

Interdisziplinäre evidenz- und konsensbasierte S3 Leitlinie „Aufmerksamkeitsdefizit-/ Hyperaktivitätsstörung (ADHS) im Kindes-, Jugend- und Erwachsenenalter“

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Das vorliegende Dokument bietet Einsicht in alle den evidenzbasierten Empfehlungen der Version 2.0 der interdisziplinären evidenz- und konsensbasierten S3 Leitlinie „Aufmerksamkeitsdefizit-/Hyperaktivitätsstörung (ADHS) im Kindes-, Jugend- und Erwachsenenalter zugrundeliegenden Studien und die daraus berücksichtigten Endpunkte. Die Auswahl erfolgte anhand der im Leitlinienreport (unter Kapitel 2.2) ausgeführten Einschlusskriterien der systematischen Literaturrecherchen. Die Evidenzübersichten sind orientiert an den Themenbereichen und spezifischen Empfehlungen der Leitlinie gegliedert. Für jede der evidenzbasierten Empfehlungen wurden die zugrundeliegenden Meta-Analysen (MAs) und randomisiert kontrollierte Studien (RCTs) in separaten Tabellen aufbereitet. Zu Beginn einer jeden Evidenzübersicht ist eine Tabelle aufgeführt, in der alle berücksichtigten Endpunktkategorien (geclustert nach Endpunkt und Rater*innen) zusammengefasst werden. Dort wird die Anzahl der Studien pro Endpunktgruppe (MAs oder RCTs), die Anzahl der einbezogenen Endpunkte pro Cluster (m), sowie die Aussagesicherheit der gesamten zugrundeliegenden Evidenz dieser Empfehlung berichtet. In den Summary of Findings (SoF) Tabellen werden die einzelnen Endpunkte der jeweiligen Cluster inklusive Referenz, Bewertung der Aussagesicherheit bzw. Risk of Bias (RoB), Effektstärke (und deren klinischer Implikation), Kommentare und zur Erhebung genutzte Messinstrumente berichtet.

Aus der Bewertung der methodischen Qualität eines extrahierten Endpunktes (nach GRADE (Guyatt et al., 2008) bei MAs, nach RoB Tool (Higgins et al., 2011) bei RCTs) ergibt sich die (gegenläufigen) Abstufungen der Aussagesicherheit, die in Tabelle 1 aufgeführt sind. Die aus den berichteten Effekten abzuleitenden klinischen Implikationen werden für jeden Endpunkt angegeben und sind in Tabelle 2 erläutert.

Tabelle 1

Abstufungen der Aussagesicherheit der Evidenz entsprechend GRADE (Guyatt et al., 2008) für MAs und des RoB Tools (Higgins et al., 2011) für RCTs

| MAs | | RCTs | |
|------|--------------------------------|------|----------------|
| ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | High certainty of evidence | ● | Very high risk |
| ⊕⊕⊕○ | Moderate certainty of evidence | ◐ | High risk |
| ⊕⊕○○ | Low certainty of evidence | ○ | No risk |
| ⊕○○○ | Very Low certainty of evidence | | |

Anmerkung. MAs = Meta-Analysen, RCTs = Randomized Controlled Trials.

Tabelle 2

Übersicht der klinischen Implikationen basierend auf dem CI (oder p-Wert) eines Endpunkts

| Klinische Implikationen | |
|-------------------------|--|
| I | In favor of the intervention |
| U | Does not favor intervention or control |
| C | In favor of the control |

Anmerkung. I = Intervention, U = Unclear, C = Control. Die klinische Implikation wird für jeden Endpunkt separat angegeben.

Die Evidenztabelle der Empfehlungen des Diagnostikkapitels beinhalten ebenfalls Übersichten mit Endpunktkategorien, der Anzahl der enthaltenen MAs bzw. Primärstudien (PS) und der Qualität der Evidenz der Endpunktkategorien (Gesamt). In den SoF-Tabellen werden die Referenz, die Stichprobe sowie die diagnostische Prozedur bzw. das diagnostische Kriterium, die Aussagesicherheit entsprechend dem GRADE Ansatz (Guyatt et al., 2008) bzw. dem QUADAS-2 (Quality Assessment of Diagnostic Accuracy Studies) Ansatz (Whiting et al., 2011), die Hauptschlussfolgerungen, sowie die diagnostischen Validitäts-/Reliabilitätsmaße berichtet. Die Interpretation der gekennzeichneten Aussagesicherheit nach QUADAS-2 Ansatz wird in Tabelle 3 erläutert.

Tabelle 3.

Abstufungen der Aussagesicherheit der Evidenz entsprechend des QUADAS-2 Ansatzes

| PS | |
|----|----------------------------------|
| ++ | High certainty of evidence |
| + | Acceptable certainty of evidence |
| 0 | Low certainty of evidence |

Anmerkung: PS = Primärstudien.

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- Whiting, P., Rutjes, A., Westwood, M., Mallett, S., Deeks, J., Reitsma, J., Leeflang, M., Sterne, J., & Bossuyt, P. (2011). QUADAS-2: A Revised Tool for the Quality Assessment of Diagnostic Accuracy Studies. *Annals of Internal Medicine*, *155*, 529-536. <https://doi.org/10.1059/0003-4819-155-8-201110180-00009>

1.1 Diagnostik

1.1.1 Bei welchen Personen sollte eine ADHS-Diagnose durchgeführt werden? 1.1.5 Welche Bedeutung haben Fragebogenverfahren und Verhaltensbeobachtungen bei der Diagnostik von ADHS?

1.1.1 A & 1.1.5 A

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Meta-Analysen

| Endpunktkategorien | MAs | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|--|-----|-------------------------------------|
| Inkrementelle/ differentielle Validität Kinder und Jugendliche | 1 | Moderat |

Anmerkung. MAs = Anzahl der Meta-Analysen

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Primärstudien

| Endpunktkategorien | PS | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|--|----|-------------------------------------|
| Inkrementelle/ differentielle Validität Kinder und Jugendliche | 11 | Moderat |
| Inkrementelle/ differentielle Validität Erwachsene | 1 | |
| Interrater-Reliabilität | 8 | |

Anmerkung. PS = Anzahl der Primärstudien

Summary of Findings Tabelle: Meta-Analysen

| Referenz | Stichprobe und diagnostische Prozedur | Aussagesicherheit (GRADE) | Hauptschlussfolgerungen | Diagnostische Validitäts-/ Reliabilitätsmaße |
|--|--|---|--|--|
| Inkrementelle/ differentielle Validität Kinder und Jugendliche | | | | |
| Staff et al., 2021 The Validity of Teacher Rating Scales for the Assessment of ADHD Symptoms in the Classroom: A Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis J Atten Disord. 25(11), 1578-1593 | Children Teacher rating scale: CTRS-R:S = Conners' Teacher Rating Scale— Revised: Short Form, SWAN = Strengths and Weaknesses of ADHD-Symptoms and Normal-Behaviors | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ Based only on "inconsistency"-criterion of GRADE-rating for all outcomes in comparison to semi-structured interview, Based on the "inconsistency" – and "publication bias"-criterion of GRADE-rating for | Results support convergent validity of teacher rating scales when validated against semi-structured clinical interview, with strong correlations for all (sub)scales. Divergent validity was confirmed for rating scale measures validated against semi-structured clinical interview. Validated against structured observations, convergent validity of rating scales was further confirmed, although correlations with teacher rating scales were only small to moderate. Divergent validity was supported only for the inattention symptom domain. Finally, | Convergent validity, Divergent validity (correlations measured) |

all outcomes in comparison to structured observations

as expected, overall, independent of the type of instrument, convergent validity was larger for ratings of hyperactivity/impulsivity than for ratings of inattention.

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen, k = Anzahl der inkludierten Primärstudien. R = risk of bias, IC = inconsistency, ID = indirectness, IP = imprecision, P = publication bias.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: Primärstudien

| Referenz | Stichprobe und diagnostische Prozedur | Aussagesicherheit (QUADAS-2) | Hauptschlussfolgerungen | Diagnostische Validitäts-/ Reliabilitätsmaße |
|--|---|--|---|--|
| Inkrementelle/ differentielle Validität Kinder und Jugendliche | | | | |
| Raiker et al., 2017 | | | | |
| Accuracy of Achenbach Scales in the Screening of Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder in a Community Mental Health Clinic | Children and adolescents Achenbach Scales | ++ | Parent-reported attention problems were more useful than teacher- and self-report in identifying ADHD. Combining parent and teacher report improved identification. Multilevel likelihood ratios are provided to facilitate routine clinical use. | ROC-AUC |
| J Am Acad Child Adolesc Psychiatry, 56(5), 401-409 | | | | |
| Slobodin & Davidovitch, 2022 | Children aged 7-10 years (n = 190) | | | |
| Primary School Children's Self-Reports of Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder-Related Symptoms and Their Associations With Subjective and Objective Measures of Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder | Children's self-reports of their attention level and ADHD-related symptoms, parent, and teacher forms of the Conners ADHD rating scales, Child Behavior Checklist (CBCL), | Not applicable. Comments: not a diagnostic accuracy study | Children's self-evaluations of their functioning were often associated with their teachers' and parents' evaluations. However, these correlations were small to moderate (Cohen, 1988) and not symptom-specific. These results suggest that adding children self-report to the diagnostic process of ADHD may improve the low-medium correspondence between informants' reports and objective measures of ADHD documented in the literature. | Correlations between self-report of ADHD-related symptoms and impaired MOXO-CPT indices. |
| Front Hum Neurosci, 16, 806047 | | | | |

Teacher's Report
Form (TRF), and
CPT scores

| | | | | |
|--|--|-----------|---|--|
| <p>Gomez et al., 2021</p> <p>ROC Analyses of Relevant Conners 3–Short Forms, CBCL, and TRF Scales for Screening ADHD and ODD.</p> <p>Assessment 28(1)</p> | <p>Children aged 6-11 years (<i>n</i> = 264)</p> <p>Conners 3–short form scales, Child Behavior Checklist (CBCL), Teachers Report Form (TRF)</p> | <p>++</p> | <p>The C 3-P(S) inattention and hyperactivity/impulsivity scales, and the CBCL attention problems scale, are not only effective, but are equally effective in identifying children with ADHD. Thus, it can be argued that the C 3-T(S) inattention and hyperactivity/impulsivity scales may be a little better than the TRF attention problems scale for identifying children with ADHD. However, this needs to be viewed in the context that we concluded that both these scales may not be favorable for diagnosis of ADHD.</p> | <p>ROC-AUC, Sensitivity, Specificity, Positive Predictive Values, Negative Predictive Values</p> |
| <p>Overgaard et al., 2019</p> <p>The predictive validity of the Strengths and Difficulties Questionnaire for child attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder</p> <p>Eur Child Adolesc Psychiatry, 28(5), 625-633</p> | <p>Children aged 7-15 years (<i>n</i> = 51096)</p> <p>Strengths and Difficulties Questionnaire (SDQ)</p> | <p>+</p> | <p>In sum, the parent SDQ HI subscale scores discriminated well between children with and without ADHD and gave a higher risk for subsequent ADHD than the SDQ conduct, emotional and peer problem scores. Although the sensitivity analyses were similar to earlier community studies with increased sensitivity at lower scores (≥ 4), they resulted in many false screening positive diagnoses. Including impact in addition to obtaining high HI scores reduced the number of false positive predictions, but this rate would still be a problem if the SDQ HI subscale was to be used in the general population with a low proportion of ADHD.</p> | <p>ROC-AUC, Sensitivity, Specificity, predictive validity scores</p> |

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|--|--|--|--|-----------------------------|
| <p>Harvey et al., 2009</p> <p>Predicting attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder and oppositional defiant disorder from preschool diagnostic assessments</p> <p>J Consult Clin Psychol., 77(2), 349-54</p> | <p>168 children, (their 168 female primary caregivers and 121 male caregivers)</p> <p>Based on interviews and ratings scales (DISC-IV and BASC scores)</p> | <p>+</p> | <p>Combining a DSM-IV based diagnostic interview and a standardized rating scale, children with ADHD could be discriminated from those with transient problems as early as age 3 with reasonable accuracy (76%).</p> | <p>Predictive Power</p> |
| <p>Vaughn, & Hoza, 2013</p> <p>The Incremental Utility of Behavioral Rating Scales and a Structured Diagnostic Interview in the Assessment of Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder</p> <p>Journal of Emotional and Behavioral Disorders, 21(4), 227-239</p> | <p>Children aged 7-11 years (ADHD: $n = 185$, CG: $n = 85$)</p> <p>Semi-structured clinical interview, parent- and teacher-completed Disruptive Behavior Disorders (DBD) Rating Scales, Computerized DISC-IV parent version, CBCL and TRF, and WJ-TC and WJ-TA, TOF.</p> | <p>Not applicable.</p> <p>Comment: In the part of incremental utility they used as reference standard a combination of the different index test that they measured after their each incremental utility.</p> | <p>Consistent with our expectations and previous research (Pelham et al., 2005), our results consistently supported the superiority of both parent-completed methods and of symptom-based rating scales when examined incrementally. Results were less consistent regarding the incremental utility of empirically derived rating scales beyond symptom-based ratings.</p> | <p>Incremental utility</p> |
| <p>Sisteré et al., 2014</p> <p>Validity of the DSM-Oriented scales of the Child Behavior Checklist and Youth Self-Report</p> <p>Psicothema, 26(3), 364-71</p> | <p>Children and adolescents aged 8-17 years ($n = 420$ CBCL; $n = 108$ CBCL + YSR)</p> <p>DSM-oriented scales of the ASEBA inventories</p> | <p>+</p> | <p>The DSM-Oriented scales showed significant incremental validity in conjunction with the Empirical Syndrome scales for discriminating DSM-IV diagnoses, and considerable incremental validity in conjunction with the diagnoses obtained through the diagnostic interview for predicting the level of functional impairment.</p> | <p>Incremental validity</p> |

Vugteveen et al., 2021

Validity Aspects of the Strengths and Difficulties Questionnaire (SDQ) Adolescent Self-Report and Parent-Report Versions Among Dutch Adolescents

Adolescents aged 12-17 years

Strengths and Difficulties Questionnaire (SDQ) self- and parent-report, CBCL and YSR, IDS-2

+

Both SDQ versions were found to be useful for screening for three specific types of problems: anxiety/mood disorder, conduct/oppositional deviant disorder, and attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder. Additionally, parent-rated SDQ scores were found to be useful for screening for autism spectrum disorder.

CFA and ESEM, Cronbach's alpha coefficient, t test, AUC values

Assessment, 28(2), 601-616

Schulz-Zhecheva et al., 2019

ADHD Traits in German School-Aged Children: Validation of the German Strengths and Weaknesses of ADHS Symptoms and Normal Behavior (SWAN-DE) Scale

Children (*n* = 405)

SWAN-DE

Not applicable.
Comments: not a diagnostic accuracy study

Regarding its clinical utility, SWAN-DE and particularly SWAN-TOT showed an excellent ability to differentiate between participants with and without ADHD.

Validity ROC-AUC (discrimination power), Sensitivity, Specificity

J Atten Disord, 23(6), 553-562

Izzo et al., 2019

The Conners 3-short forms: Evaluating the adequacy of brief versions to assess ADHD symptoms and related problems

Children and adolescents

Conners 3-short form scales

Not applicable.
Comments: not a diagnostic accuracy study

Findings confirmed the original multidimensional structures and supported the Conners 3-Short Form scales as reliable and valid tools to assess ADHD and its main comorbid conditions.

internal consistency as measure of accuracy of the test.

Clin Child Psychol Psychiatry, 24(4), 791-808

Hall et al., 2019

The validity of the Strengths and Difficulties Questionnaire (SDQ) for children with ADHD symptoms

Children and adolescents aged 6-17 years with ADHD (*n* = 250)

Strengths and Difficulties Questionnaire (SDQ), parent

+

SDQ ratings of 'probable' hyperactivity disorder were good predictors of clinical and research diagnoses of ADHD, Further examination of the SDQ hyperactivity 'probable' rating

To evaluate ESEM model fit, Comparative Fit Index (CFI), non-normed fit index (NNFI) and Root Mean Square Error of

PLoS One, 14(6),
e0218518

and teacher
rating

showed good specificity, but poor
sensitivity for ADHD.

Approximation
(RMSEA) along
with χ^2 test were
examined

Inkrementelle/ differentielle Validität Erwachsene

Riglin et al., 2021

**Investigating the
validity of the
Strengths and
Difficulties
Questionnaire to
assess ADHD in young
adulthood**

Adults aged 25
years ($n = 4121$)

Strengths and
Difficulties
Questionnaire
(SDQ)

+

We found the hyperactivity/ADHD
subscale to have high validity in
distinguishing those meeting ADHD
diagnostic criteria from those who
did not. This suggests that the SDQ
subscale, which is widely used in
child and adolescent populations, is
also suitable for use in young adults.

ROC-AUC,
Sensitivity,
Specificity,
Positive
Predictive Values,
Negative
Predictive Values

Psychiatry Res., 301,
113984

Interrater Reliabilität

Sibley et al., 2019

**Reexamining ADHD-
Related Self-Reporting
Problems Using
Polynomial Regression**

Assessment, 26(2),
305-314

Adolescents aged
11-15 years ($n =$
107)

Self-reporting
(adolescent
versions of the
DSM-5 ADHD
Rating Scale,
Narcissistic
Personality
Inventory (NPI-
16))

Not applicable.
Comments: not a
diagnostic
accuracy study

a) Adolescents with ADHD reported
significantly lower levels of
inattention and H/I than parents.
b) Use of polynomial regression
provided no evidence that
discrepancies between parent and
adolescent symptom reports were
associated with any of the
hypothesized predictors.

Informant
discrepancies
(between parent
and adolescent
reports of
inattention and
H/I severity).
Predictors of
discrepancies.

Slobodin &
Davidovitch, 2022

**Primary School
Children's Self-
Reports of Attention
Deficit Hyperactivity
Disorder-Related
Symptoms and Their
Associations With
Subjective and
Objective Measures of
Attention Deficit
Hyperactivity Disorder**

Children aged 7-
10 years ($n =$
190)

Children's self-
reports of their
attention level
and ADHD-
related
symptoms,
parent, and
teacher forms of
the Conners
ADHD rating
scales, Child

Not applicable.
Comments: not a
diagnostic
accuracy study

Children's self-evaluations of their
functioning were often associated
with their teachers' and parents'
evaluations. However, these
correlations were small to moderate
(Cohen, 1988) and not symptom-
specific.

