Dialogue as intervention: sustainable employability of nursing staff in Dutch hospitals.

No registrations found.

Ethical review Positive opinion

Status Pending

Health condition type -

Study type Interventional

Summary

ID

NL-OMON28794

Source

NTR

Health condition

the intervention is aimed at healthy employees

Sponsors and support

Primary sponsor: HAN university of applied sciences **Source(s) of monetary or material Support:** NWO

Intervention

Outcome measures

Primary outcome

perceived supervisor support

Secondary outcome

perceived co-worker support, skills discretion, attitude, (occupational) self-efficacy, beliefs, behavioral intention

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Study description

Background summary

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Study design

workrelated wellbeing, vitality and performance

Intervention

Central goal in this proposed research plan is an effect evaluation of an intervention aiming at the described outcomes. Starting point is the existing Vitality Scan, which monitors signals of possible stagnation on essential factors related to sustainable employability: balance & competence, motivation & involvement, resilience, physical & mental health, and social support at work [27]. This scan will be used as guideline for the dialogue between supervisor and nurse. The intervention further includes supervisor training on effective solution-focused dialogue and support in arranging follow-up strategies. On behalf of the planned cluster-RCT nursing staff and their supervisors will be randomised to either an intervention group (IG) or a 'care as usual' group (control group, CG).

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Eligibility criteria

Inclusion criteria

inclusion at supervisor level; minimum of 10 employees (with regular contracts) and >1 year functioning as supervisor

Exclusion criteria

exclusion criteria for supervisors and nurses: temporary contracts, (expected) long-term absence during the project, current long-term (sickness absence) and expected termination of the contract (because of retirement or other)

Study design

Design

Study type: Interventional

Intervention model: Other

Allocation: Non controlled trial

Control: N/A, unknown

Recruitment

NL

Recruitment status: Pending

Start date (anticipated): 20-04-2016

Enrollment: 179

Type: Anticipated

Ethics review

Positive opinion

Date: 14-04-2016

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 NL5685 NTR-old NTR5829

Other METC 2016.041 : WC2015-063

Study results