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Designing a complex online healthcare intervention: a systematic review of online behavioural change interventions during pregnancy, to determine the implementation context

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The OptiBIRTH Study

Aim:

To test a complex intervention that would <u>> VBAC rates</u> through > <u>women-centred</u>, <u>professionally-engaged shared-decision making</u> & conduct a cluster randomised trial in Ireland, Germany and Italy, to test the intervention</u>



Two motivationally-designed portals (women & staff)

Three motivationally-designed apps to >engagement of women & staff in the SDM process



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Shared Decision Making:

- "the provision of evidence-based information about <u>options</u>, <u>outcomes</u> and <u>uncertainties</u>, together with decision <u>support</u> counselling and a system for <u>recording and</u> <u>implementing patients</u>' informed preferences (Coulter & Collins 2011)

ARCS Motivational Design:

Theoretical design model that focuses on optimising the learners' educational experience (whatever the content of the learning goal[s]), so that the majority are motivated to learn....



Motivational Design Process....



Motivational Microscope (UX Research)

- Options provided
- How are the options presented to users
- What known 'groups of users' exist in the population & what options are they most motivated to choose
- UX what is their experience of their chosen option



Motivational Design in response to UX

- Based on the insights gained from the known groups
- Users like you keep
- Users dislike you re-design
- Users miss you provide



Users Test Drive (motivational microscope)

• Under the motivational microscope

*This slide reflects the answer to question posed at the conference

The Concept - >Public Health via Person-Centred SDM







The Challenge

Woman-centeredness in both SDM and BC!

'negative health behaviours, could have positive psychological, social and physical benefits to a person, from both a social and cultural perspective'...

National Institute of Clinical Excellence Guidelines Behaviour change: the principles for effective interventions (PH6). 2007



Connecting with the goal to have <u>their</u> optimal birth (SDM) SR to confirm the context of WCN in SDM Connecting with thegoal to increaseVBAC rate (BC)

Demonstrate the distinction between women-centeredness in a SDM online context & women-centeredness in a BC online context.....

- F2F context (SDM Aids)
- No taxonomies theoretically map the <u>context of SDM</u> from a <u>person-centred</u> perspective back to the <u>online design</u>
- BC Taxonomies (Michie et al,2012)



Aim:

To systematically review computer-based, <u>behaviour</u> <u>change interventions</u> during pregnancy and their design components in order <u>to determine</u> <u>the context in which behavioural</u> <u>change during pregnancy should</u> <u>be applied</u>





Results:



Results (Context):

Behavioural Change Design:

- Evidence related to <u>+ outcomes that supports</u>
 <u>influencing almost all users</u> to take that option
- 2. Users know the goal is uni-directional & it's purpose
- 3. Goal of the online designer: support user motivation to adopt & sustain their uni-directional goal

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SDM Design:

- 1. Evidence **uncertainty of + outcomes for everybody VBAC**
- 2. The person knows there are different options to consider
- Goal of the online designer: support user motivation in *learning* about the options, so they can participate in the shared decision making process



Back to OptiBIRTH:

SDM <u>may</u> achieve both goals (>VBAC rate & woman-centeredness)



Goal of SDM Online Designer: <u>educator -</u> <u>not a convincer</u>



SDM is about women making choices <u>WITH</u> their HCPs Theoretical design is key for walking the fine line between SDM and BC

ARCS Motivation to <u>Learn</u> Model is theoretically appropriate for designing SDM technologies



Optimise UX: motivational design process provides insights that leads to the design of <u>a</u> <u>suite of choices</u>, services and/or products, that are motivationally relevant, easy to use and satisfying for the different groups of users

Unlike Motivational Interviewing, motivational design is not a form of psychotherapy and therefore, the motivational designer does not aim to influence what choice a person makes





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