These results suggest that adding
children self-report to the
diagnostic process of ADHD may
improve the low-medium
correspondence between
informants' reports and objective

Correlations
between self,
parent, and
teacher reports
of ADHD-related
symptoms

Front Hum Neurosci,
16, 806047

Behavior
Checklist (CBCL),
Teacher's Report
Form (TRF), and
CPT scores

measures of ADHD documented in
the literature.

Takeda et al., 2020
**Factors Associated
With Discrepancy in
Parent-Teacher
Reporting of
Symptoms of ADHD in
a Large Clinic-Referred
Sample of Children**
J Atten Disord,
24(11), 1605-1615

Children and
adolescents ($M =$
9.7 years, $n =$
894)

ADHD Rating
Scale, Fourth
Edition, Home
and School
Version
(ADHD-RS-IV,
Home, School)

Not applicable.

Comments: not a
diagnostic
accuracy study

When predicting parent-teacher
discrepancy from demographic
variables, we found discrepancy
between parents and teachers, with
teachers reporting higher levels of
symptoms for ethnic minority
children than for non-minority
children. When the extreme groups
were examined, SES mattered more
than ethnicity.

Discrepancy
measures

Vaughn, & Hoza, 2013

**The Incremental
Utility of Behavioral
Rating Scales and a
Structured Diagnostic
Interview in the
Assessment of
Attention-
Deficit/Hyperactivity
Disorder**

*Journal of Emotional
and Behavioral
Disorders*, 21(4), 227-
239

Children aged 7-
11 years (ADHD:
 $n = 185$, CG: $n =$
85)

Semi-structured
clinical interview,
parent- and
teacher-
completed
Disruptive
Behavior
Disorders (DBD)
Rating Scales,
Computerized
DISC-IV parent
version, CBCL
and TRF, and WJ-
TC and WJ-TA,
TOF.

Not applicable.

Comment: In the
part of
incremental
utility, they used a
combination of
the different
index test that
they measured
after each
incremental utility
as reference
standard.

Consistent with our expectations
and previous research (Pelham et
al., 2005), our results consistently
supported the superiority of both
parent-completed methods and of
symptom-based rating scales when
examined incrementally. Results
were less consistent regarding the
incremental utility of empirically
derived rating scales beyond
symptom-based ratings.

Correlation and
rate of
agreement.

de Nijs et al., 2004

Attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder (ADHD): parents' judgment about school, teachers' judgment about home

Children (*n* = 30)

DISC-IV

Not applicable.

Comments: not a diagnostic accuracy study

Parent and teacher often disagreed about the child's behaviours in school and at home. Slight to moderate levels of agreement were also found between parents' scores about ADHD symptoms at home and teachers' scores about ADHD symptoms at school.

Levels of agreement between parents' and teachers' about children's ADHD symptoms at home and at school.

Eur Child Adolesc Psychiatry, 13(5), 315-20

Vugteveen et al., 2021

Validity Aspects of the Strengths and Difficulties Questionnaire (SDQ) Adolescent Self-Report and Parent-Report Versions Among Dutch Adolescents

Adolescents aged 12-17 years

Strengths and Difficulties Questionnaire (SDQ) self- and parent-report, CBCL and YSR, IDS-2

+

Both SDQ versions were found to be useful for screening for three specific types of problems: anxiety/mood disorder, conduct/oppositional deviant disorder, and attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder. Additionally, parent-rated SDQ scores were found to be useful for screening for autism spectrum disorder.

Spearman rho correlations

Assessment, 28(2), 601-616

Schulz-Zhecheva et al., 2019

ADHD Traits in German School-Aged Children: Validation of the German Strengths and Weaknesses of ADHS Symptoms and Normal Behavior (SWAN-DE) Scale

Children (*n* = 405)

SWAN-DE

Not applicable.

Comments: not a diagnostic accuracy study

Regarding its clinical utility, SWAN-DE and particularly SWAN-TOT showed an excellent ability to differentiate between participants with and without ADHD.

Reliability

J Atten Disord, 23(6), 553-562

Izzo et al., 2019

The Conners 3-short forms: Evaluating the adequacy of brief versions to assess ADHD symptoms and related problems

Children and adolescents

Conners 3-short form scales

Not applicable.

Comments: not a diagnostic accuracy study

Findings confirmed the original multidimensional structures and supported the Conners 3–Short Form scales as reliable and valid tools to assess ADHD and its main comorbid conditions.

Reliability, Across-informant correlations between different versions (parent–teacher ratings, parent–youth rating, and teacher–youth ratings)

Clin Child Psychol Psychiatry, 24(4), 791–808

Anmerkung. *n* = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen. SG = sequence generation, CC = concealment, BP = blinding participants, BA = blinding assessors, ID = incomplete data, OR = outcome reporting, CE = carry over effects, SX = stopped early, UM = unvalidated measures, OI = other issue.

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1.1.6 Welche Bedeutung haben testpsychologische Untersuchungen im Rahmen der neuropsychologischen sowie der Entwicklungs- und Leistungsdiagnostik?

1.1.6 A

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Primärstudien

| Endpunktkategorien | PS | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|--|----|-------------------------------------|
| Differentielle Validität Kinder und Jugendliche | 10 | Sehr schwach/schwach |
| Differentielle Validität Erwachsene | 13 | |
| Inkrementelle Validität Kinder und Jugendliche | 4 | |
| Inkrementelle Validität Erwachsene | 5 | |
| Validitätsüberprüfungen zu deutschsprachigen Verfahren | 6 | |

Anmerkung. PS = Anzahl der Primärstudien

Summary of findings Tabelle: Primärstudien

| Referenz | Stichprobe und diagnostisches Kriterium | Aussagesicherheit (QUADAS-2) | Differentielle/ inkrementelle Validität | Prädiktoren |
|---|--|------------------------------|--|------------------------|
| Differentielle Validität Kinder und Jugendliche | | | | |
| Areces et al., 2018 | | | | |
| Efficacy of a Continuous Performance Test Based on Virtual Reality in the Diagnosis of ADHD and Its Clinical Presentations | Children aged 5-16 years (89/28; inattentive <i>n</i> = 28, impulsive/hyperactive <i>n</i> = 29, combined <i>n</i> = 32) Criterion n.a. | 0 | MANOVAS: significant differences between ADHD subtypes and CG with effect sizes $d \sim 1$. The differentiation between both subtypes with OE, CE, and TR is dependent on visual and auditory stimuli. | Aula Nesplora (CPT VR) |
| J Atten Disord., 22(11), 1081-1091 | | | | |
| <hr/> | | | | |
| Berger et al., 2017 | | | | |
| Usefulness and Validity of Continuous Performance Tests in the Diagnosis of Attention-Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder Children | Children aged 7-12 years (339/459) Criterion n.a. | 0 | CPT total AUC .91-.96 | Moxo-CPT |

Arch Clin
Neuropsychol.,
32(1), 81-93

Chen et al., 2022

**Incremental
Validity of Multi-
Method and Multi-
Informant
Evaluations in the
Clinical Diagnosis of
Preschool ADHD**

Children aged 5-7
years (38/32;
clinical sample)

Criterion:
preliminary
diagnosis

0

DBD-RS AUC .81; K-CPT AUC .74
(total value); Among the individual
variables, HRT, HRT SD, variability,
and HRT ISI change showed
significant differences.

K-CPT2

J Atten Disord.,
26(10), 1293-1303

Emser et al., 2018

**Assessing ADHD
symptoms in
children and adults:
evaluating the role
of objective
measures**

30/30 children
38/38 adults

Criterion:
preliminary
diagnosis

0

SE .80, SP .77, TQ 78%

SE .82, SP .76, TQ 79%

QB & KITAP
QB+ & TAP

Behav Brain Funct.,
14(1), 11

**Hamadache et al.,
2021
Is the QbMini a
Valid Instrument
for ADHD
Assessment?
J Atten Disord.,
25(10), 1384-1394**

Children aged 5
years (37/55
clinically
unremarkable, 26
SLD)

Criterion:
preliminary
diagnosis

0

Comparison ADHD – CG (AUC): HY
.80, IA .67, IMP .589, Total .816

Comparison ADHD – SLD all below
.60 → insufficient

For comparison: FBB-ADHD-V ADHD
– CG: HY/IMP .87, IA .87, Total .88

ADHD – SLD: HY/IMP .768, IA .613,
Total .698

QbMini

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|------------------------|--|--|-----------------|---|----------------------------|
| Hult et al., 2018 | <p>ADHD and the QbTest: Diagnostic Validity of QbTest</p> <p>J Atten Disord., 22(11), 1074-1080</p> | <p>Children aged 8-12 years (124/-)</p> <p>Criterion n.a.</p> | Not applicable. | <p>Measures for subscales only: SE 47–67%; SP 72–84%; AUC 0.70–0.80</p> <p>The test was unable to distinguish between ADHD subtypes.</p> | QB-Test |
| Johansson et al., 2021 | <p>The Quantified Behavioral Test Failed to Differentiate ADHD in Adolescents With Neurodevelopmental Problems</p> <p>J Atten Disord., 25(3), 312-321</p> | <p>Children aged 14-16 years (89/248)</p> <p>Criterion: twin study, clinical diagnostic</p> | ++ | AUCs: Total .58; Act .49; Inatt .59 | QB+ |
| Labarga et al., 2019 | <p>Validierung des QbMini Tests zur Diagnose der Aufmerksamkeitsdefizit-/Hyperaktivitätsstörung (ADHS) bei fünfjährigen Kindern</p> <p>Zeitschrift für Neuropsychologie, 30 (3), 149-156</p> | <p>Children aged 5 years (40/55); clinical sample</p> <p>Criterion: diagnosis without predictors (Qb, FBB-ADHD-V, CBCL)</p> | 0 | <p>ADHD vs. typically developing AUCs</p> <p>QbMini: HYP .818; IA .634, IMP .493</p> <p>FBB-ADHD-V: ATT .837; HY/IM .857; Total .880</p> <p>CBCL: Ext .757, Attention probl. .919, Diss. Behav. .579; Aggr. Behav. .782</p> | QbMini |
| Tallberg et al., 2019 | <p>Incremental clinical utility of continuous performance tests in childhood ADHD - an evidence-based assessment approach</p> | <p>Children aged 9-14 years (80/38; clinical sample; other psychiatric disorder in 63% of the CG; IQ 87/92)</p> <p>Criterion: clinical diagnosis (based on e-interview, parent & teacher</p> | + | <p>(a) Diagnosis CPT Confidence Index AUC 0.73</p> <p>(b) MPD setting Qb: no statistical significance regarding the prediction of treatment success with medication → irrelevant</p> | <p>a) CPT-II b) QB</p> |

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| Scand J Psychol., 60(1), 26-35 | questionnaires (SNAP-IV-30 Items) | | | |
| Won et al., 2020 | | | | |
| Application of Attention- Deficit/Hyperactivit y Disorder Diagnostic Tools: Strengths and Weaknesses of the Korean ADHD Rating Scale and Continuous Performance Test | Children aged 7- 12 years (62/12) Criterion: interview → ADHD, NOS (not otherwise specified), CG | 0 | AUCs: HI/IA: ADHD vs. CG .74/.731; ADHD+NOS vs. CG .779/.692; ADHD vs. NOS+CG .626/.625 (Indication of correlation with IQ) | IVA-Plus (CPT) |
| Neuropsychiatr Dis Treat., 16, 2397- 2406 | | | | |
| Differentielle Validität Erwachsene | | | | |
| Adamou et al., 2022 | | | | |
| Efficacy of Continuous Performance Testing in Adult ADHD in a Clinical Sample Using QbTest | Adults aged 24-42 years (38/31) (45/24) Criterion: clinical diagnosis including DIVA | + | SE 70%, SP 43% Cutoff 1.5 SD: PPV | QB+ |
| J Atten Disord., 26(11), 1483-1491 | | | | |
| Alaghband-Rad et al., 2021 | | | | |
| A Preliminary Investigation of Deficits in Executive Functions of Adults With Attention Deficit | Adults (24/19); clinical sample; CG publicly recruited Criterion: comprehensive assessment by psychiatrist (no further info on | 0 | CPT: no significant differences between ADHD and CG Small sample | CPT-2, TOL, Stroop, CAARS |

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|--|--|-----------------|--|------------------|
| Hyperactivity Disorder | methods; duration 1 hour) | | | |
| J Nerv Ment Dis., 209(1), 35-39 | | | | |
| Baggio et al., 2020 | Adults (104/97) | | | |
| Does the continuous performance test predict ADHD symptoms severity and ADHD presentation in adults? | Criterion: preliminary diagnosis (CG clinical sample without ADHD diagnosis); no info about distribution of comorbidities in EG and CG | + | No difference for IA, Significant difference for HY, 79.8 % were identified as meeting ADHD criteria | CPT3 |
| Journal of Attention Disorders, 24(6), 840-848 | | | | |
| Bijlenga et al., 2019 | Adults aged 55-79 years (97/112) | | | |
| Objective assessment of attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder in older adults compared with controls using the QbTest | Criterion: preliminary diagnosis (CG convenience sample) | 0 | CFA: structure comparable to younger patients; OCR 70 % | QB raw scores |
| Int J Geriatr Psychiatry., 34(10), 1526-1533 | | | | |
| Bottini et al., 2019 | Adults (n = 45) | | | |
| When Measures Diverge: The Intersection of Psychometric Instruments and Clinical Judgment in Multimodal Adult Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder Assessment | Criterion: contamination (retrospective, no CG) | Not applicable. | CAARS: SE 60.0, SP 70.4 TOVA API: SE 80.0, SP 65.4 | PASAT, TOVA, TMT |

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Psychology:
Research and
Practice, 50(6), 353-
363

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|--|---|---|---|-------------------------------------|
| Brunkhorst-Kanaan et al., 2020 | Adults (94/20) | + | For QbAct, a significant difference was found between ADHD and non-ADHD ($p = .019$, SE .50, SP .68, AUC .65). | Qb Test |
| The Quantified Behavioral Test-A Confirmatory Test in the Diagnostic Process of Adult ADHD? | Criterion: DIVA + clinical judgement | | No significant difference was found for Qblna and Qblmp. The tau of reaction time variance also proved to be non-significant ($p = .259$). | |
| Front Psychiatry., 11, 216 | | | High prevalence of comorbidities (depression 27 %/45 %). Only 40 % in the control group had no clinical diagnosis. | |
| Emser et al., 2018 | (30/30 children) 38/38 adults | 0 | SE .82, SP .76, TQ 79% | QB+ & TAP |
| Assessing ADHD symptoms in children and adults: evaluating the role of objective measures | Criterion: preliminary diagnosis | | | |
| Behav Brain Funct., 14(1), 11 | | | | |
| Hirsch, & Christiansen, 2017 Factorial Structure and Validity of the Quantified Behavior Test Plus (Qb+©) | Children and adults > 12 (5151/258) Adults > 16 (206/91); Clinical sample, CG relatives | 0 | RTV CHI^2 12.4**, OE 14.2** RTV SE 90%, SP 45%; Nagelkerke $R^2 = .20$, hit rate 76%, PPV 79%, NPV 67% → Inattention differentiates ADHD from CG. No AUCs given. | Qb+ TAP_GoNogo TAP_Get. Aufm. |
| Assessment, 24(8), 1037-1049 | Criterion: n.a. | | | |

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|---|--|---|--|----------------------------|
| Hsieh et al., 2021 | | | | |
| Mismatch negativity and P3a in drug-naive adults with attention-deficit hyperactivity disorder | Adults (52/62), clinical sample, matched CG (publicly recruited) | 0 | ADHD-CG: F-test (ANOVA) OE 3.82 (.053) HRT 7.6 (.007) HRT Var 4.55 (.035) CE 5.53 (.021) Perseverations 8.34 (.005) HRT ISI 4.41 (.038) HRT changed by ISIs 4.68 (.033) | CCPT |
| Psychol Med., 52(15), 1-11 | Criterion: clinical diagnosis according to DSM, SNAP-IV | | | |
| Nikolas et al., 2019 | | | | |
| The role of neurocognitive tests in the assessment of adult attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder | Adults (ADHD 109/ Depressive 52/ Healthy 85); publicly recruited | 0 | Differentiation ADHD – Healthy: AUCs: RT .65, RT variability .66; OE .66 | TOVA |
| Psychol Assess., 31(5):685-698 | Criterion: preliminary diagnosis | | | |
| Pettersson et al., 2018 | | | | |
| Diagnosing ADHD in Adults: An Examination of the Discriminative Validity of Neuropsychological Tests and Diagnostic Assessment Instruments | Adults (60/48), clinical sample | + | DIVA SE 90.0 SP 72.9 AUC .83 TQ 82,4% CPT-II OE SE 33.3 SP 85.4 AUC .74 CPT-II HRT Var SE 26.2 SP 85.4 AUC .71 Kombi of Qb and CPT-II .SE .80 SP 66.7 TQ 74% | CPT-II |
| J Atten Disord., 22(11), 1019-1031 | Criterion: preliminary diagnosis | | | |
| Ulberstad et al., 2020 | | | | |
| Objective measurement of attention deficit hyperactivity disorder symptoms | Adolescents and adults (12-60 years old; 69/73) | 0 | SE 82.6, SP 79; TQ 81% AUC/effect size: HYP: Microevents .80/1.36; IA: OE .75/.90; RT .73/.83; RT Var .81/1.29 IMP: CE .74/.84. | ObCheck (Comp-Test online) |
| | Criterion: clinical diagnosis (including Ob-Test, but not | | | |

outside the clinic using the QbCheck: Reliability and validity

ObCheck = predictor variable)

Int J Methods Psychiatr Res., 29(2), e1822

Weyandt et al., 2017

Neuropsychological functioning in college students with and without ADHD

Neuropsychology, 31(2), 160-172

Students (216/220; male:female ca. 1:1)

Criterion: clinical diagnosis (interview, questionnaire)

0

Total score $F=6.83$ ($<.001$) MANOVA. Cohen's d small for HRT SE (.25) (min.) to .76 for CE

CPT2 Confidence index

Inkrementelle Validität Kinder und Jugendliche

Chen et al., 2022

Incremental Validity of Multi-Method and Multi-Informant Evaluations in the Clinical Diagnosis of Preschool ADHD

J Atten Disord., 26(10), 1293-1303

Children aged 5-7 years (38/32; clinical sample)

Criterion: preliminary diagnosis

0

DBD-RS + K-CPT .87 → increment above RS 6%

K-CPT

Hollis et al., 2018

The impact of a computerised test of attention and activity (QbTest) on diagnostic decision-making in children and young people with suspected attention deficit hyperactivity disorder: single-blind randomised controlled trial

Children and adolescents aged 6-17 years (171/96)

Criterion: DAWBA-Diagnosis system

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Multicentre, randomized, single-blind study; study investigated whether knowledge of Ob-Test result had an impact on diagnostic accuracy and time taken. Results: no difference in diagnostic accuracy (comparison of diagnosis as usual with and without Ob-Test; criterion: DAWBA diagnosis); time taken to reach diagnosis slightly shorter (15 min) and investigators felt more confident about diagnosis; proportion of cases in which ADHD was ruled out was higher

Ob AQUA-Trial

J Child Psychol
Psychiatry, 59(12),
1298-1308

Article does not specify proportion of
ADHD diagnoses in the two study
conditions

Jarrett et al., 2018

Evidence-Based
Assessment of
ADHD in Youth
Using a Receiver
Operating
Characteristic
Approach
J Clin Child Adolesc
Psychol., 47(5),
808-820

Children and
adolescents aged
5-17 years (n =
379); clinical
sample

Criterion:
contamination

+

Increment HRT-SD ca. 6% above
CBCL and TRF (calculation unclear)

CPT (HRT)

Tallberg et al., 2019

Incremental clinical
utility of
continuous
performance tests
in childhood ADHD
- an evidence-based
assessment
approach

Children aged 9-
14 years (80/38;
clinical sample
with and without
ADHD)

Criterion: n.a.
retrospective
study

+

(Bayesian inferential statistics)
diagnosis: decision depends on
questionnaire results; if E and L
combined yield diagnostic certainty
of >85% (= criterion), no test is
required; test can increase accuracy
if combined assessment of E and
criterion does not meet threshold,
which is the case when results are
inconsistent.

a) CPT-II
confidence
index

Scand J Psychol.,
60(1), 26-35

Do the same criteria apply for ruling
out ADHD (probability of
misdiagnosis > 15%)?

