# Prevention of anxiety and depression in the elderly.

No registrations found.

**Ethical review** Positive opinion **Status** Recruitment stopped

Health condition type -

**Study type** Interventional

# **Summary**

#### ID

NL-OMON23642

**Source** 

NTR

**Brief title** 

PIKO-D

**Health condition** 

Stepped care for anxiety and depression, usual care

## **Sponsors and support**

**Primary sponsor:** Netherlands Organisation for Health Research and Development Mrs. S. Korff de Gidts, PhD PO Box 83245 2509 AE The Hague

#### Intervention

#### **Outcome measures**

## **Primary outcome**

Incidence of clinical anxiety and/or major depression in two years (Mini International Neuropsychiatric Interview, MINI).

#### **Secondary outcome**

- 1. Reduction of self-reported anxiety and/or depressive symptoms as measured with the CES-
- D, the Hospital Anxiety Depression Scale (HADS-A);
- 2. Improvement of quality of life (SF-36) Mortality.

# **Study description**

#### **Background summary**

Aim is to evaluate the effects versus usual care of a generic stepped care programme to reduce the incidence of anxiety and depression in the elderly living in the community to be used by home care nurses.

#### **Study objective**

The stepped care approach will lead to a significantly reduced incidence of clinical anxiety and depression in two years and will reduce symptoms level compared to usual care.

### Study design

N/A

#### Intervention

Stepped care programme:

- 1. Symptom monitoring every three months (CES-D);
- 2. Leaflet and selfhelp book coached by homecare nurse;
- 3. Problem solving treatment by community psychiatric nurses (CPN);
- 4. Suggestion to discuss medication with general practitioner (GP).

## **Contacts**

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# **Eligibility criteria**

#### Inclusion criteria

Persons 75 years of age and over living in the community Centre for Epidemiological Studies Depression (CES-D) score of 16 or higher.

#### **Exclusion criteria**

Meeting criteria for major depression and/or clinical anxiety. Insufficient mastery of the Dutch language. Unwilling or unable to give informed consent.

# Study design

## Design

Study type: Interventional

Intervention model: Parallel

Allocation: Randomized controlled trial

Masking: Single blinded (masking used)

Control: Active

#### Recruitment

NL

Recruitment status: Recruitment stopped

Start date (anticipated): 15-09-2004

Enrollment: 170

Type: Actual

# **Ethics review**

Positive opinion

Date: 22-09-2005

Application type: First submission

# **Study registrations**

## Followed up by the following (possibly more current) registration

No registrations found.

## Other (possibly less up-to-date) registrations in this register

No registrations found.

## In other registers

Register ID

NTR-new NL378
NTR-old NTR418
Other : N/A

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# **Study results**

#### **Summary results**