

# Effectiveness of MTFC-P compared to TFC.

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MTFC-P will be more effective on the prevention of out of homeplacements than TFC for young foster children.

**Ethische beoordeling** Positief advies

**Status** Werving gestart

**Type aandoening** -

**Onderzoekstype** Interventie onderzoek

## Samenvatting

### ID

NL-OMON22246

### Bron

NTR

### Verkorte titel

MTFC-P

### Aandoening

psychological and social problems

### Ondersteuning

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**Overige ondersteuning:** ZON-MW, The Netherlands Organization for Health Research and Development

### Onderzoeksproduct en/of interventie

### Uitkomstmaten

#### Primaire uitkomstmaten

Reduction of attachment and behavioural problems.

## Toelichting onderzoek

### Achtergrond van het onderzoek

Foster children experience psychological problems like attachment problems, behavioral problems, anxiety, depression or a combination of these.

De Bascule provides two treatments for young foster children depending on therapeutic foster care. Although the regular treatment, Treatment Foster Care (TFC) increases the number of out of homeplacements, some children are in need for a different approach. For these children de Bascule implemented Multidimensional Treatment Foster Care (MTFC-P) in 2007.

Main goal of the present research is to study the surplus value of MTFC-P compared to the regular TFC for young foster children with psychological problems. The study contains of four measurements. The first will be in four to six weeks after commence, the second is three months after commence, the third is six months after and the last one is at about twelve months (end of treatment).

### Doele van het onderzoek

MTFC-P will be more effective on the prevention of out of homeplacements than TFC for young foster children.

### Onderzoeksopzet

1. Start treatment;
2. Three months;
3. Six months;
4. Twelve months.

### Onderzoeksproduct en/of interventie

MTFC-P and TFC. Treatment Foster Care (TFC) is an one year home based intervention to enforce the capacities of the foster parents, create a positive parent child interaction and decrease problem behavior of the child. TFC focuses on children with multiple out of home placements. TFC prepares and supports placements and helps to profile the problems within the foster family. Aim of this treatment is to contribute to more permanent placements and

decrease the number of residential placements by guide and support.

Multidimensional Treatment Foster Care for Preschoolers is an intensive 24/7 one year program foster for children. This treatment provides intensive help to young children, parents and foster parents. MTFC-P focuses on a positive parent-child interaction, positive support and positive feedback towards the child's behavior. Through this approach behavioral problems will decrease and a strong and safe base for a healthy parent-child relationship will be created.

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## Deelname eisen

### Belangrijkste voorwaarden om deel te mogen nemen (Inclusiecriteria)

Foster children aged 2-7 years with psychological problems.

### Belangrijkste redenen om niet deel te kunnen nemen (Exclusiecriteria)

Foster children older than 7 and in regular foster care.

## Onderzoeksopzet

### Opzet

Type:	Interventie onderzoek
Onderzoeksmodel:	Parallel
Toewijzing:	Gerandomiseerd
Blinding:	Enkelblind
Controle:	Geneesmiddel

### Deelname

Nederland	
Status:	Werving gestart
(Verwachte) startdatum:	01-01-2009
Aantal proefpersonen:	80
Type:	Verwachte startdatum

## Ethische beoordeling

Positief advies	
Datum:	07-04-2009
Soort:	Eerste indiening

## Registraties

### Opgevolgd door onderstaande (mogelijk meer actuele) registratie

Geen registraties gevonden.

## **Andere (mogelijk minder actuele) registraties in dit register**

Geen registraties gevonden.

## **In overige registers**

<b>Register</b>	<b>ID</b>
NTR-new	NL1649
NTR-old	NTR1747
Ander register	MEC AMC : 09/046
ISRCTN	ISRCTN wordt niet meer aangevraagd

## **Resultaten**

### **Samenvatting resultaten**

N/A