Inkrementelle Validität Erwachsene

Bijlenga et al., 2019

Objective
assessment of
attention-
deficit/hyperactivit
y disorder in older
adults compared
with controls using
the QbTest

Adults aged 55-79
years (97/112)

Criterion: Sample
preliminary
diagnosis (CG
convenience
sample)

0

Qb+: OCR 70%. Combined with
CAARS or ASRS improves the hit rate
21%

Ob raw scores

Int J Geriatr
Psychiatry, 34(10),
1526-1533

Bottini et al., 2019

When Measures Diverge: The Intersection of Psychometric Instruments and Clinical Judgment in Multimodal Adult Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder Assessment

Adults (*n* = 45)

Criterion: contamination (retrospective, no CG)

Not applicable.

CAARS + TOVA: SE 50.0, SP 82.1

→ Increase in specificity 11.7% through testing compared to questionnaires

PASAT, TOVA, TMT

Professional Psychology: Research and Practice, 50(6), 353-363

Groom et al., 2016

The incremental validity of a computerised assessment added to clinical rating scales to differentiate adult ADHD from autism spectrum disorder

Adults ADHD (*n* = 37) vs. ASS (*n* = 25)

Criterion: sample with preliminary diagnoses

0

The increase in Qb-total based on the CAARS+ Autism Self-Report is 9%.

Before 2017

Ob total

Psychiatry Res., 243, 168-73

Nikolas et al., 2019

The role of neurocognitive tests in the assessment of adult attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder

Adults (ADHD 109/ Depressive 52/ Healthy 85); sample publicly recruited

Criterion: people with relevant clinical diagnoses

0

TOVA increment via Fb was 2.2% in distinguishing ADHD from control group. A combination of interview and TOVA RT variability was able to correctly classify 87% of cases. Differentiation from depression was successful in 70.4% of cases using a combination of TOVA and a word-learning test

TOVA

Psychol Assess., 31(5):685-698

Pettersson et al.,
2018

Diagnosing ADHD in
Adults: An
Examination of the
Discriminative
Validity of
Neuropsychological
Tests and
Diagnostic
Assessment
Instruments

Adults (60/48),
clinical sample

Criterion:
preliminary
diagnosis

+

CPT increases specificity by 10.4 % to
81.3 compared with DIVA alone
(72.9). Nagelkerke's R^2 increases
from 0.365 to 0.671.

The combination of Qb and CPT
variables increases TQ by 4.6 % and
specificity by 17 % compared to DIVA
alone (logistic regression analysis)

CPT-II

J Atten Disord.,
22(11), 1019-1031

Validitätsüberprüfungen zu deutschsprachigen Verfahren (auch vor 2017)

Börnert-Ringleb et
al., 2018

Überprüfung der
differentiellen
Validität der
Untertests
Alertness, Go/Nogo
und Flexibilität der
Testbatterie zur
Aufmerk-
samskeitsprüfung
(TAP) bei der
Diagnose-stellung
von
Aufmerksamkeitsd
efizit-/Hyper-
aktivitätsstörungen
im Jugendalter

Adolescents aged
11-17 years
(49/49)

Criterion:
preliminary
diagnoses
(parallel CG)

0

AUCs:
Alertness: .48-.59
Flexibilität: .55-.58
Go/Nogo: .52-.65

TAP Alertness,
Go/Nogo,
Flexibility

Empirische
Sonderpädagogik
10(1), 85-99

Drechsler et al.,
2009

Clinical sample
(50/50), CG no
abnormalities

For 2 or more positive KITAP-UTs:
SE 40%, SP 94%, PPV 0.77

Zur klinischen
Validität einer
computergestützte
n
Aufmerksamkeitsste

Criterion:
preliminary
diagnoses

0

For 6 UTs:

KITAP

AUC for Hy/Im 0.68
AUC for UA 0.76

stbatterie für
Kinder (KITAP) bei 7
bis 10-jährigen
Kindern mit ADHS.

Kindheit und
Entwicklung, 18(3),
153-161

Dreisörner, &
Georgiadis, 2011

Sensitivität und
Spezifität
computer-
gestützter
Verfahren zur
Diagnostik von
Aufmerksamkeits-
defizit-
/Hyperaktivitäts-
störung (ADHS) im
Kindes- und
Jugendalter. Die
Testbatterie zur
Unaufmerksamkeit
sprüfung (TAP) und
Testbatterie zur
Aufmerksamkeits-
prüfung für Kinder
(KITAP)

Children aged 8-
10 years (24/24);
clinical sample,
CG no
abnormalities

Criterion: n.a.

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TAP: Effect sizes d were significant
for 9 out of 18 parameters (mostly
>.8)

KITAP: Effect sizes d were significant
for 4 out of 18 parameters, and >.5
for 8 parameters

KITAP and TAP

AUCs:

TAP flexibility, sustained attention,
alertness (RZ-SD): .668–.826

Empirische
Sonderpädagogik
3(1), 3-19

Hellwig-Brida et al.,
2010

Intelligenz- und
Aufmerksamkeitslei-
stungen von Jungen
mit ADHS
[Components of
intelligence and
attention in boys
with ADHD]

Boys aged 6-10
(68/norm group);
clinical sample

Criterion: n.a.
(questionnaire,
clinical
assessment)

Not applicable.

Effect sizes d
Alertness (SD?) 1.25
Flexibilität (SD?) 1.01

Significant deviations from standard
values were also observed in other
parameters

KITAP

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Psychiatrie,
Psychologie und

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|-------------------------------------|---|-----------------|---|----------------|
| Lenhard, & Lenhard, 2013 | Children aged 6-12 years (43/323) | | | |
| ADHS-Test 6-12 | Criterion: n.a. (clinical sample vs. norm sample) | Not applicable. | Boys: AUC 6%, test above questionnaire Girls: 2%, test above questionnaire | ADHD-Test 6-12 |
| Göttingen: Hogrefe | | | | |

Renner et al., 2015

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|--|--|-----------------|--|-------|
| Psychometrische Eigenschaften der "Testbatterie zur Aufmerksamkeitsprüfung für Kinder" (KITAP) in einer klinischen Stichprobe | Children aged 6-10 years (32/183) Criterion: n.a. (clinical sample with and without ADHD) | Not applicable. | After Bonferroni-Holm correction barely any significant differences (only omissions) MANOVA: ADHD vs. F83 and F91 only isolated instances of significance KITAP not suitable to distinguish between ADHD and other psychiatric disorders | KITAP |
| Diagnostica, 61(2), 63-75 | | | | |

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen. SG = sequence generation, CC = concealment, BP = blinding participants, BA = blinding assessors, ID = incomplete data, OR = outcome reporting, CE = carry over effects, SX = stopped early, UM = unvalidated measures, OI = other issue.

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1.3 Psychosoziale Interventionen

1.3.2 Psychosoziale Interventionen bei Kindern im Vorschulalter mit ADHS

1.3.2.1. Welche psychosozialen Interventionen sollten bei Kindern mit ADHS im Vorschulalter (ca. drei bis sechs Jahre) eingesetzt werden?

1.3.2.1. A

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Meta-Analysen

| Endpunktkategorien | MAs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|----------------------------------|-----|---|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (KL) | 1 | 1 | Sehr schwach/ schwach |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (E) | 1 | 2 | |
| Kindliches Verhalten gesamt (E) | 1 | 2 | |
| Kindliches Verhalten gesamt (KL) | 1 | 2 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (KU) | 1 | 5 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (KL) | 1 | 1 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (E) | 1 | 2 | |
| Erziehungsverhalten (KL) | 1 | 1 | |
| Erziehungsverhalten (E) | 1 | 2 | |

Anmerkung. MAs = Anzahl der Meta-Analysen, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: RCTs

| Endpunktkategorien | RCTs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|-------------------------|------|----|-------------------------------------|
| Aufmerksamkeit (E) | 1 | 4 | Sehr schwach/ schwach |
| Hyperaktivität (E) | 1 | 4 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (E) | 2 | 24 | |
| Erziehungsverhalten (E) | 2 | 44 | |
| Elterlicher Stress (E) | 1 | 4 | |

Anmerkung. RCTs = Anzahl der randomisierten kontrollierten Studien, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: Meta-Analysen

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Aussagesicherheit (GRADE) | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Messinstrument |
|----------|-----------------------|---------------------------|--------------|------------|----------------|
| | ADHS Symptome gesamt. | Kliniker*innenurteil | | | |

Rimestad et al., 2019

Population:
Children with ADHD or ADHD symptoms, 2.5-6 years, preschool, no medication
Intervention:
Parent training, effect post-treatment and follow-up
Comparison:
Control conditions, waitlist, treatment as usual, minimal intervention

ADHD symptoms, Post-treatment

Low
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(IC, IP)

$n = 403, k = 6$
 $g = .12$
CI (-.12 - .36)

U

Number of subjects not certain, calculated from information on sample size of individual studies themselves. Few details on bias. Most commonly used parent training program: Incredible Years Parent The New Forest Parent Training.

Independently assessed: CPRS, CPT, PDT, PSA, FP, FY

ADHS Symptome gesamt. Elternurteil

Rimestad et al., 2019

Population:
Children with ADHD or ADHD symptoms, 2.5-6 years, preschool, no medication
Intervention:
Parent training, effect post-treatment and follow-up
Comparison:
Control conditions, waitlist, treatment as usual, minimal intervention

ADHD symptoms, Post-treatment

Low
⊕⊕○○
(IC)

$n = 1003, k = 15$
 $g = .51$
CI (.33 - .69)

I

Number of subjects not certain, but calculated from information on sample size of individual studies themselves. Few details on bias. Most commonly used parent training program: Incredible Years Parent The New Forest Parent Training.

CPRS, PLAY PARK, WWP, PKSB, PACS, CBCL, ECBI, DBRS-I, DBRS-hi, BASC-PRS-h, PKBS-o/i, DSM-III

ADHD symptoms, Follow-up

Moderate
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(IP)

$n = 705, k = 8$
 $g = .07$
CI (-.01 - .15)

U

Number of subjects not certain, calculated from information on

CPRS, PLAY PARK, WWP, PKSB, PACS, CBCL, ECBI, DBRS-I, DBRS-hi, BASC-PRS-h,

sample size of individual studies themselves. Few details on bias. Most commonly used parent training program: Incredible Years Parent The New Forest Parent Training

Kindliches Verhalten gesamt. Elternurteil

Mingebach et al., 2018

Population: pre-school- and school-aged children with externalizing behavior problems

Intervention: parent-based interventions for children with mental health disorders or externalizing behavior problems; mostly behavioral parent interventions
Comparison: Control group or no control

Child behavior overall, Post measurements

Very low
⊕○○○
(BP, BA)

$n = 58214, k = 20$
 $SMD = .51$
 $CI (.39 - .64)$

No further information on RoB

Multiple instruments combined

I

Child behavior overall, Follow-up

Very low
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(BP, BA)

$n = 38543, k = 6$
 $SMD = .51$
 $CI (.31 - .71)$

No further information on RoB

Multiple instruments combined

I

Kindliches Verhalten gesamt. Kliniker*innenurteil

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|--|---|---------------------------------------|---|--|---------------------------------------|
| <p>Mingebach et al., 2018</p> <p>Population: pre-school- and school-aged children with externalizing behavior problems</p> <p>Intervention: parent-based interventions for children with mental health disorders or externalizing behavior problems; mostly behavioral parent interventions</p> <p>Comparison: Control group or no control</p> | <p>Child behavior overall, Post measurements</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (BP, OI)</p> | <p>$n = 23426, k = 5$ $SMD = .62$ $CI (.18 - 1.06)$</p> <p>I</p> | <p>No further information on RoB</p> | <p>Multiple instruments combined</p> |
| <p>Bennett et al., 2019</p> <p>Population: Children and adolescent, studies with mean age under 18 (no lower age limit) with impairing symptoms of depression, anxiety and/ or disruptive behavior</p> <p>Intervention: Self-help interventions including bibliotherapy and</p> | <p>Disruptive behavior, Self-help vs. control group</p> | <p>Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, IC)</p> | <p>$n = 2064, k = 17$ $g = .44$ $CI (.28 - .60)$</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Including supported self-help, supported and unsupported self-help and nonsupported self-help vs. control; Parent-, Observer - and Self-report; studies with mixed samples up to 25 years included if mean age under 18</p> | <p>Multiple measuring instruments</p> |
| <p>Disruptive behavior, including bibliotherapy and</p> | <p>Disruptive behavior,</p> | <p>Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, IC)</p> | <p>$n = n.a., k = 9$ $g = .62$ $CI (.34 - .90)$</p> | <p>Parent-, Observer - and Self-report;</p> | <p>Multiple measuring instruments</p> |

Verhaltensprobleme. Kombiniertes Urteil

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|---|---|-------------------------|--|--|--------------------------------|
| computerized therapy, guided self-help with focus on self-help Comparison: any control group (waitlist, treatment as usual, placebo/attention control) and other psychological treatment | Supported self-help vs. CG | | I | studies with mixed samples up to 25 years included if mean age under 18 | |
| | Disruptive behavior, Supported and unsupported self-help vs. CG | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = n.a., k = 3$ $g = .49$ CI (.27 - .70) I | Parent-, Observer - and Self-report; studies with mixed samples up to 25 years included if mean age under 18 | Multiple measuring instruments |
| | Disruptive behavior, Nonsupported self-help vs. CG | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = n.a., k = 5$ $g = .15$ CI (.01 - .29) I | Parent-, Observer - and Self-report; studies with mixed samples up to 25 years included if mean age under 18 | Multiple measuring instruments |
| | Disruptive behavior, Self-help vs. face-to-face therapy | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = n.a., k = 6$ $g = -.28$ CI (-.43 - -.13) C | Parent-, Observer - and Self-report; studies with mixed samples up to 25 years included if mean age under 18 | Multiple measuring instruments |

Verhaltensprobleme. Kliniker*innenurteil

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|-----------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|---|---|-------------------|
| Rimestad et al., 2019 | Conduct problems, Post-treatment | Low ⊕⊕○○ (IC, IP) | $n = 232, k = 5$ $g = .31$ CI (-.07 - .69) U | Number of subjects not certain, calculated from information on sample size of individual studies themselves. Few details on bias. Most commonly used parent | FOS-R11, PDT, PSA |
|-----------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|---|---|-------------------|

effect post-treatment and follow-up
 Comparison: Control conditions, waitlist, treatment as usual, minimal intervention

training program:
 Incredible Years Parent The New Forest Parent Training.

Verhaltensprobleme. Elternurteil

Rimestad et al., 2019

Population: Children with ADHD or ADHD symptoms, 2.5-6 years, preschool, no medication
 Intervention: Parent training, effect post-treatment and follow-up
 Comparison: Control conditions, waitlist, treatment as usual, minimal intervention

Conduct problems, Post-treatment

Low
 ⊕⊕○○ (IC)

$n = 1003, k = 13$
 $g = .44$
 CI (.17 - .70)

I

Number of subjects not certain, calculated from information on sample size of individual studies themselves. Few details on bias. Most commonly used parent training program: Incredible Years Parent The New Forest Parent Training.

NYPRS, PKBS, PACS, CBCL, ECBI, DBRS-odd, PKBS-o/a, BCL, BPB, DSM-III

effect post-treatment and follow-up
 Comparison: Control conditions, waitlist, treatment as usual, minimal intervention

Conduct problems, Follow-up

Moderate
 ⊕⊕⊕○ (IP)

$n = 705, k = 8$
 $g = .07$
 CI (.01 - .15)

I

Number of subjects not certain, but calculated from information on sample size of individual studies themselves. Few details on bias. Most commonly used parent training program: Incredible Years

NYPRS, PKBS, PACS, CBCL, ECBI, DBRS-odd, PKBS-o/a, BCL, BPB, DSM-III

Parent The New
Forest Parent
Training.

