disorders.

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Ethische beoordeling	Positief advies
Status	Werving gestart
Type aandoening	-
Onderzoekstype	Observationeel onderzoek, zonder invasieve metingen

Samenvatting

ID

NL-OMON25470

Bron

NTR

Verkorte titel

CEM-GGP

Aandoening

Personality disorders, group psychotherapy, longitudinal study, empathy, mental flexibility, group cohesion, treatment outcome

Ondersteuning

Primaire sponsor: Albert Matil

Overige ondersteuning: Antes

Onderzoeksproduct en/of interventie

Uitkomstmaten

Primaire uitkomstmaten

Mental flexibility, which will be computed by the aggregated scores of Perseverative errors on the Wisconsin Card Sorting Test (WCST) and Percentile score on the TMT (by comparing the score on part B and part A while corrected for level of education and age).

Empathy will be computed by the scores on the domains Perspective taking and Empathic concern of the Individual Reactivity Index.

Group cohesion will be computed by the total score on the Group Cohesion Questionnaire (GCQ-23).

Verbal intelligence will be computed by the IQ-score on the Nederlandse Leestest voor Volwassenen.

The secondary outcome measure will be defined as scores on the following questionnaires: the total score on the Symptom Checklist (SCL-90), the total score on the Outcome Questionnaire (OQ-45) and the total score on the World Organization Quality of Life Questionnaire (WHOQOL-Bref).

Toelichting onderzoek

Achtergrond van het onderzoek

With this study we aim to research the association between client's factors and treatment outcome of group psychotherapy for clients with personality disorders in order to aid in (contra-)indication and allocation of clients for types of treatment. The central question that the research is intended to answer is "How is treatment outcome associated with group cohesion, client's empathy and client's mental flexibility?"

Doel van het onderzoek

The main objective is to assess the association of group cohesion, empathy, mental flexibility and treatment outcome in group psychotherapy for clients with personality disorders. It is expected that the level of client's empathy and mental flexibility is a predictor of the level of treatment outcome and that this effect is partly explained by the mediator group cohesion. It is expected that the level of client's empathy and mental flexibility increases over time of treatment and this effect is partly explained by the mediator group cohesion.

Onderzoeksopzet

There will be four different test moments for this research. The first and last one will be six months apart.

Onderzoeksproduct en/of interventie

Since the study has an observational design, no interventions are done.

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Deelname eisen

Belangrijkste voorwaarden om deel te mogen nemen (Inclusiecriteria)

The participants will have been signed up and indicated by their therapists for group psychotherapy for personality disorders.

Belangrijkste redenen om niet deel te kunnen nemen (Exclusiecriteria)

Because the participants will already have been indicated for group psychotherapy, the contra-indications of the institution will be used: an IQ below 80, presence of a psychotic disorder, severe axis I clinical diagnosis, paranoid personality disorder, lack of motivation, severe lack of self-reflection or no fixed abode.

Onderzoeksopzet

Opzet

Type:	Observationeel onderzoek, zonder invasieve metingen
Onderzoeksmodel:	Parallel
Toewijzing:	N.v.t. / één studie arm
Blinding:	Open / niet geblindeerd
Controle:	N.v.t. / onbekend

Deelname

Nederland	
Status:	Werving gestart
(Verwachte) startdatum:	01-01-2015
Aantal proefpersonen:	80
Type:	Verwachte startdatum

Ethische beoordeling

Positief advies	
Datum:	30-08-2017
Soort:	Eerste indiening

Registraties

Opgevolgd door onderstaande (mogelijk meer actuele) registratie

ID: 43324
Bron: ToetsingOnline
Titel:

Andere (mogelijk minder actuele) registraties in dit register

Geen registraties gevonden.

In overige registers

Register	ID
NTR-new	NL6481
NTR-old	NTR6668
CCMO	NL58284.101.16
OMON	NL-OMON43324

Resultaten

Samenvatting resultaten

None