Psychosocial care after stroke: Current care analysis

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Ethical reviewPositive opinionStatusRecruitment stoppedHealth condition typeOther condition

Study type Observational non invasive

Summary

ID

NL-OMON27956

Source

Nationaal Trial Register

Brief title

UPACT: Current care analysis

Condition

Other condition

Health condition

Mood disturbances after stroke

Research involving

Human

Sponsors and support

Primary sponsor: Universitair Medisch Centrum Utrecht / Hogeschool Utrecht **Source(s) of monetary or material Support:** Regieorgaan SIA, RAAK Publiek, kenmerk

RAAK PUB04.010

Intervention

Outcome measures

Primary outcome

Experiences of patients and health care providers with the current care for mood disturbances after stroke.

Secondary outcome

Baseline characteristics for patients:

- Stroke related factors: data of stroke onset, type of stroke, localisation in the brain, consequences of stroke (such as as paralysis hand/foot, sensory function hand/foot based on observation by researcher) Capability of adequate communication, measured with:
- o The Frenchay Aphasia Screening Test (FAST). The comprehension and expressions subsets of the FAST will be used with an age-related cut-off value of <17 for people of <61 years; <16 for people of 61-70 years, or <15 for people >70 years.
- Socio-demographic characteristics: gender, age, marital status, living situation, educational level.

Baseline characteristics for health care providers:

- Occupation
- Employer Duration of working at organization
- Socio-demographic characteristics: gender, age, educational level

Study description

Background summary

After stroke, approximately 30% of patients suffer from mood disturbances, such as symptoms of depression and anxiety. Although mood disturbances can have a negative impact on recovery after stroke, stroke care is often mainly focused on physical recovery. However, adequate treatment of these mood disturbances during rehabilitation cannot improve only these disturbances, but also the general recovery after stroke. To be able to

develop adequate treatment, the aim of this study is to get insight into the current care for mood disturbances after stroke as provided by stroke services during the first year after stroke, by focusing on experiences of patients and health care providers with the best practices in this care, as well as their needs in receiving and providing this care.

Study objective

To get insight in the current care for mood disturbances after stroke, by identifying best practices and needs as experienced by patients and healthcare professionals.

Study design

An observational qualitative study with a grounded theory approach. To get insight in the current care for mood disturbances after stroke, observations were conducted during regular care moments between patients and health care providers in participating organisations of five Dutch stroke services. Individual interviews with patients were conducted to elaborate on what has been seen during participating observations and to identify the best practices and needs as experienced by patients.

Intervention

No interventions.

Contacts

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Eligibility criteria

Age

Adults (18-64 years) Adults (18-64 years) Elderly (65 years and older) Elderly (65 years and older)

Inclusion criteria

For patients:

- Receiving treatment for rehabilitation after stroke in one of the participating stroke services at the moment this study is conducted
- Suffered a stroke in the last 12 months
- Being 18 years or older

For health care providers:

- Being involved with the stroke rehabilitation pathway by working in one of the participating care organisations

Exclusion criteria

Patients will be excluded from participation when they do not master the Dutch language.

Study design

Design

Study type: Observational non invasive

Intervention model: Other

Allocation: Non controlled trial

Masking: Open (masking not used)

Control: N/A, unknown

Primary purpose: Other

Recruitment

NL

Recruitment status: Recruitment stopped

Start date (anticipated): 16-04-2019

Enrollment: 117

Type: Actual

IPD sharing statement

Plan to share IPD: Undecided

Ethics review

Positive opinion

Date: 07-11-2018

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 NL7440 NTR-old NTR7682

Other RAAK PUB04.010; Regieorgaan SIA, RAAK Publiek : 18/759; METC UMC Utrecht

Study results

Summary results

Will follow after completion of study.