Erziehungsverhalten. Kliniker*innenurteil

Rimestad et al.,
2019

Population:
Children with
ADHD or ADHD
symptoms, 2.5-6
years, preschool,
no medication
Intervention:
Parent training,
effect post-
treatment and
follow-up
Comparison:
Control
conditions,
waitlist,
treatment as
usual, minimal
intervention

Negative
parenting,
Post-treatment

High
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$n = 604, k = 9$
 $g = .33$
CI (.13 - .53)

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Number of
subjects not
certain, but
calculated from
information on
sample size of
individual
studies
themselves. Few
details on bias.
Most commonly
used parent
training
program:
Incredible Years
Parent, The New
Forest Parent
Training.

GIPCI, FOS-RII,
naturalistic
observation,
DPICS, PDT,
PSA, EE

Erziehungsverhalten. Elternurteil

Rimestad et al.,
2019

Population:
Children with
ADHD or ADHD
symptoms, 2.5-6
years, preschool,
no medication
Intervention:
Parent training,
effect post-
treatment and
follow-up
Comparison:

Negative
parenting,
Post-treatment

Low
⊕⊕○○
(IC)

$n = 692, k = 8$
 $g = .63$
CI (.32 - .93)

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Number of
subjects not
certain, but
calculated from
information on
sample size of
individual
studies
themselves. Few
details on bias.
Most commonly
used parent
training
program:
Incredible Years
Parent, The New

PPI, PPS, PS

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| Control conditions, waitlist, treatment as usual, minimal intervention | | Forest Parent Training. |
| Negative parenting, Follow-up | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (IP) | $n = 357, k = 5$ $g = .12$ $CI (-.01 - .24)$ U |
| | | Number of subjects not certain, but calculated from information on sample size of individual studies themselves. Few details on bias. Most commonly used parent training program: Incredible Years Parent, The New Forest Parent Training. PPI, PPS, PS |

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen, k = Anzahl der inkludierten Primärstudien. R = risk of bias, IC = inconsistency, ID = indirectness, IP = imprecision, P = publication bias.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: RCTs

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Risk of Bias | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Mess-instrument |
|--|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|------------|--|
| Aufmerksamkeit. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| Stattin et al., 2015 Population: parents of 3-12 year old children Intervention: one of 4 parent trainings: behavioral programs (Comet, Cope, Incredible Years) or nonbehavioral program (Connect) Comparison: waitlist control | ADHD Inattention, Comet vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 310$ $d = .17$ $CI (.10 - .24)$ I | | Swanson, Nolan, and Pelham Rating Scale (SNAP-IV) Inattention subscale |
| | ADHD Inattention, Cope vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 326$ $d = .08$ $CI (.01 - .15)$ I | | Swanson, Nolan, and Pelham Rating Scale (SNAP-IV) Inattention subscale |

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| | ADHD Inattention, Incredible Years vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 233$ $d = .18$ CI (.09 - .26) | | Swanson, Nolan, and Pelham Rating Scale (SNAP-IV) Inattention subscale |
| | ADHD Inattention, Connect vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 321$ $d = .01$ CI (.00 - .08) | | Swanson, Nolan, and Pelham Rating Scale (SNAP-IV) Inattention subscale |
| Hyperaktivität. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| | ADHD Hyperactivity, Comet vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 310$ $d = .15$ CI (n.a.) | | Swanson, Nolan, and Pelham Rating Scale (SNAP-IV) Hyperactivity subscale |
| Stattin et al., 2015 Population: parents of 3-12 year old children Intervention: one of 4 parent trainings: behavioral programs (Comet, Cope, Incredible Years) or nonbehavioral program (Connect) Comparison: waitlist control | ADHD Hyperactivity, Cope vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 326$ $d = .19$ CI (.12 - .27) | | Swanson, Nolan, and Pelham Rating Scale (SNAP-IV) Hyperactivity subscale |
| | ADHD Hyperactivity, Incredible Years vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 233$ $d = .22$ CI (.14 - .30) | | Swanson, Nolan, and Pelham Rating Scale (SNAP-IV) Hyperactivity subscale |
| | ADHD Hyperactivity, Connect vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 321$ $d = .10$ CI (.02 - .18) | | Swanson, Nolan, and Pelham Rating Scale (SNAP-IV) Hyperactivity subscale |
| | Verhaltensprobleme. Elternurteil | | | | |
| Day, & Sanders, 2018 Population: Parents | Frequency of disruptive behavior, | Very high risk | $n = 117$ $d = .22$ | All questionnaires | ECBI Intensity Subscale |

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| of 2–8-year-old children with concerns about child’s behavior and at least one socioeconomic or family risk factor Intervention: Self-directed TPOL (web-based variant of Triple P – Positive Parenting Program) Comparison: TPOL enhanced with practioner support [TPOLe], wait-list control | WL vs. TPOL, pre-post | ● (BP, BA) | CI (-.14 - .58) U | online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | |
| Frequency of disruptive behavior, WL vs. TPOL, Pre-follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | <i>n</i> = 117 <i>d</i> = .16 CI (-.21 - .52) U | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | ECBI Intensity Subscale | |
| Frequency of disruptive behavior, WL vs. TPOLe, Pre-post | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | <i>n</i> = 126 <i>d</i> = .76 CI (.39 - 1.13) I | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | ECBI Intensity Subscale | |
| Frequency of disruptive behavior, WL vs. TPOLe, Pre-follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | <i>n</i> = 126 <i>d</i> = .70 CI (.34 - 1.06) I | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | ECBI Intensity Subscale | |
| Frequency of disruptive behavior, TPOL vs. TPOLe, Pre-post | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | <i>n</i> = 123 <i>d</i> = .50 CI (.14 - .86) I | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of | ECBI Intensity Subscale | |

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| Frequency of disruptive behavior, TPOL vs. TPOLe, Pre-follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 123$ $d = .50$ CI (.14 - .86) I | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | ECBI Intensity Subscale |
| Disruptive child behaviors considered a problem, WL vs. TPOL, Pre-post | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 117$ $d = .66$ CI (.29 - 1.04) I | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | ECBI Intensity Subscale |
| Disruptive child behaviors considered a problem, WL vs. TPOL, Pre-follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 117$ $d = .52$ CI (.15 - .89) I | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | ECBI Intensity Subscale |
| Disruptive child behaviors considered a problem, WL vs. TPOLe, Pre-post | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 126$ $d = .93$ CI (.56 - 1.31) I | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | ECBI Intensity Subscale |

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| | Disruptive child behaviors considered a problem, WL vs. TPOLe, Pre-follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 126$ $d = 1.28$ CI (.89 - 1.66) | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | ECBI Intensity Subscale |
| | Disruptive child behaviors considered a problem, TPOL vs. TPOLe, Pre-post | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 123$ $d = .26$ CI (.11 - .62) | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | ECBI Intensity Subscale |
| | Disruptive child behaviors considered a problem, TPOL vs. TPOLe, Pre-follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 123$ $d = .75$ CI (.38 - 1.12) | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | ECBI Intensity Subscale |
| Stattin et al., 2015 | Population: Parents of 3-12 year old children | | | | |
| | Intervention: One of 4 parent trainings: behavioral programs (Comet, Cope, Incredible Years) or nonbehavioral program (Connect) | ODD, Comet vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 310$ $d = .26$ CI (.19 - .33) | Swanson, Nolan, and Pelham Rating Scale (SNAP-IV) ODD subscale |
| | Comparison: Waitlist control | ODD, Cope vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 326$ $d = .23$ CI (.16 - .30) | Swanson, Nolan, and Pelham Rating Scale (SNAP-IV) ODD subscale |
| | ODD, | Very high risk | $n = 233$ $d = .25$ | | Swanson, Nolan, and |

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| Incredible Years vs. CG | ● (BP, BA) | CI (.17 - .32) I | Pelham Rating Scale (SNAP-IV) ODD subscale |
| ODD, Connect vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 321$ $d = .07$ CI (.01 - .14) I | Swanson, Nolan, and Pelham Rating Scale (SNAP-IV) ODD subscale |
| Intensity of child's problems, Comet vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 310$ $d = .63$ CI (.53 - .71) I | Swanson, Nolan, and Pelham Rating Scale (SNAP-IV) ODD subscale |
| Intensity of child's problems, Cope vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 326$ $d = .44$ CI (.36 - .53) I | Swanson, Nolan, and Pelham Rating Scale (SNAP-IV) ODD subscale |
| Intensity of child's problems, Incredible Years vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 233$ $d = .42$ CI (.32 - .52) I | Swanson, Nolan, and Pelham Rating Scale (SNAP-IV) ODD subscale |
| Intensity of child's problems, Connect vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 321$ $d = .31$ CI (.21 - .41) I | Swanson, Nolan, and Pelham Rating Scale (SNAP-IV) ODD subscale |
| Problematic child behavior, Comet vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 310$ $d = .49$ CI (.46 - .51) I | Swanson, Nolan, and Pelham Rating Scale (SNAP-IV) ODD subscale |
| Problematic child behavior, Cope vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 326$ $d = .27$ CI (.24 - .29) | Swanson, Nolan, and Pelham Rating Scale (SNAP- |

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| | Problematic child behavior, Incredible Years vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 233$ $d = .27$ CI (.23 - .29) I | Swanson, Nolan, and Pelham Rating Scale (SNAP-IV) ODD subscale |
| | Problematic child behavior, Connect vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 321$ $d = .17$ CI (.14 - .20) I | Swanson, Nolan, and Pelham Rating Scale (SNAP-IV) ODD subscale |

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| Day, & Sanders, 2018 Population: Parents of 2–8-year-old children with concerns about child’s behavior and at least one socioeconomic or family risk factor Intervention: Self-directed TPOL (web-based variant of Triple P – Positive Parenting Program) Comparison: TPOL enhanced with practitioner support [TPOLe], wait-list control | Parenting practice – Laxness, WL vs. TPOL, Pre-post | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 117$ $d = .26$ CI (-.10 - .63) U | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | PS Laxness Subscale |
| | Parenting practice – Laxness, WL vs. TPOL, Pre-follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 117$ $d = .18$ CI (-.19 - .54) U | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | PS Laxness Subscale |
| | Parenting practice – Laxness, WL vs. TPOLe, Pre-post | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 126$ $d = .43$ CI (.08 - .78) I | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of | PS Laxness Subscale |

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| Parenting practice – Laxness, WL vs. TPOLe, Pre-follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 126$ $d = .51$ CI (.16 - .87) I | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | PS Laxness Subscale |
| Parenting practice – Laxness, TPOL vs. TPOLe, Pre-post | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 123$ $d = .15$ CI (-.20 - .51) U | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | PS Laxness Subscale |
| Parenting practice – Laxness, TPOL vs. TPOLe, Pre-follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 123$ $d = .32$ CI (-.04 - .68) U | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | PS Laxness Subscale |
| Parenting practice – Overreactivity, WL vs. TPOL, Pre-post | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 117$ $d = .24$ CI (-.13 - .61) U | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | PS Overactivity Subscale |

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| Parenting practice – Overreactivity , WL vs. TPOL, Pre-follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 117$ $d = .44$ CI (.07 - .81) | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | PS Overactivity Subscale |
| Parenting practice – Overreactivity , WL vs. TPOLe, Pre-post | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 126$ $d = .61$ CI (.25 - .97) | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | PS Overactivity Subscale |
| Parenting practice – Overreactivity , WL vs. TPOLe, Pre-follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 126$ $d = .82$ CI (.45 - 1.18) | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | PS Overactivity Subscale |
| Parenting practice – Overreactivity , TPOL vs. TPOLe, Pre-post | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 123$ $d = .39$ CI (.03 - .75) | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | PS Overactivity Subscale |
| Parenting practice – Overreactivity , (BP, BA) | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 123$ $d = .40$ CI (.04 - .76) | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis | PS Overactivity Subscale |

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| Parenting practice – Hostility, WL vs. TPOL, Pre-post | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 117$ $d = .00$ CI (-.36 - .36) U | | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | PS Hostility Subscale |
| Parenting practice – Hostility, WL vs. TPOL, Pre-follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 117$ $d = .20$ CI (-.16 - .57) U | | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | PS Hostility Subscale |
| Parenting practice – Hostility, WL vs. TPOLe, Pre-post | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 126$ $d = .27$ CI (-.08 - .62) U | | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | PS Hostility Subscale |
| Parenting practice – Hostility, WL vs. TPOLe, Pre-follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 126$ $d = .48$ CI (.13 - .83) I | | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of | PS Hostility Subscale |

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| Parenting practice – Hostility, TPOL vs. TPOLe, Pre-post | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 123$ $d = .32$ CI (-.03 - .67) U | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | PS Hostility Subscale |
| Parenting practice – Hostility, TPOL vs. TPOLe, Pre-follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 123$ $d = .35$ CI (-.01 - .70) U | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | PS Hostility Subscale |
| Total parenting practice, WL vs. TPOL, Pre-post | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 117$ $d = .39$ CI (.02 - .76) I | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | PS Total |
| Total parenting practice, WL vs. TPOL, Pre-follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 117$ $d = .40$ CI (.02 - .77) I | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | PS Total |

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| | Total parenting practice, WL vs. TPOLe, Pre-post | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 126$ $d = .73$ CI (.36 - 1.09) I | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | PS Total |
| | Total parenting practice, WL vs. TPOLe, Pre-follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 126$ $d = 1.06$ CI (.69 - 1.43) I | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | PS Total |
| | Total parenting practice, TPOL vs. TPOLe, Pre-post | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 123$ $d = .36$ CI (.00 - .72) U | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | PS Total |
| | Total parenting practice, TPOL vs. TPOLe, Pre-follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 123$ $d = .70$ CI (.33 - 1.08) I | All questionnaires online, no formal diagnosis required, different number of modules completed | PS Total |
| Stattin et al., 2015 Population: Parents of 3-12 year old | Angry outbursts, Comet vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 310$ $d = .30$ CI (.25 - .35) | | Angry Outbursts scale |

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Intervention: One of 4 parent trainings: behavioral programs (Comet, Cope, Incredible Years) or nonbehavioral program (Connect)
Comparison: Waitlist control

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| Angry outbursts, Cope vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 326$ $d = .16$ CI (.12 - .22) | | Angry Outbursts scale |
| Angry outbursts, Incredible Years vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 233$ $d = .12$ CI (.06 - .18) | | Angry Outbursts scale |
| Angry outbursts, Connect vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 321$ $d = .10$ CI (.05 - .15) | | Angry Outbursts scale |
| Harsh treatment, Comet vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 310$ $d = .58$ CI (.52 - .53) | | Parents Practice Interview, Harsh Treatment subscale |
| Harsh treatment, Cope vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 326$ $d = .39$ CI (.33 - .45) | | Parents Practice Interview, Harsh Treatment subscale |
| Harsh treatment, Incredible Years vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 233$ $d = .28$ CI (.21 - .35) | | Parents Practice Interview, Harsh Treatment subscale |
| Harsh treatment, Connect vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 321$ $d = .18$ CI (.11 - .25) | | Parents Practice Interview, Harsh |

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| Attempted understanding , Comet vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 310$ $d = .14$ CI (.10 - .18) | I | Attempted Understanding subscale |
| Attempted understanding , Cope vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 326$ $d = .23$ CI (.19 - .27) | I | Attempted Understanding subscale |
| Attempted understanding , Incredible Years vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 233$ $d = .09$ CI (.05 - .13) | I | Attempted Understanding subscale |
| Attempted understanding , Connect vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 321$ $d = .27$ CI (.24 - .31) | I | Attempted Understanding subscale |
| Use of Rewards, Comet vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 310$ $d = .30$ CI (.17 - .44) | I | Parents Practice Interview, Rewarding the Child subscale |
| Use of Rewards, Cope vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 326$ $d = .25$ CI (.11 - .39) | I | Parents Practice Interview, Rewarding the Child subscale |
| Use of Rewards, Incredible Years vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 233$ $d = .30$ CI (.15 - .46) | | Parents Practice Interview, Rewarding the Child subscale |

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| | Use of Rewards, Connect vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 321$ $d = .28$ CI (.13 - .43) | I | Parents Practice Interview, Rewarding the Child subscale |
| | Parental competence, Comet vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 310$ $d = .69$ CI (.62 - .76) | I | Parents' Sense of Competence measure (PSOC) |
| | Parental competence, Cope vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 326$ $d = .47$ CI (.40 - .54) | I | Parents' Sense of Competence measure (PSOC) |
| | Parental competence, Incredible Years vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 233$ $d = .32$ CI (.24 - .40) | I | Parents' Sense of Competence measure (PSOC) |
| | Parental competence, Connect vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 321$ $d = .35$ CI (.28 - .42) | I | Parents' Sense of Competence measure (PSOC) |
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| Stattin et al., 2015 | | | | | |
| Population: Parents of 3-12 year old children | Parental Stress, Comet vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 310$ $d = .30$ CI (.24 - .36) | I | Caregiver Strain Questionnaire, objective strains subscale |
| Intervention: One of 4 parent trainings: behavioral programs (Comet, Cope, Incredible Years) or | Parental Stress, Cope vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 326$ $d = .10$ CI (.03 - .17) | | Caregiver Strain Questionnaire, objective |

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| nonbehavioral program (Connect) Comparison: Waitlist control | | | I | strains subscale |
| | Parental Stress, Incredible Years vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | n = 233 d = .23 CI (.15 - .31) I | Caregiver Strain Questionnaire, objective strains subscale |
| | Parental Stress, Connect vs. CG | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | n = 321 d = .13 CI (.05 - .21) I | Caregiver Strain Questionnaire, objective strains subscale |

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen. SG = sequence generation, CC = concealment, BP = blinding participants, BA = blinding assessors, ID = incomplete data, OR = outcome reporting, CE = carry over effects, SX = stopped early, UM = unvalidated measures, OI = other issue.

