

## Trial Description

### Title

**Therapeutic Care in the Early Neurological Rehabilitation - A Qualitative Study on the Basis of the Methodology of Grounded Theory**

### Trial Acronym

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### URL of the trial

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### Brief Summary in Lay Language

**What do nurses do when they provide activating therapeutic care in neurological early rehabilitation? This question is gaining relevance with regard to the billing of neurological early rehabilitation services. The billing of services is dependent on fulfilling the minimal criteria as determined in a sub-paragraph of a special coding system. There, it is stated that activating therapeutic care must be carried out by specially trained personnel. For this reason, the cost bearers are pressing for the provision and documentation of these services. At present, various hospitals use differing catalogues for the documentation of therapeutic care in neurological early rehabilitation. Tend to be based only upon experience and practical consideration, the BDH Bundesverband Rehabilitation e.V. has established a scholarship in nursing science to scientifically examine therapeutic care in neurological early rehabilitation. The aim of the study is to develop a theory of therapeutic care in neurological early rehabilitation. In order to achieve the study's aim, an open, participatory observation will be conducted. All nurses working in the five clinics of the BDH Bundesverband Rehabilitation e. V. are potential participants. Furthermore episodic interviews with nursing staff, which were not observed, will be conducted, to obtain more specific informations about therapeutic care.**

### Brief Summary in Scientific Language

**What do nurses do when they provide activating therapeutic care in neurological early rehabilitation? This question is gaining relevance with regard to the billing of neurological early rehabilitation services in the G-DRG system. The billing of services is dependent on fulfilling the minimal criteria as determined in sub-paragraph 8-552 of the operations and procedures coding system (OPS). There, it is stated that activating therapeutic care must be carried out by specially trained personnel. For this reason, the cost bearers are pressing for the provision and documentation of these services. At present, various hospitals use differing catalogues for the documentation of therapeutic care in neurological early rehabilitation. Tend to be based only upon experience and practical consideration, the BDH Bundesverband Rehabilitation e.V. has established a scholarship in nursing science to scientifically examine therapeutic care in neurological early rehabilitation. The aim of the study is to develop a theory of therapeutic care in neurological early rehabilitation. In order to achieve the study's aim, an open, participatory observation will be conducted. The study is based on the**

**methodology of grounded theory of Glaser and Strauss (1967) and will be carried out in the time frame of 01.10.2010 to 30.09.2013.**

**Do you plan to share individual participant data with other researchers?**

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**Description IPD sharing plan**

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## Organizational Data

- DRKS-ID: **DRKS00003128**
- Date of Registration in DRKS: **2011/06/27**
- Date of Registration in Partner Registry or other Primary Registry: [---]\*
- Investigator Sponsored/Initiated Trial (IST/IIT): **yes**
- Ethics Approval/Approval of the Ethics Committee: **Approved**
- (leading) Ethics Committee Nr.: [---]\* , **Ethikkommission der Medizinischen Fakultät der Martin-Luther-Universität Halle Wittenberg**

## Secondary IDs

- Universal Trial Number (UTN): **U1111-1122-0051**

## Health condition or Problem studied

- Free text: **therapeutic care in the early neurological rehabilitation**
- ICD10: **Z50 - Care involving use of rehabilitation procedures**

## Interventions/Observational Groups

- Arm 1: **open, participant observation with the following question: "How were people in phase b and c of the early neurological rehabilitation activated and therapeutical cared"**
- Arm 2: **episodic interviews**

## Characteristics

- Study Type: **Non-interventional**
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- Allocation: **Other**
- Blinding: [---]\*
- Who is blinded: [---]\*
- Control: **Other**
- Purpose: **Health care system**
- Assignment: **Other**
- Phase: **N/A**
- Off-label use (Zulassungsüberschreitende Anwendung eines Arzneimittels): **N/A**

### Primary Outcome

**A Grounded Theory about therapeutic care**

### Secondary Outcome

**Saturation of the data within every categorie**

### Countries of recruitment

- DE **Germany**

### Locations of Recruitment

- Medical Center **BDH-Klinik Elzach, Elzach**
- Medical Center **BDH-Klinik Braunfels, Braunfels**
- Medical Center **BDH-Klinik Greifswald, Geifswald**
- Medical Center **BDH-Klinik Hessisch-Oldendorf, Hessisch-Oldendorf**
- Medical Center **BDH-Klinik Vallendar, Vallendar**

### Recruitment

- Planned/Actual: **Actual**
- (Anticipated or Actual) Date of First Enrollment: **2011/06/15**
- Target Sample Size: **200**
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Monocenter/Multicenter trial: **Multicenter trial**

■ National/International: **National**

### Inclusion Criteria

■ Gender: **Both, male and female**

■ Minimum Age: **18 Years**

■ Maximum Age: **65 Years**

### Additional Inclusion Criteria

**Nurses, who work in the five clinics of the BDH Bundesverband Rehabilitation e.V. They were included in the study if they are 18 years old at the minimum and 65 years old at the maximum.**

### Exclusion criteria

**There are no exclusion criteria**

## Addresses

### ■ Primary Sponsor

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### ■ Private sponsorship (foundations, study societies, etc.)

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## Status

■ Recruitment Status: **Recruiting complete, follow-up complete**

■ Study Closing (LPLV): **2014/07/28**



## Trial Publications, Results and other documents

- Further trial documents **Studienprotokoll, Lautenschläger (2011): Therapeutische Pflege in der neurologischen Frührehabilitation**
- Paper **Lautenschläger, S., Immenschuh, U., Wallesch, C.-W. & Behrens, J. (2012): „Plädoyer für den Leistungsbereichen entsprechende Leistungskataloge in der Pflege.“** In: Hallesche Beiträge, 11 (1): 1-13.
- Paper **Lautenschläger, S., Behrens, J. & Muser, J. (2012): Pflege ist therapeutisch!** In: Die Schwester der Pfleger. 51 (7): 658-660.
- Paper **Lautenschläger S: OPS-Ziffer 8-552: Therapeutische Pflege durch besonders geschultes Fachpersonal - Was ist das Therapeutische an der Pflege. Neurol Rehabil . 2014. 20 (3): 142-151**
- Paper **Lautenschläger S, Wallesch C-W: Leistungskataloge der aktivierend-therapeutischen Pflege in der neurologischen Frührehabilitation. Rehabilitation. 2015. 54 (1): 30-37**
- Paper **Lautenschläger S: Therapeutische Pflege in der neurologischen (Früh-)Rehabilitation: Eine Grounded Theory Studie. Rehabilitation. 54 (4): 273-278**

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