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Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Meta-Analysen

| Endpunktkategorien | MAs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
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| ADHS Symptome gesamt (KU) | 1 | 1 | Sehr schwach/ schwach |
| Verhaltensprobleme (KU) | 2 | 2 | |
| Prosoziales Verhalten (KU) | 1 | 1 | |
| Lehrer*innenverhalten (L) | 1 | 3 | |

Anmerkung. MAs = Anzahl der Meta-Analysen, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Summary of Findings Tabellen: Meta-Analysen

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Aussagesicherheit (GRADE) | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Messinstrument |
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| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Kombiniertes Urteil | | | | | |
| Aldabbagh R, et al., 2022 | ADHD symptoms | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R) | $n = 259, k = 5$ $d = .47$ CI (.30 - .65) | For ADHD outcome behavior, researchers grouped hyperactivity symptoms and inattention symptoms together if they were listed separately in a study. | SDQ, CTRS |
| Verhaltensprobleme. Kombiniertes Urteil | | | | | |
| Aldabbagh R, et al., 2022 | Externalizing behavior | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R) | $n = 639, k = 12$ $d = .41$ CI (.25 - .56) | Externalizing behavior problems domain was heterogeneous and comprised studies that measured oppositional behavior, challenging behavior, and | SDQ, SESBI, CTRS, SSBS-2, TCIDOS, CTRF, TOCA-C, SCP, SSIS-RS, PBQ, ECBI, SESBI-R |

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| usual, other treatment | | | | conduct behavior. |
| | Conduct problems | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 268, k = 5$ $d = .38$ CI (.04 - .71) | DPICS, TCIDOS, TPOT, CCOF |
| Prosocial behavior. Kombiniertes Urteil | | | | |
| Aldabbagh R, et al., 2022 | Prosocial behavior | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 502, k = 9$ $d = .46$ CI (.28 - .64) | PRO, SDQ, WMCS-C, SSBS-2, TPOT, TOCA-A, SCP, SSIS |
| Lehrer*innenverhalten. Lehrer*innenurteil | | | | |
| Aldabbagh R, et al., 2022 | Teachers warmth and closeness | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 304, k = 6$ $d = .48$ CI (.15 - .81) | TPOT, STRS |
| Aldabbagh R, et al., 2022 | Teachers conflict | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R) | $n = 262, k = 5$ $d = .19$ CI (.05 - .34) | STRS |
| Aldabbagh R, et al., 2022 | Teachers positive strategies | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 231, k = 8$ $d = .71$ CI (.29 - 1.14) | MOOSES, DPICS, TCIDOS, CMSQ, TPOT, CLASS, OREVS |

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen, k = Anzahl der inkludierten Primärstudien. R = risk of bias, IC = inconsistency, ID = indirectness, IP = imprecision, P = publication bias.

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Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Meta-Analysen

| Endpunktkategorien | MAs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
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| Verhaltensprobleme (U) | 1 | 4 | Sehr schwach/ schwach |

Anmerkung. MAs = Anzahl der Meta-Analysen, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: Meta-Analysen

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Aussagesicherheit (GRADE) | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Messinstrument |
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| Verhaltensprobleme. Unbekanntes Urteil | | | | | |
| Parker et al. (2021) | Externalizing behaviors, CCPT vs. no treatment | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R) | $n = 504, k = 14$ $g = .34$ CI (-.52 - -.17) | Studies included if using formalized assessments of externalizing behaviors; no info on sequence generation + concealment | n.a. |
| | Externalizing behaviors, CCPT vs. alternative treatment | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R) | $n = 284, k = 7$ $g = .56$ CI (-.84 - -.28) | Studies included if using formalized assessments of externalizing behaviors; to prevent publication bias: funnel plots, fail safe N and trim-and-fill statistics | n.a. |
| | Overall problem behaviors, CCPT vs. no treatment | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, P) | $n = 303, k = 10$ $g = .48$ CI (-.71 - -.24) | Studies included if measure of all problem behaviors (externalizing, internalizing, aggressive); to | n.a. |

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| | | | prevent publication bias: funnel plots, fail safe N and trim-and-fill statistics | |
| Aggressive behaviors, CCPT vs. no treatment | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = 156, k = 4$ $g = .26$ CI (-.57 - .05) | Studies included if results reported of formalized assessment of outcome variable; to prevent publication bias: funnel plots, fail safe N and trim-and-fill statistics | n.a. |

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen, k = Anzahl der inkludierten Primärstudien. R = risk of bias, IC = inconsistency, ID = indirectness, IP = imprecision, P = publication bias.

Referenzen

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1.3.3 Psychosoziale Interventionen bei Kindern und Jugendlichen im Schulalter mit ADHS

1.3.3.1. Welche psychosozialen Interventionen sollten bei Kindern im Schulalter und bei Jugendlichen mit ADHS und leichter bis moderater Funktions-, Aktivitäts- und Teilhabebeeinträchtigung durchgeführt werden?

1.3.3.1. A

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Meta-Analysen

| Endpunktkategorien | MAs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|-----------------------------------|-----|----|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (KU) | 4 | 5 | Moderat/ schwach/ sehr schwach |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (E) | 2 | 2 | |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (L) | 1 | 1 | |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (KL) | 1 | 1 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (KU) | 1 | 1 | |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität (KU) | 1 | 1 | |
| ADHS Symptomverbesserung (KL) | 1 | 1 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (KU) | 2 | 2 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (E) | 2 | 2 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (L) | 1 | 1 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (KL) | 1 | 1 | |
| Emotionale Probleme (E) | 1 | 1 | |
| Funktionalität (E) | 2 | 2 | |
| Funktionalität (L) | 1 | 1 | |
| Funktionalität (KL) | 1 | 1 | |
| Lebensqualität (E) | 1 | 1 | |
| ADHS Wissen (KU) | 1 | 1 | |
| ADHS Wissen (S) | 1 | 1 | |
| Elterliche mentale Gesundheit (E) | 3 | 5 | |
| Erziehungsverhalten (KU) | 1 | 2 | |
| Erziehungsverhalten (E) | 3 | 10 | |
| Erziehungsverhalten (KL) | 1 | 1 | |
| Eltern-Kind-Beziehung (KU) | 1 | 1 | |

Anmerkung. MAs = Anzahl der Meta-Analysen, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: Meta-Analysen

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Aussagesicherheit (GRADE) | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Messinstrument |
|---|----------|---------------------------|--------------|------------|----------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Kombiniertes Urteil | | | | | |

Dahl et al., 2020

Population: youth (ages 5–17) diagnosed with ADHD
Intervention: psychoeducation-based interventions – either in combination with another treatment modality or on its own – delivered to the parents or teachers of children/adolescents
Comparison: Individual counseling, parent support, TAU, no control group, placebo pill and psychoeducation

ADHD symptoms

Low
 ⊕⊕○○
 (R)

$n = 956, k = 7$
 $g = .787$
 CI (.457 - 1.116)

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Parent- and teacher-ratings; psychoeducation interventions: any professionally-delivered treatment modality that integrated both psychotherapeutic and educational material into didactic sessions

ADHD-RS-IV, ADHD symptoms (Symptom Checklist), Conners' Rating Scales, Conners' Global Index

Hornstra et al., 2023

Population: parents of children and adolescents with ADHD
Intervention: Individual parent training
Comparison: group parent training

ADHD total symptoms, Individual BPT vs. group BPT

Not applicable due to missing information

$n = \text{n.a.}, k = 26$
 $\beta = .27$
 CI (.00 - .53)

I

β_1 indicates change in standardized mean difference when technique increases with one unit

n.a.

Tourjman et al., 2022

Population: children with ADHD already medicated or no medication
Intervention: NFPP, IY, The Parenting Your Hyperactive Preschooler program, Face to Face (F2F), Barkley's parent training group, Triple P program Mindful parenting training + pharmacotherapy

Core ADHD symptoms

Very low
 ⊕○○○
 (R, IC, P)

$n = 907, k = 7$
 $SMD = .91$
 CI (.54 - 1.28)

I

CBC, BASC, CPRS, PACS, PKBS, DBRS, ERC, Parenting Scale, CCNES, AAPCI, SNAP-IV, etc...

(methylphenidate or risperidone)
Comparison: wait list or active controls
 (Non-standard care control excluded)

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| <p>Yang et al., 2021</p> <p>Population: children with ADHD (5 till 17 years) Intervention: parent training or parent training combined with psychostimulants Comparison: psychostimulants</p> | <p>ADHD symptoms, Parent-training vs. stimulants</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P)</p> | <p>$n = \text{n.a.}, k = \text{n.a.}$ $g = -.03$ CI (-.33 - .27)</p> | <p>U</p> | <p>Not specified which parent trainings used; based on 107 studies (reported in 33 papers, n=9883), but unclear how many studies included in outcome; within and between group effects considered</p> | <p>Conners rating scale, ADHD rating scale, Daily parent rating of evening and morning behavior scale, Disruptive behavior disorder rating scale, Conduct disorder score, Irritability Scale, etc.</p> |
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| <p>ADHD symptoms, Parent training and psychostimulants vs. stimulants</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P)</p> | <p>$n = \text{n.a.}, k = \text{n.a.}$ $g = -.26$ CI (-.01 - .60)</p> | <p>U</p> | <p>Not specified which parent trainings used; based on 107 studies (reported in 33 papers, n=9883), but unclear how many studies included in outcome; within and between group effects considered</p> | <p>Conners rating scale, ADHD rating scale, Daily parent rating of evening and morning behavior scale, Disruptive behavior disorder rating scale, Conduct disorder score, Irritability Scale, etc. ...</p> |
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ADHS Symptome gesamt. Elternurteil

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| <p>Fabiano et al., 2021</p> <p>Population: children and adolescence with ADHD/ ODD, max. 18 years Intervention: behavioral Parent Training</p> | <p>ADHD symptoms</p> | <p>Low ⊕⊕○○ (IC, P)</p> | <p>$n = \text{n.a.}, k = 14$ $d = .32$ CI (.12 - .52)</p> | <p>I</p> | <p>Allocation to primary studies not possible</p> | <p>n.a.</p> |
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Comparison:
different control
groups

Leijten et al., 2018

Population: children
with conduct
problems, 1-12 years
Intervention:
Incredible Years
parenting program
Comparison: control
condition, waitlist

ADHD symptoms

Moderate
⊕⊕⊕○
(P)

$n = 1532, k = 11$
 $SMD = -.30$
 $CI (-.44 - -.17)$

I

SDQ (1 study:
PACS
converted in
SDQ)

ADHS Symptome gesamt. Lehrer*innenurteil

Fabiano et al., 2021

Population: children
and adolescence with
ADHD/ ODD, max. 18
years
Intervention:
behavioral Parent
Training
Comparison:
different control
groups

ADHD symptoms

Very low
⊕○○○
(IC, IP, P)

$n = n.a., k = 6$
 $d = -.12$
 $CI (-.41 - .17)$

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Allocation to
primary studies
not possible

n.a.

ADHS Symptome gesamt. Kliniker*innenurteil

Fabiano et al., 2021

Population: children
and adolescence with
ADHD/ ODD, max. 18
years
Intervention:
behavioral Parent
Training
Comparison:
different control
groups

ADHD symptoms

Low
⊕⊕○○
(IP, P)

$n = n.a., k = 2$
 $d = .01$
 $CI (-.15 - .17)$

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Allocation to
primary studies
not possible

n.a.

Aufmerksamkeit. Kombiniertes Urteil

Hornstra et al., 2023

Population: parents of children and adolescents with ADHD
Intervention: Individual parent training
Comparison: group parent training

Inattention, Individual BPT vs. group BPT

Not applicable due to missing information

$n = n.a., k = 17$
 $\beta = .29$
 CI (-.11 - .69)

U

β_1 indicates change in standardized mean difference when technique increases with one unit

n.a.

Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität. Kombiniertes Urteil

Hornstra et al., 2023

Population: parents of children and adolescents with ADHD
Intervention: Individual parent training
Comparison: group parent training

Hyp./Imp., Individual BPT vs. group BPT

Not applicable due to missing information

$n = n.a., k = 17$
 $\beta = .55$
 CI (.10 - 1.00)

I

β_1 indicates change in standardized mean difference when technique increases with one unit

n.a.

Symptomverbesserung. Kliniker*innenurteil

Dahl et al., 2020

Population: youth (ages 5–17) diagnosed with ADHD
Intervention: psychoeducation-based interventions – either in combination with another treatment modality or on its own – delivered to the parents or teachers of children/adolescents
Comparison: Individual counseling, parent support, TAU, no control group, placebo pill and psychoeducation

Global symptom improvement

Moderate
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 (R)

$n = 168, k = 2$
 $g = .578$
 CI (.272 - .885)

I

CGI, CGI-I

Verhaltensprobleme. Kombiniertes Urteil

Dahl et al., 2020

Population: youth (ages 5–17) diagnosed with ADHD
Intervention: psychoeducation-based interventions – either in combination with another treatment modality or on its own – delivered to the parents or teachers of children/adolescents
Comparison: Individual counseling, parent support, TAU, no control group, placebo pill and psychoeducation

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|----------------------------|--------------------|--|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Behavioral problems | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R) | $n = 568, k = 5$ $g = .466$ CI (.158 - .774) | Parent- and teacher-ratings | CBCL, SDQ, EPC, SPI, FTF |
| | | I | | |

Hornstra et al., 2023

Population: parents of children and adolescents with ADHD
Intervention: Individual parent training
Comparison: group parent training

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|--|---|--|---|------|
| Behavioral problems, Individual BPT vs. group BPT | Not applicable due to missing information | $n = \text{n.a.}, k = 21$ $\beta = -.09$ CI (-.35 - .18) | β_1 indicates change in standardized mean difference when technique increases with one unit | n.a. |
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Verhaltensprobleme. Elternurteil

Fabiano et al., 2021

Population: children and adolescence with ADHD/ ODD, max. 18 years
Intervention: behavioral Parent Training
Comparison: different control groups

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| Externalizing behavior problems | Very low ⊕○○○ (IC, P) | $n = \text{n.a.}, k = 14$ $d = .49$ CI (.24 - .74) | Allocation to primary studies not possible | n.a. |
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Leijten et al., 2018

Population: children with conduct problems, 1-12 years
Intervention: Incredible Years parenting program
Comparison: control condition, waitlist

Conduct problems

Moderate
 ⊕⊕⊕○
 (P)

$n = 1622, k = 13$
 $SMD = -.35$
 CI (-.51 - -.19)

I

Ten studies (prevention or treatment trials) 70% of the children scored above clinical cut-off on ECBI, four studies (selective prevention trials for high-risk families) 30% of children scored above

ECBI (for 2 studies PACS was converted in ECBI)

Verhaltensprobleme. Lehrer*innenurteil

Fabiano et al., 2021

Population: children and adolescence with ADHD/ ODD, max. 18 years
Intervention: behavioral Parent Training
Comparison: different control groups

Externalizing behavior problems

Moderate
 ⊕⊕⊕○
 (P)

$n = n.a., k = 4$
 $d = -.18$
 CI (-.32 - -.04)

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Allocation to primary studies not possible

n.a

Verhaltensprobleme. Kliniker*innenurteil

Fabiano et al., 2021

Population: children and adolescence with ADHD/ ODD, max. 18 years
Intervention: behavioral Parent Training
Comparison: different control groups

Externalizing behavior problems

Very low
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 (IC, IP, P)

$n = n.a., k = 8$
 $d = .04$
 CI (-.23 - .31)

U

Allocation to primary studies not possible

n.a

Emotionale Probleme. Elternurteil

Leijten et al., 2018

Population: children with conduct problems, 1-12 years
Intervention: Incredible Years parenting program
Comparison: control condition, waitlist

Emotional problems

Low
 ⊕⊕○○
 (IP, P)

$n = 1340, k = 10$
 $SMD = -.06$
 $CI (-.18 - .06)$

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SDQ (for 2 studies CBCL converted in SDQ)

Funktionalität. Elternurteil

Dahl et al., 2020

Population: youth (ages 5–17) diagnosed with ADHD
Intervention: psychoeducation-based interventions – either in combination with another treatment modality or on its own – delivered to the parents or teachers of children/adolescents
Comparison: Individual counseling, parent support, TAU, no control group, placebo pill and psychoeducation

Global functioning

Very low
 ⊕○○○
 (R, IP)

$n = 387, k = 3$
 $g = .397$
 $CI (-.01 - .808)$

U

CGAS, Weiss Functional Impairment Rating Scale, WFIRS-P

Fabiano et al., 2021

Population: children and adolescence with ADHD/ ODD, max. 18 years
Intervention: behavioral Parent Training
Comparison: different control groups

Impairment

Very low
 ⊕○○○
 (IC, IP, P)

$n = n.a., k = 6$
 $d = .00$
 $CI (-.16 - .16)$

U

Allocation to primary studies not possible

n.a.

Funktionalität. Lehrer*innenurteil

Fabiano et al., 2021

Population: children and adolescence with ADHD/ ODD, max. 18 years

Intervention: behavioral Parent Training

Comparison: different control groups

Impairment

Very low
⊕○○○
(IC, IP, P)

$n = n.a., k = 4$
 $d = .02$
CI (-.27 - .31)

Allocation to primary studies not possible

n.a.

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Funktionalität. Kliniker*innenurteil

Fabiano et al., 2021

Population: children and adolescence with ADHD/ ODD, max. 18 years

Intervention: behavioral Parent Training

Comparison: different control groups

Impairment

Very low
⊕○○○
(IC, IP, P)

$n = n.a., k = 3$
 $d = .41$
CI (-.16 - .98)

Allocation to primary studies not possible

n.a.

U

Lebensqualität. Elternurteil

Dahl et al., 2020

Population: youth (ages 5–17) diagnosed with ADHD

Intervention: psychoeducation-based interventions – either in combination with another treatment modality or on its own – delivered to the parents or teachers of children/adolescents

Comparison: Individual counseling, parent support, TAU, no control group, placebo pill and psychoeducation

Quality of life

Moderate
⊕⊕⊕○
(IP)

$n = 180, k = 2$
 $g = .119$
CI (-.174 - .412)

EQ-5D, CHIP-CE

U

ADHS Wissen. Kombiniertes Urteil

Dahl et al., 2020

Population: youth (ages 5–17) diagnosed with ADHD

Intervention: psychoeducation-based interventions – either in combination with another treatment modality or on its own – delivered to the parents or teachers of children/adolescents

Comparison: Individual counseling, parent support, TAU, no control group, placebo pill and psychoeducation

Parent-teacher's knowledge of ADHD

Very low
⊕○○○
(R, IC, IP)

$n = 154, k = 3$
 $g = 1.037$
CI (-.195 - 2.269)

Validation of questionnaire unclear; parent-teacher-ratings

Questionnaire designed by authors in 3 studies

U

ADHS Wissen. Selbsturteil

Dahl et al., 2020

Population: youth (ages 5–17) diagnosed with ADHD

Intervention: psychoeducation-based interventions – either in combination with another treatment modality or on its own – delivered to the parents or teachers of children/adolescents

Comparison: Individual counseling, parent support, TAU, no control group, placebo pill and psychoeducation

Child's knowledge of ADHD, Within group effect

Very low
⊕○○○
(R)

$n = 40, k = 2$
 $g = .721$
CI (.370 - 1.072)

2 included studies: pre-post design without CG; validation of questionnaire in one study unclear

Children's ADHD Knowledge & Opinions Questionnaire; Questionnaire designed by authors in 1 study

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Elterliche mentale Gesundheit. Elternurteil

Dahl et al., 2020

Population: youth (ages 5–17) diagnosed with ADHD

Intervention: psychoeducation-based interventions – either in combination with another treatment modality or on its own – delivered to the parents or teachers of children/adolescents

Comparison: Individual counseling, parent support, TAU, no control group, placebo pill and psychoeducation

Parenting stress

Moderate
⊕⊕⊕○
(IP)

$n = 249, k = 3$
 $g = .209$
CI (-.039 - .458)

NCSQ, PSI-SF

U

Dekkers et al., 2022

Population: children and adolescence with ADHD, < 18 years, no medication as part of intervention

Intervention: behavioral parent intervention (single/group)

Comparison: active control, treatment as usual, no treatment/waitlist

Parental mental health

Low
⊕⊕○○
(R, IC)

$n = 1155, k = 20$
 $g = .41$
CI (.20 - .61)

Parental mental health included parenting stress and several indices of parental psychopathology (eg, depression, anxiety, ADHD). No trim & fill considered, as funnel plot not asymmetric.

BDI, PSI, CSQ, GHQ, AARS, DASS, SNQ

I

Leijten et al., 2018

Population: children with conduct problems, 1-12 years

Intervention: Incredible Years parenting program

Parental mental health: depression

Low
⊕⊕○○
(IP, P)

$n = 1359, k = 11$
 $SMD = -.08$
CI (-.17 - .01)

BDI (3 studies converted from Brief symptom inventory and General health questionnaire in BDI)

U

Comparison: control condition, waitlist

Parental mental health: stress

Low
⊕⊕○○
(IP, P)

$n = 542, k = 5$
 $SMD = -.18$
 $CI (-.44 - .07)$

Parenting stress index

U

Parental mental health: self-efficacy

Low
⊕⊕○○
(IP, P)

$n = 417, k = 4$
 $SMD = -.32$
 $CI (-.77 - .13)$

Parental sense of competence scale

U

Erziehungsverhalten. Kombiniertes Urteil

Dekkers et al., 2022

Population: children and adolescence with ADHD, < 18 years, no medication as part of intervention

Intervention: behavioral parent intervention (single/group)

Comparison: active control, treatment as usual, no treatment/waitlist

Positive parenting

Low
⊕⊕○○
(IC)

$n = 1470, k = 15$
 $g = .60$
 $CI (.39 - .81)$

No trim & fill considered, as funnel plot not asymmetric. Authors' note: Study should be seen as hypothesis-generating, not confirmation of effectiveness of parent training. ES not significantly different for probably blinded ($SMD = 0.58$) and unblinded measures ($SMD = 0.63$) on positive parenting

PPI, DPICS, GIPCI, CCNES, APQ, PCRQ, PPI, FIQ, PAMS, Observation

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Negative parenting

Very low
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(R, IC)

$n = 946, k = 13$
 $g = .35$
 $CI (.12 - .59)$

Robust ES for all 5 outcome domains; ES lower when parent training compared with active control conditions relative to waitlists, but only ES for negative parenting dropped to non-significant when

APQ, PCRQ, PCRS, DPICS, PS, CCNES, Observation

I

including only studies with active control conditions. ES not significantly different for probably blinded (SMD = 0.68) and unblinded measures (SMD = 0.54) on negative parenting

| Erziehungsverhalten. Elternurteil | | | | | | |
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| Dekkers et al., 2022 | | | | | | |
| <p>Population: children and adolescence with ADHD, < 18 years, no medication as part of intervention</p> <p>Intervention: behavioral parent intervention (single/group)</p> <p>Comparison: active control, treatment as usual, no treatment/waitlist</p> | Parenting sense of competence | <p>Low</p> <p>⊕⊕○○ (R, IC)</p> | <p>$n = 1239, k = 14$</p> <p>$g = .54$</p> <p>CI (.36 - .72)</p> | | <p>PSOC, PCEQ, PES, PSCS, PSI, PSBC</p> | |
| | | | | | | I |
| Fabiano et al., 2021 | | | | | | |
| <p>Population: children and adolescence with ADHD/ ODD, max. 18 years</p> <p>Intervention: behavioral Parent Training</p> <p>Comparison: different control groups</p> | Parenting behaviors | <p>Very low</p> <p>⊕○○○ (IC, P)</p> | <p>$n = n.a., k = 6$</p> <p>$d = .70$</p> <p>CI (.44 - .96)</p> | Allocation to primary studies not possible | n.a. | |
| | | | | | | I |
| | Parenting effectiveness/stress | <p>Low</p> <p>⊕⊕○○ (IC, P)</p> | <p>$n = n.a., k = 12$</p> <p>$d = .51$</p> <p>CI (.35 - .67)</p> | Allocation to primary studies not possible | n.a. | |
| | | | | | | I |

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|--|--|-------------------------|--|---|--|
| | Positive parenting: praise | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (P) | $n = 630, k = 6$ $SMD = .26$ $CI (.01 - .51)$ | To minimize missing data biases due to large amounts of missing data for some pooled outcome variables, multilevel modeling (random effect modeling) used | PPI, APQ, PS, interview, multiple parenting measures |
| | Positive parenting: tangible rewards | Low ⊕⊕○○ (IP, P) | $n = 625, k = 6$ $SMD = .15$ $CI (-.16 - .45)$ | | PPI, APQ, PS, interview, multiple parenting measures |
| Leijten et al., 2018 | | | | | |
| Population: children with conduct problems, 1-12 years Intervention: Incredible Years parenting program Comparison: control condition, waitlist | Positive parenting: monitoring | Low ⊕⊕○○ (IP, P) | $n = 1088, k = 9$ $SMD = .05$ $CI (-.08 - .18)$ | | PPI, APQ, PS, interview, multiple parenting measures |
| | Negative parenting: corporal punishment | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (P) | $n = 1393, k = 10$ $SMD = -.22$ $CI (-.42 - -.01)$ | | PPI, APQ, PS, interview, multiple parenting measures |
| | Negative parenting: threatening | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (P) | $n = 999, k = 9$ $SMD = -.21$ $CI (-.36 - -.06)$ | | PPI, APQ, PS, interview, multiple parenting measures |
| | Negative Parenting: laxness | Low ⊕⊕○○ (IP, P) | $n = 978, k = 9$ $SMD = -.15$ $CI (-.37 - .07)$ | | PPI, APQ, PS, interview, multiple parenting measures |

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|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|---|--|--|
| Negative parenting: shouting | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (P) | $n = 967, k = 15$ $SMD = -.31$ $CI (-.61 - -.01)$ | | PPI, APQ, PS, interview, multiple parenting measures |
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Erziehungsverhalten. Kliniker*innenurteil

Fabiano et al., 2021

Population: children and adolescence with ADHD/ ODD, max. 18 years
Intervention: behavioral Parent Training
Comparison: different control groups

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|----------------------------|------------------------|--|--|------|
| Parenting behaviors | Low ⊕⊕○○ (IC, P) | $n = n.a., k = 6$ $d = .41$ $CI (.19 - .63)$ | Allocation to primary studies not possible | n.a. |
|----------------------------|------------------------|--|--|------|

Eltern-Kind-Beziehung. Kombiniertes Urteil

Dekkers et al., 2022

Population: children and adolescence with ADHD, < 18 years, no medication as part of intervention
Intervention: behavioral parent intervention (single/group)
Comparison: active control, treatment as usual, no treatment/waitlist

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|---|-----------------------------|--|---|---|
| Quality of parent-child relationship | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 727, k = 11$ $g = .37$ $CI (.07 - .67)$ | Significantly different for probably blinded (SMD = 0.53) and unblinded measures (SMD = 0.54) of child-parent-relationship. | GIPCI, PSI, PPES, PBI, IRS, PSDQ, PCRQ, CBQ, PFMSS, Pasta Task, Observation |
|---|-----------------------------|--|---|---|

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen, k = Anzahl der inkludierten Primärstudien. R = risk of bias, IC = inconsistency, ID = indirectness, IP = imprecision, P = publication bias.

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1.3.3.1. B

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Meta-Analysen

| Endpunktkategorien | MAs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|------------------------------------|-----|---|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (KU) | 2 | 3 | Schwach/ sehr schwach |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (E) | 1 | 1 | |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (L) | 3 | 4 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (KU) | 1 | 1 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (L) | 2 | 6 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (KL) | 2 | 2 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (U) | 1 | 1 | |
| Prosoziales Verhalten (KU) | 1 | 1 | |
| Beeinträchtigung (E) | 1 | 1 | |
| Beeinträchtigung (L) | 1 | 1 | |
| Beeinträchtigung (KL) | 1 | 1 | |
| Akademisches Engagement/Motivation | 1 | 1 | |
| Lehrer*innenverhalten (L) | 2 | 6 | |

Anmerkung. MAs = Anzahl der Meta-Analysen, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: Meta-Analysen

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Aussagesicherheit (GRADE) | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Mess-instrument |
|--|---|---------------------------------|---|--|---|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Kombiniertes Urteil | | | | | |
| Aldabbagh et al., 2022 | | | | | |
| Population: children with ADHD and externalizing behaviors, 2-13 years Intervention: teacher training Comparison: waiting list, treatment as usual, other treatment | ADHD symptoms | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R) | n = 259, k = 5 d = .47 CI (.30 - .65) | Parent- and teacher-ratings; researchers grouped hyperactivity symptoms and inattention symptoms together if listed separately in a study. | SDQ, CTRS |
| Ward et al., 2022. | ADHD symptoms in pupils, Between-subjects, Post-test | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | n = 422, k = 5 SMD = .71 CI (-.11 - 1.52) | Variety of measurement including vignettes, self-report questionnaire and | CTRS-R, YCI, COC, CBTC, TRF, K-ARS, BOSS, Conner's 3 teacher, non-blinded observations, |

Intervention: teacher training/ school intervention
Comparison: waitlist control, alternative treatment, control group.

blinded observations blinded observations

ADHD symptoms in pupils, Within-subjects, Post-test

Very low
 ⊕○○○
 (R, IC)

$n = 275, k = 7$
 $SMD = .78$
 CI (.37 - 1.18)

Variety of measurement including vignettes, self-report questionnaire and blinded observations

CTRS-R, YCI, COC, CBTC, TRF, K-ARS, BOSS, Conner's 3 teacher, non-blinded observations, blinded observations

ADHS Symptome gesamt. Elternurteil

Fabiano et al., 2021

Population: children and adolescence with ADHD/ ODD, max. 18 years
Intervention: Behavioral Classroom Management
Comparison: control group, between group study design

ADHD symptoms

Moderate
 ⊕⊕⊕○
 (P)

$n = n.a., k = 3$
 $d = .35$
 CI (.00 - .70)

Assignment to primary studies not possible.

n.a.

ADHS Symptome gesamt. Lehrer*innenurteil

Fabiano et al., 2021

Population: children and adolescence with ADHD/ ODD, max. 18 years
Intervention: behavioral classroom management
Comparison: control group, between group study design

ADHD symptoms

Moderate
 ⊕⊕⊕○
 (P)

$n = n.a., k = 3$
 $d = .66$
 CI (.35 - .97)

Assignment to primary studies not possible.

n.a.

Veenman et al., 2018

Population: children with ADHD and ODD/CD symptoms, 6-12 years
Intervention: behavioral teacher/classroom program
Comparison: waitlist, treatment as usual, other intervention

ADHD symptoms, Clinical, at-risk, and community samples

Low
 ⊕⊕○○
 (ID, P)

$n = 13313, k = 9$
 $d = -.19$
 CI (-.35 - -.02)

I

Symptoms of ODD and CD taken together. Behavioral programs defined as programs using behavioral techniques on a daily basis; comprehensive treatment programs included that used behavioral classroom program as one main element

DBD, CRS, ADS-IV, ADHD-RS, SNAP, TOCA

Ward et al., 2022.

Population: children and adolescence with ADHD or identified as displaying ADHD-type behaviors
Intervention: teacher training/ school intervention
Comparison: waitlist control, alternative treatment, control group.

ADHD symptoms in pupils, Between subjects, Follow-up

Moderate
 ⊕⊕⊕○
 (R)

$n = 180, k = 2$
 $SMD = .50$
 CI (.14 - .87)

I

TRF, Conners

ADHD symptoms in pupils, Within subjects, Follow-up

Moderate
 ⊕⊕⊕○
 (R)

$n = 138, k = 3$
 $SMD = .39$
 CI (.15 - .62)

I

TRF, Conners-T, DSM-IV, TR symptom list

Verhaltensprobleme. Kombiniertes Urteil

Aldabbagh et al., 2022

Population: children with ADHD and externalizing behaviors, 2-13 years
Intervention: teacher training
Comparison: waiting list, treatment as usual, other treatment

Externalizing behavior

Low
 ⊕⊕○○
 (R)

$n = 639, k = 12$
 $d = .41$
 CI (.25 - .56)

I

Parent- and teacher-ratings; externalizing behavior problems domain was heterogeneous and comprised studies that measured oppositional behavior, challenging behavior, and conduct behavior

SDQ, SESBI, CTRS, SSBS-2, TCIDOS, CTRF, TOCA-C, SCP, SSIS-RS, PBQ, ECBI, SESBI-R

Verhaltensprobleme. Lehrer*innenurteil

Fabiano et al., 2021

Population: children and adolescence with ADHD/ ODD, max. 18 years

Intervention: behavioral classroom management

Comparison: control group, between group study design

Externalizing behavior problems

Moderate
⊕⊕⊕○
(P)

$n = n.a., k = 1$
 $d = .26$
CI (.26 - .26)

Assignment to primary studies not possible.

n.a.



Disruptive behavior, Clinical, at-risk and community samples

Very low
⊕○○○
(R, IC, ID, IP)

$n = 18074, k = 17$
 $d = -.20$
CI (-.29 - -.10)

Behavioral programs defined as programs using behavioral techniques on a daily basis; comprehensive treatment programs included that used behavioral classroom program as one main element

CRS, SDQ, PBSI, SNAP, TOCA, BASC, ADHD-RS, TRF, DBD



Veenman et al., 2018

Population: children with ADHD and ODD/CD symptoms, 6-12 years

Intervention: behavioral teacher/ classroom program

Comparison: waitlist, treatment as usual, other intervention

Disruptive behavior, Clinical sample

Moderate
⊕⊕⊕○
(ID)

$n = 828, k = 7$
 $d = -.19$
CI (-.35 - -.04)

Clinical sample: > 85% met diagnostic criteria; behavioral programs defined as programs using behavioral techniques on a daily basis; comprehensive treatment programs included that used behavioral classroom program as one main element

CRS, SDQ, PBSI, SNAP, TOCA, BASC, ADHD-RS, TRF, DBD, ADS-IV



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|--|-------------------------|---|--|---|
| Disruptive behavior, At-risk sample | Low ⊕⊕○○ (IC, ID) | $n = 1081, k = 6$ $d = -.26$ CI (-.42 - -.09) | At-risk samples consisted of participants with elevated levels of disruptive behavior problems at school; behavioral programs defined as programs using behavioral techniques on a daily basis; comprehensive treatment programs included that used behavioral classroom program as one main element | CRS, SDQ, PBSI, SNAP, TOCA, BASC, ADHD-RS, TRF, DBD, ADS-IV |
|--|-------------------------|---|--|---|

| | | | | |
|--|---------------------------------|--|--|---|
| Disruptive behavior, Community sample | Very low ⊕○○○ (IC, ID, P) | $n = 16138, k = 5$ $d = -.15$ CI (-.30 - -.01) | Behavioral programs defined as programs using behavioral techniques on a daily basis; comprehensive treatment programs included that used behavioral classroom program as one main element | CRS, SDQ, PBSI, SNAP, TOCA, BASC, ADHD-RS, TRF, DBD, ADS-IV |
|--|---------------------------------|--|--|---|

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|--|------------------------|---|---|---------------------------------|
| ODD/CD symptoms, Clinical, at-risk and community sample | Low ⊕⊕○○ (ID, P) | $n = 16743, k = 10$ $d = -.15$ CI (-.23 - -.06) | Symptoms of ODD and CD taken together; behavioral programs defined as programs using behavioral techniques on a daily basis; comprehensive treatment programs included that | TOCA, DBD, TRF, PBSI, SNAP, CRS |
|--|------------------------|---|---|---------------------------------|

used behavioral classroom program as one main element

Verhaltensprobleme. Kliniker*innenurteil

Fabiano et al., 2021

Population: children and adolescence with ADHD/ ODD, max. 18 years

Intervention: behavioral classroom management

Comparison: control group, between group study design

Externalizing behavior problems

Moderate
⊕⊕⊕○
(P)

$n = n.a., k = 1$
 $d = 1.12$
CI (.49 - 1.75)

Assignment to primary studies not possible.

n.a.

I

Veenman et al., 2018

Population: children with ADHD and ODD/CD symptoms, 6-12 years

Intervention: behavioral teacher/ classroom program

Comparison: waitlist, treatment as usual, other intervention

Disruptive behavior, Clinical, at-risk and community samples

Very low
⊕○○○
(R, IC, ID, IP)

$n = 907, k = 4$
 $d = -.48$
CI (-1.11 - -.15)

Observation

U

Verhaltensprobleme. Unbekanntes Urteil

Aldabbagh et al., 2022

Population: children with ADHD and externalizing behaviors, 2-13 years

Intervention: teacher training

Comparison: waiting list, treatment as usual, other treatment

Conduct problems

Very low
⊕○○○
(R, IC)

$n = 268, k = 5$
 $d = .38$
CI (.04 - .71)

DPICS, TCIDOS, TPOT, CCOF

I

Prosoziales Verhalten. Kombiniertes Urteil

Aldabbagh et al., 2022

Population: children with ADHD and externalizing behaviors, 2-13 years
Intervention: teacher training
Comparison: waiting list, treatment as usual, other treatment

Prosocial behavior

Very low
 ⊕○○○
 (R, IC)

$n = 502, k = 9$
 $d = .46$
 CI (.28 - .64)

I

Included studies measured peer relationships, prosocial skills and social behavior

PRO, SDQ, WMCS-2, TPOT, TOCA-A, SCP, SSIS

Beeinträchtigungen. Elternurteil

Fabiano et al., 2021

Population: children and adolescence with ADHD/ ODD, max. 18 years
Intervention: behavioral classroom management
Comparison: control group, between group study design

Impairment

Moderate
 ⊕⊕⊕○
 (P)

$n = n.a., k = 1$
 $d = .15$
 CI (.03 - .28)

I

Assignment to primary studies not possible.

n.a.

Beeinträchtigungen. Lehrer*innenurteil

Fabiano et al., 2021

Population: children and adolescence with ADHD/ ODD, max. 18 years
Intervention: behavioral classroom management
Comparison: control group, between group study design

Impairment

Very low
 ⊕○○○
 (IC, IP, P)

$n = n.a., k = 2$
 $d = .72$
 CI (-.10 - 1.54)

U

Assignment to primary studies not possible.

n.a.

Beeinträchtigungen. Kliniker*innenurteil (Obs)

Fabiano et al., 2021

Population: children and adolescence with ADHD/ ODD, max. 18 years

Impairment

Very low
 ⊕○○○
 (IC, IP, P)

$n = n.a., k = 1$
 $d = .18$
 CI (-1.66 - 2.02)

U

Assignment to primary studies not possible.

n.a.

Intervention:
behavioral classroom
management
Comparison: control
group, between group
study design

Akademisches Engagement/Motivation

Veenman et al., 2018

Population: children
with ADHD and
ODD/CD symptoms, 6-
12 years
Intervention:
behavioral teacher/
classroom program
Comparison: waitlist,
treatment as usual,
other intervention

**On-task
behavior,
Clinical, at-risk
and community
samples**

Very low
⊕○○○
(R, IC, ID)

$n = 1658, k = 6$
 $d = .39$
CI (.21 - .57)

I

On-task behavior
defined as
academic
engagement time
(AET); percentage
of AET during
interval of 15 min

Observation

Lehrer*innenverhalten. Lehrer*innenurteil

**Teacher's
warmth and
closeness**

Very low
⊕○○○
(R, IC)

$n = 304, k = 6$
 $d = .48$
CI (.15 - .81)

I

TPOT, STRS

Aldabbagh et al., 2022

Population: children
with ADHD and
externalizing
behaviors, 2-13 years
Intervention: teacher
training
Comparison: waiting
list, treatment as
usual, other treatment

**Teacher's
conflict**

Low
⊕⊕○○
(R)

$n = 262, k = 5$
 $d = .19$
CI (.05 - .34)

I

STRS

**Teacher's
positive
strategies**

Very low
⊕○○○
(R, IC)

$n = 231, k = 8$
 $d = .71$
CI (.29 - 1.14)

I

MOOSES,
DPICS, TCIDOS,
CMSQ, TPOT,
CLASS, OREVS

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|---|---|---|---|---|--|
| <p>Ward et al., 2022.</p> <p>Population: children and adolescence with ADHD or identified as displaying ADHD-type behaviors</p> <p>Intervention: teacher training/ school intervention</p> <p>Comparison: waitlist control, alternative treatment, control group.</p> | <p>Teacher ADHD knowledge, Between subjects, Post-test</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC)</p> | <p>$n = 753, k = 6$ $SMD = 1.56$ $CI (.52 - 2.95)$</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Variety of measurement including vignettes, self-report questionnaire and blinded observations; data at FU for teacher knowledge between-group</p> | <p>Study own self-report questionnaires, KADDS, SRAQ teacher</p> |
| | <p>Teacher ADHD knowledge, Within subjects, Post-test</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, ID, P)</p> | <p>$n = 957, k = 16$ $SMD = 1.96$ $CI (1.48 - 2.43)$</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Variety of measurement including vignettes, self-report questionnaire and blinded observations</p> | <p>Study own self-report questionnaires, KADDS, SRAQ teacher</p> |
| | <p>Teacher ADHD knowledge, Within subjects, Follow-up</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC)</p> | <p>$n = 330, k = 5$ $SMD = -1.21$ $CI (-2.02 - -.41)$</p> <p>C</p> | <p>Variety of measurement including vignettes, self-report questionnaire and blinded observations</p> | <p>KADDS, SRAQ, own questionnaire</p> |

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen, k = Anzahl der inkludierten Primärstudien. R = risk of bias, IC = inconsistency, ID = indirectness, IP = imprecision, P = publication bias.

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Konsultationsphase

1.3.3.1. D

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Meta-Analysen

| Endpunktkategorien | MAs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|----------------------------------|-----|---|-------------------------------------|
| Aufmerksamkeit (KU) | 1 | 2 | Schwach - Moderat |
| Aufmerksamkeit (E) | 2 | 4 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (L) | 1 | 1 | |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität (KU) | 1 | 2 | |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität (E) | 1 | 3 | |
| Funktionalität (E) | 3 | 5 | |
| Funktionalität (L) | 2 | 2 | |
| Verhalten (E) | 1 | 3 | |
| Metakognition (E) | 1 | 3 | |

Anmerkung. MAs = Anzahl der Meta-Analysen, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: RCTs

| Endpunktkategorien | RCTs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|--|------|----|-------------------------------------|
| Allgemeine Symptome (E) | 1 | 2 | Schwach - Moderat |
| Allgemeine Symptome (L) | 1 | 2 | |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (E) | 2 | 6 | |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (L) | 2 | 6 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (E) | 3 | 7 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (L) | 2 | 6 | |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität (E) | 1 | 1 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (E) | 3 | 20 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (L) | 2 | 18 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (K) | 1 | 6 | |
| Internalisierende Symptome (E) | 2 | 6 | |
| Internalisierende Symptome (L) | 2 | 6 | |
| Organisationale Fähigkeiten (E) | 3 | 12 | |
| Organisationale Fähigkeiten (L) | 1 | 9 | |
| Hausaufgabenprobleme (E) | 2 | 10 | |
| Hausaufgabenprobleme (L) | 1 | 3 | |
| Andere funktionale Beeinträchtigungen | 2 | 13 | |
| Symptome der Langsamkeit, exzessiven Tagträumens und Schläfrigkeit (SCT) | 1 | 4 | |

Anmerkung. RCTs = Anzahl der randomisierten kontrollierten Studien, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: Meta-Analysen

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Aussagesicherheit (GRADE) | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Messinstrument |
|--|--|---------------------------------|--|---|---|
| Aufmerksamkeit. Kombiniertes Urteil | | | | | |
| Chen et al., 2021 | | | $n = 303, k = 6$ | | |
| Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (3 and 18 years and probably medicated) | Inattention symptoms, Working memory training | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $g = .04$ CI (-.23 - .32) | Parent- and clinician-rated | ADHD-RS, BRIEF, DBDR, Conners 3-P, CRS-P |
| Intervention: cognitive training or executive function training targeting domains of neuropsychological deficit | | | | | |
| Comparison: control: TAU; waiting list, active/placebo/sham (i.e., involving other computer based activities), or alternative training programs | | | | | |
| | | | $n = 381, k = 8$ | | |
| | Inattention symptoms, Multiple cognitive training | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $g = -.51$ CI (-.72 - -.29) | Parent- and clinician-rated | Conners 3-P, CRS-R, DBDRS, SNAP-IV, ADHD-RS |
| Aufmerksamkeit. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| Bikic et al., 2017 | | | | | |
| Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (5–18 years) | | | | | |
| Intervention: organizational skills training (OST) delivered by humans in face-to-face | Inattention | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 893, k = 10$ $g = .56$ CI (.38 - .74) | Visual analysis of funnel plot and Trim and Fill method suggests obtained point estimate is lower than “true” ES. Differences in format intervention: 2 individuals, 1 group+ individual and rest in group. | n.a. |
| Comparison: parent education, waitlist, treatment as usual (TAU) | | | | | |

Same about randomized trials included.

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|--|--|---------------------------------|--|---|---|
| Chen et al., 2021 | | | $n = 105, k = 1$ | | |
| Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (3 and 18 years and probably medicated) | Inattention, Attention intervention | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, IP) | $g = -1.46$ CI (-1.90 - -1.03) | | SNAP-IV, BRIEF |
| Intervention: cognitive training or executive function training targeting domains of neuropsychological deficit | | | | I | |
| Comparison: control: TAU; waiting list, active/placebo/sham (i.e., involving other computer based activities), or alternative training programs | Inattention symptoms, Working memory training | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 256, k = 5$ $g = .03$ CI (-.30 - .37) | | ADHD-RS, BRIEF, DBDR, Conners 3-P, CRS-R |
| | | | | U | |
| | Inattention symptoms, Multiple cognitive training | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 322, k = 7$ $g = -.48$ CI (-.70 - -.26) | | CRS-R, BRIEF, Conners 3-P, ADHD-RS, BRIEF, DBDRS, SNAP-IV, CPRS-R |
| | | | | I | |
| Aufmerksamkeit. Lehrer*innenurteil | | | | | |

| | | | | | |
|---|--------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|---|---|
| Bikic et al., 2017 | | | | | |
| Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (5–18 years) | | | $n = 590, k = 6$ | | |
| Intervention: organizational skills training (OST) delivered by humans in face-to-face | Inattention | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $g = .26$ CI (.01 - .52) | | Differences in format intervention: 2 individuals, 1 group+ individual and rest in group; same about randomized trials included |
| Comparison: parent education, waitlist, treatment as usual (TAU) | | | | I | DBD-Inattention subscale (k=4), SNAP-Inattention scale (k=1), or CSI-Inattention scale (k=1) |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität. Kombiniertes Urteil | | | | | |

Chen et al., 2021

Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (3 and 18 years and probably medicated)

Intervention: cognitive training or executive function training targeting domains of neuropsychological deficit

Comparison: control: TAU; waiting list, active/placebo/sham (i.e., involving other computer based activities), or alternative training programs

Hyperactivity/impulsivity symptoms, Working memory training

Very low
⊕○○○
(R, IC, IP)

$n = 303, k = 6$
 $g = .13$
CI (-.17 - .43)

Parent- and clinician-rated

ADHD-RS, BRIEF, DBDR, Conners 3-P, CRS-R

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Hyperactivity/impulsivity symptoms, Multiple cognitive training

Very low
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(R, IC)

$n = 381, k = 8$
 $g = -.31$
CI (-.52 - -.09)

Parent- and clinician-rated

ADHD-RS, BRIEF, DBDR, Conners 3-P, CRS-R, SNAP-IV

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Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität. Elternurteil

Chen et al., 2021

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Hyperactivity/impulsivity symptoms, Attention intervention

Very low
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(R, IP)

$n = 105, k = 1$
 $g = -.57$
CI (-.99 - .15)

SNAP-IV, BRIEF

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Hyperactivity/impulsivity symptoms, Working memory training

Very low
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(R, IC, IP)

$n = 256, k = 5$
 $g = .06$
CI (-.27 - .39)

ADHD-RS, BRIEF, DBDR, Conners 3-P, CRS-R

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Hyperactivity/impulsivity symptoms, Multiple cognitive training

Very low
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(R, IC,)

$n = 362, k = 7$
 $g = -.29$
CI (-.51 - .08)

CRS-R, BRIEF, ADHD-RS, Conners 3-P, SNAP-I, DBDRS, CPRS-R

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Funktionalität. Elternurteil

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| <p>Chen et al., 2021</p> <p>Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (3 and 18 years and probably medicated)</p> <p>Intervention: cognitive training or executive function training targeting domains of neuropsychological deficit</p> <p>Comparison: control: TAU; waiting list, active/placebo/sham (i.e., involving other computer based activities), or alternative training programs</p> | <p>Global executive composite (GEC), Attention training</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 105, k = 1$ $g = -.82$ CI (-1.22 - -.42)</p> | <p>BRIEF</p> | |
| <p>Global executive composite (GEC), Working memory training</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 244, k = 5$ $g = .09$ CI (-.16 - .34)</p> | <p>BRIEF</p> | | |
| <p>Global executive composite (GEC), Multiple cognitive training</p> | <p>Low ⊕⊕○○ (R)</p> | <p>$n = 399, k = 7$ $g = -.50$ CI (-.71 - -.29)</p> | <p>BRIEF</p> | | |
| <p>Bikic et al., 2017</p> <p>Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (5–18 years)</p> <p>Intervention: organizational skills training (OST) delivered by humans in face-to-face</p> <p>Comparison: parent education, waitlist, treatment as usual (TAU)</p> | <p>Organizational skills</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC)</p> | <p>$n = 697, k = 6$ $g = .83$ CI (.32 - 1.34)</p> | <p>Differences in format intervention: 2 individuals, 1 group+ individual and rest in group. RCTs and non-RCTs included</p> | <p>Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS), Homework Problem Checklist (HPC)-Materials Management Scale</p> |
| <p>Powell et al., 2022</p> <p>Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (<=18 years)</p> <p>Intervention: psychoeducational intervention focused on social skill development (undertaken in</p> | <p>Social skills</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 423, k = 5$ $SMD = .39$ CI (.19 - .59)</p> | <p>Only RCTs included</p> | <p>SSRS, SSIS, SCS</p> |

parents, child or teachers)

Comparison: “pure” control group diagnosed with ADHD

Funktionalität. Lehrer*innenurteil

Bikic et al., 2017

Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (5–18 years)

Intervention: organizational skills training (OST) delivered by humans in face-to-face

Comparison: parent education, waitlist, treatment as usual (TAU)

Organizational skills

Very low
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(R, IC)

$n = 445, k = 4$
 $g = .54$
CI (.17 - .91)



Differences in format intervention: 2 individuals, 1 group+ individual and rest in group. Same about randomized trials included.

DPICS, TCIDOS, TPOT, CCOF

Powell et al., 2022

Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (<=18 years)

Intervention: psychoeducational intervention focused on social skill development (undertaken in parents, child or teachers)

Comparison: “pure” control group diagnosed with ADHD

Social skills

Very low
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(R, IP)

$n = 329, k = 4$
 $SMD = .32$
CI (.10 - .54)



Only RCTs included

SSRS, SSIS, SCS

Verhalten. Elternurteil

Chen et al., 2021

Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (3 and 18)

Behavioral regulation index (BRI), Attention training

Very low
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(R, IP)

$n = 105, k = 1$
 $g = -.50$
CI (-.88 - -.10)

BRIEF

years and probably medicated)

Intervention:

cognitive training or executive function training targeting domains of neuropsychological deficit

Comparison: control: TAU; waiting list, active/placebo/sham (i.e., involving other computer based activities), or alternative training programs

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| | Behavioral regulation index (BRI), Working memory training | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 146, k = 3$ $g = .05$ CI (-.27 - .37) | U | BRIEF |
| | Behavioral regulation index (BRI), Multiple cognitive training | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (IP) | $n = 150, k = 2$ $g = -.21$ CI (-.58 - .16) | U | BRIEF |

Metakognition. Elternurteil

Chen et al., 2021

Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (3 and 18 years and probably medicated)

Intervention: cognitive training or executive function training targeting domains of neuropsychological deficit

Comparison: control: TAU; waiting list, active/placebo/sham (i.e., involving other computer based activities), or alternative training programs

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| | Metacognition index (MI), Attention training | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = 105, k = 1$ $g = -.90$ CI (-1.30 - -.50) | I | BRIEF |
| | Metacognition index (MI), Working memory training | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = 168, k = 3$ $g = .25$ CI (-.04 - .55) | U | BRIEF |
| | Metacognition index (MI), Multiple cognitive training | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R) | $n = 190, k = 3$ $g = -.51$ CI (-.83 - .19) | I | No significant effects on metacognition index but subgroup analysis similarly revealed significant effect for multiple cognitive |

training; p-value not reported

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen, k = Anzahl der inkludierten Primärstudien. R = risk of bias, IC = inconsistency, ID = indirectness, IP = imprecision, P = publication bias.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: RCTs

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Risk of Bias | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Messinstrument |
|--|---|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------|
| Allgemeine Symptome. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| Döpfner et al., 2004 Population: children with ADHD (6-10 years) Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE. III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. IV: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE Comparison: no control group | Total symptoms, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (PE/BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | n = 37 d = 1.0 CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | PSC |
| | Total symptoms, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (MED + PE/BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | n = 38 d = .9 CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | PSC |
| Allgemeine Symptome. Lehrer*innenurteil | | | | | |
| Döpfner et al., 2004 Population: children with ADHD (6-10 years) Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE. III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. IV: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE Comparison: no control group | Total symptoms, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (PE/BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | n = 37 d = .8 CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | TSC |
| | Total symptoms, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (MED + PE/BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | n = 38 d = 1.8 CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | TSC |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Elternurteil | | | | | |

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| Döpfner et al., 2004 | ADHD symptoms, Within group, Phase I | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | n = 75 d = 1.0 CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | PSC-ADHD |
| Population: children with ADHD (6-10 years) Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE. III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. IV: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE Comparison: no control group | ADHD symptoms, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (PE/BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | n = 37 d = 1.1 CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | PSC-ADHD |
| | ADHD symptoms, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (MED + PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | n = 38 d = 1.0 CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | PSC-ADHD |
| Döpfner et al., 2014 | ADHD symptoms, Within group Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | n = 34 d = .18 CI (n.a.) | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; Clinical implication based on p-value | FBB-ADHS |

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| <p>BT+PE. FU: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE Comparison: no control</p> | <p>ADHD symptoms, Within group, Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 32$ $d = .10$ CI (n.a.)</p> | <p>U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>FBB-ADHS</p> |
| | <p>ADHD symptoms, Within group, Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 66$ $d = .14$ CI (n.a.)</p> | <p>U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>FBB-ADHS</p> |
| <p>ADHS Symptome gesamt. Lehrer*innenurteil</p> | | | | | | |
| <p>Döpfner et al., 2004</p> | <p>ADHD symptoms, Within whole group, Phase I</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 75$ $d = 1.2$ CI (n.a.)</p> | <p>I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>TSC-ADHD</p> |
| <p>Population: children with ADHD (6-10 years) Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE. III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. IV: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE Comparison: no control group</p> | <p>ADHD symptoms, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (PE/ BT)</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 37$ $d = 1.0$ CI (n.a.)</p> | <p>I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>TSC-ADHD</p> |
| | <p>ADHD symptoms, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (MED + PE/ BT)</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 38$ $d = 2.0$ CI (n.a.)</p> | <p>I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>TSC-ADHD</p> |
| <p>Döpfner et al., 2014</p> | <p>ADHD symptoms, Within group (no medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 25$ $d = .18$ CI (n.a.)</p> | <p>U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up,</p> | <p>FBB-ADHS</p> |

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| <p>or ICD-10 criteria for ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE: III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. FU: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE</p> <p>Comparison: no control</p> | | | | <p>indicating treatment effects were maintained; Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | |
| <p>ADHD symptoms, Within group (medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 28$ $d = -.61$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | FBB-ADHS | |
| <p>ADHD symptoms, Within group (medication and no medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 53$ $d = -.31$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | FBB-ADHS | |
| Aufmerksamkeit. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| Curtis et al., 2021 | | | | | |
| <p>Population: children 8-12 years with (ADHD) combined type</p> <p>Intervention: structured Dyadic Behavior Therapy (SDBT)</p> <p>Comparison: Child-Centered Dyadic Therapy (CCDT), nondirective, experiential psychotherapy without contingency management methods</p> | <p>Inattention, Between group, Posttreatment</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP)</p> | <p>$n = 39$ $ES = .24$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>Parent ratings on DBRS</p> |
| Döpfner et al., 2004 | | | | | |
| <p>Population: children with ADHD (6-10 years)</p> <p>Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II:</p> | <p>Attention problems, Within whole group, Phase I</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 75$ $d = .9$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>CBCL Attention</p> |

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| MED+PE or BT+PE. III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. IV: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE Comparison: no control group | Attention problems, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 37$ $d = 1.0$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL Attention |
| | Attention problems, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (MED + PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 38$ $d = .8$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL Attention |
| Döpfner et al., 2014 Population: 6-10 year olds in 1.-4. Grade with nonverbal IQ ≥ 80 meeting the DSM-III-R or ICD-10 criteria for ADHD Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE: III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. FU: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE Comparison: no control | Attention problems, Within group (no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 34$ $d = -.02$ CI (n.a.) U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL Attention |
| | Attention problems, Within group (medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 32$ $d = .06$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL Attention |
| | Attention problems, Within group (medication and no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 66$ $d = .02$ CI (n.a.) U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL Attention |
| Aufmerksamkeit. Lehrer*innenurteil | | | | | |
| Döpfner et al., 2004 Population: children with ADHD (6-10 years) Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: | Attention problems, Within whole group, Phase I | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 75$ $d = 1.1$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value | TRF Attention Problems |

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|--|---|--|---|---|-------------------------------|
| <p>MED+PE or BT+PE. III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. IV: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE Comparison: no control group</p> | <p>Attention problems, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (PE/ BT)</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 37$ $d = .7$ CI (n.a.) I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>TRF Attention</p> |
| | <p>Attention problems, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (MED + PE/ BT)</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 38$ $d = 1.2$ CI (n.a.) I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>TRF Attention</p> |
| <p>Döpfner et al., 2014 Population: 6-10 year olds in 1.-4. Grade with nonverbal IQ ≥ 80 meeting the DSM-III-R or ICD-10 criteria for ADHD Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE: III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. FU: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE Comparison: no control</p> | <p>Attention problems, Within group (no medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 25$ $d = .22$ CI (n.a.) U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>TRF Attention</p> |
| | <p>Attention problems, Within group (medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 28$ $d = -.42$ CI (n.a.) U</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>TRF Attention</p> |
| | <p>Attention problems, Within group (medication and no medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 53$ $d = -.14$ CI (n.a.) U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>TRF Attention</p> |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| <p>Curtis et al., 2021 Population: children 8-12 years with (ADHD) combined type Intervention: structured Dyadic Behavior Therapy (SDBT)</p> | <p>Hyperactivity/impulsivity, Between group, Posttreatment</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP)</p> | <p>$n = 39$ $ES = .38$ CI (n.a.) I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>Parent ratings on DBRS</p> |

Comparison: Child-Centered Dyadic Therapy (CCDT), nondirective, experiential psychotherapy without contingency management methods

Verhaltensprobleme. Elternurteil

Curtis et al., 2021

Population: children 8-12 years with (ADHD) combined type
 Intervention: structured Dyadic Behavior Therapy (SDBT)
 Comparison: Child-Centered Dyadic Therapy (CCDT), nondirective, experiential psychotherapy without contingency management methods

Behavioral symptoms (overall),
 Between group, Posttreatment

Very high risk
 ●
 (CC, BP)

$n = 39$
 $ES = .39$
 CI (n.a.)

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Study design:
 With regard to small sample size, sufficient statistical power achieved to assess differences between two groups in pilot study; clinical implication based on p-value

Parent ratings on DBRS

Oppositionality, Between group, Posttreatment

Very high risk
 ●
 (CC, BP)

$n = 39$
 $ES = .24$
 CI (n.a.)

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Clinical implication based on p-value

Parent ratings on DBRS

Döpfner et al., 2004

Population: children with ADHD (6-10 years)
 Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE. III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. IV: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE
 Comparison: no control group

ODD/CS symptoms, Within whole group, Phase I

Very high risk
 ●
 (CC, BP, BA)

$n = 75$
 $d = .5$
 CI (n.a.)

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Clinical implication based on p-value

PSC-ODD/CD

ODD symptoms, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (PE/ BT)

Very high risk
 ●
 (CC, BP, BA)

$n = 37$
 $d = .7$
 CI (n.a.)

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Clinical implication based on p-value

PSC-ODD/CD

ODD symptoms, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (MED + PE/ BT)

Very high risk
 ●
 (CC, BP, BA)

$n = 38$
 $d = .4$
 CI (n.a.)

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Clinical implication based on p-value

PSC-ODD/CD

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| | Behavior problems, Within whole group, Phase I | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 75$ $d = 1.0$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value | IPC-P |
| | Behavior problems, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 37$ $d = 1.0$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value | IPC-P |
| | Behavior problems, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (MED + PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 38$ $d = 1.1$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value | IPC-P |
| | Externalizing, Within whole group, Phase I | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 75$ $d = 1.0$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL Externalizing Problems |
| | Externalizing, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 37$ $d = 1.1$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL Externalizing |
| | Externalizing, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (MED + PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 38$ $d = .8$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL Externalizing |
| Döpfner et al., 2014 | ODD symptoms, Within group (no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 34$ $d = -.2$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value | FBB-SSV |
| Population: 6-10 year olds in 1.-4. Grade with nonverbal IQ ≥ 80 meeting the DSM-III-R or ICD-10 criteria for ADHD | ODD symptoms, Within group (medication at FU), | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 32$ $d = -.11$ CI (n.a.) | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest | FBB-SSV |
| Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE: III: | | | | | |

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|---|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------|--|---------|
| MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. FU: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE Comparison: no control | Post-FU | | U | and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | |
| ODD symptoms, Within group (medication and no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 66$ $d = -.16$ CI (n.a.) | U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | FBB-SSV |
| Total child behavior, Within group (no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 34$ $d = .03$ CI (n.a.) | U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL |
| Total child behavior, Within group (medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 32$ $d = .01$ CI (n.a.) | U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL |
| Total child behavior, Within group (medication and no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 66$ $d = .02$ CI (n.a.) | U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; | CBCL |

| Verhaltensprobleme. Lehrer*innenurteil | | | | | |
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| | | | | clinical implication based on p-value | |
| | Externalizing behavior, Within group (no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 34$ $d = .01$ CI (n.a.) U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL Externalizing |
| | Externalizing behavior, Within group (medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 32$ $d = .03$ CI (n.a.) U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL Externalizing |
| | Externalizing behavior, Within group (medication and no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 66$ $d = .02$ CI (n.a.) U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL Externalizing |
| Döpfner et al., 2004 | ODD/CS symptoms, Within whole group, Phase I | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 75$ $d = .7$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value | TSC-ODD |
| Population: children with ADHD (6-10 years) Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE. III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. IV: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE | ODD symptoms, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (PE/BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 37$ $d = .3$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | TSC-ODD/CD |

Comparison: no control group

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| ODD symptoms, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (MED + PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 38$ $d = 1.0$ CI (n.a.) | I | Clinical implication based on p-value | TSC-ODD/CD |
| Behavior problems, Within whole group, Phase I | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 75$ $d = 1.1$ CI (n.a.) | I | Clinical implication based on p-value | IPC-T |
| Behavior problems, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 37$ $d = .9$ CI (n.a.) | I | Clinical implication based on p-value | IPC-T |
| Behavior problems, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (MED + PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 38$ $d = 1.4$ CI (n.a.) | I | Clinical implication based on p-value | IPC-T |
| Externalizing, Within whole group, Phase I | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 75$ $d = .9$ CI (n.a.) | I | Clinical implication based on p-value | TRF Externalizing Problems |
| Externalizing, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 37$ $d = .5$ CI (n.a.) | I | Clinical implication based on p-value | TRF Externalizing |
| Externalizing, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (MED + PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 38$ $d = 1.2$ CI (n.a.) | I | Clinical implication based on p-value | TRF Externalizing |

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| | <p>ODD symptoms, Within group (no medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 25$ $d = -.16$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>FBB-SSV</p> |
| <p>Döpfner et al., 2014</p> <p>Population: 6-10 year olds in 1.-4. Grade with nonverbal IQ ≥ 80 meeting the DSM-III-R or ICD-10 criteria for ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE: III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. FU: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE</p> <p>Comparison: no control</p> | <p>ODD symptoms, Within group (medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 28$ $d = -.30$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>FBB-SSV</p> |
| | <p>ODD symptoms, Within group (medication and no medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 53$ $d = -.21$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>FBB-SSV</p> |
| | <p>Total child behavior, Within group (no medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 25$ $d = .14$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>TRF</p> |
| | <p>Total child behavior, Within group (medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 28$ $d = -.36$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up,</p> | <p>TRF</p> |

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| Total child behavior, Within group (medication and no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 53$ $d = -.11$ CI (n.a.) U | | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | TRF |
| Externalizing behavior, Within group (no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 25$ $d = .09$ CI (n.a.) U | | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | TRF Externalizing |
| Externalizing behavior, Within group (medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 28$ $d = -.29$ CI (n.a.) U | | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | TRF Externalizing |
| Externalizing behavior, Within group (medication and no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 53$ $d = -.11$ CI (n.a.) U | | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | TRF Externalizing |

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| Döpfner et al., 2014 | <p>Behavior at home, Within group (no medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 34$ $d = .01$ CI (n.a.)</p> | <p>U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>8-item scale constructed, measuring children's behavior at home; completed by child's therapist based on parent interview data</p> |
| <p>Population: 6-10 year olds in 1.-4. Grade with nonverbal IQ ≥ 80 meeting the DSM-III-R or ICD-10 criteria for ADHD Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE: III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. FU: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE Comparison: no control</p> | <p>Behavior at home, Within group (medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 32$ $d = -.01$ CI (n.a.)</p> | <p>U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>8-item scale constructed, measuring children's behavior at home; completed by child's therapist based on parent interview data</p> |
| | <p>Behavior at home, Within group (medication and no medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 66$ $d = .00$ CI (n.a.)</p> | <p>U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>8-item scale constructed, measuring children's behavior at home; completed by child's therapist based on parent interview data</p> |
| | <p>Behavior at school, Within group (no medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 25$ $d = .07$ CI (n.a.)</p> | <p>U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>8-item scale constructed, measuring children's behavior at home; completed by child's therapist based on parent interview data</p> |
| | <p>Behavior at school,</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 28$ $d = .18$ CI (n.a.)</p> | | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly</p> | <p>8-item scale constructed, measuring children's</p> |

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| | Within group (medication at FU), Post-FU | | U | between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | behavior at home; completed by child's therapist based on parent interview data |
| | Behavior at school, Within group (medication and no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | n = 53 d = .13 CI (n.a.) U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | 8-item scale constructed, measuring children's behavior at home; completed by child's therapist based on parent interview data |
| Internalisierende Symptome. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| Döpfner et al., 2004 | Internalizing, Within whole group, Phase I | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | n = 75 d = .6 CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL Internalizing Problems |
| Population: children with ADHD (6-10 years) Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE. III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. IV: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE Comparison: no control group | Internalizing, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | n = 37 d = .5 CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL Internalizing Problems |
| | Internalizing, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (MED + PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | n = 38 d = .6 CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL Internalizing Problems |
| Döpfner et al., 2014 | Internalizing behavior, Within group (no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | n = 34 d = .01 CI (n.a.) U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; | CBCL Internalizing |

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| <p>Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE. III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. FU: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE</p> <p>Comparison: no control</p> | <p>Internalizing behavior, Within group (medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 32$</p> <p>$d = -.06$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>clinical implication based on p-value</p> <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>CBCL Internalizing</p> |
| | <p>Internalizing behavior, Within group (medication and no medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 66$</p> <p>$d = -.02$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>CBCL Internalizing</p> |
| <p>Internalisierende Symptome. Lehrer*innenurteil</p> | | | | | |
| <p>Döpfner et al., 2004</p> | <p>Internalizing, Within whole group, Phase I</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 75$</p> <p>$d = .3$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>TRF Internalizing</p> |
| <p>Population: children with ADHD (6-10 years)</p> <p>Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE. III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. IV: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE</p> <p>Comparison: no control group</p> | <p>Internalizing, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (PE/ BT)</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 37$</p> <p>$d = .3$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>TRF Internalizing</p> |
| | <p>Internalizing, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (MED + PE/ BT)</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 38$</p> <p>$d = .6$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>TRF Internalizing</p> |
| <p>Döpfner et al., 2014</p> | <p>Internalizing behavior,</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 25$</p> <p>$d = .27$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly</p> | <p>TRF Internalizing</p> |

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| Population: 6-10 year olds in 1.-4. Grade with nonverbal IQ \geq 80 meeting the DSM-III-R or ICD-10 criteria for ADHD Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE: III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. FU: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE Comparison: no control | Within group (no medication at FU), Post-FU | | U | between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | |
| | Internalizing behavior, Within group (medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 28$ $d = -.08$ CI (n.a.) U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | TRF Internalizing |
| | Internalizing behavior, Within group (medication and no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 53$ $d = .08$ CI (n.a.) U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | TRF Internalizing |
| Organisatorische Fähigkeiten. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| DuPaul et al., 2018 Population: middle School Students with ADHD Intervention: Challenging Horizons Program Comparison: community care | Organization skills: task planning | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 130$ $d = -.4$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value of group x time interaction | Children's organizational skill scale (COSS) |
| | Organization skills: organizing actions | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 130$ $d = -.58$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value of group x time interaction | Children's organizational skill scale (COSS) |
| Harrison et al., 2020 Population: students (11-15 years old) with ADHD | Binder organization | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID, UM) | $n = 55$ $partial \eta^2 = .23$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value of | Observation |

Intervention:
 organization training,
 self-management, note-
 taking
Comparison:
 accomodations
 (organization support,
 extended time, copy of
 theacher notes)

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group x time
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**Task planning,
 HOPS vs. CHIEF**

Very high risk
 ●
 (BP, BA)

n = 274
d = -.05
 CI (n.a.)

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Clinical
 implication based
 on significance of
 pairwise
 comparisons

Children's
 Organizational
 Skills Scale
 (COSS)

**Task planning,
 HOPS vs. WLC**

Very high risk
 ●
 (BP, BA)

n = 274
d = -.79
 CI (n.a.)

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Clinical
 implication based
 on significance of
 pairwise
 comparisons

Children's
 Organizational
 Skills Scale
 (COSS)

Langeberg et al., 2017

Population: middle
 school students with
 ADHD
Intervention:
 Homework,
 Organization and
 Planning Skills (HOPS) or
 Completing Homework
 by Improving
 Efficiency and Focus
 (CHIEF)
Comparison:
 HOPS/CHIEF/Waiting
 List

**Task planning,
 CHIEF vs. WLC**

Very high risk
 ●
 (BP, BA)

n = 274
d = -.72
 CI (n.a.)

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Clinical
 implication based
 on significance of
 pairwise
 comparisons

Children's
 Organizational
 Skills Scale
 (COSS)

**Organized
 actions,
 HOPS vs. CHIEF**

Very high risk
 ●
 (BP, BA)

n = 274
d = -.68
 CI (n.a.)

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Clinical
 implication based
 on significance of
 pairwise
 comparisons

Children's
 Organizational
 Skills Scale
 (COSS)

**Organized
 actions,
 HOPS vs. WLC**

Very high risk
 ●
 (BP, BA)

n = 274
d = -1.14
 CI (n.a.)

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Clinical
 implication based
 on significance of
 pairwise
 comparisons

Children's
 Organizational
 Skills Scale
 (COSS)

**Organized
 actions,
 CHIEF vs. WLC**

Very high risk
 ●
 (BP, BA)

n = 274
d = -.46
 CI (n.a.)

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Clinical
 implication based
 on significance of
 pairwise
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Children's
 Organizational
 Skills Scale
 (COSS)

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| Material management, HOPS vs. CHIEF | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274$ $d = -.24$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS) |
| Material management, HOPS vs. WLC | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274$ $d = -.81$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS) |
| Material management, CHIEF vs. WLC | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274$ $d = -.57$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS) |

Organisationale Fähigkeiten. Lehrer*innenurteil

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| | Task planning, HOPS vs. CHIEF | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 274$ $d = -.02$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS) |
| Langeberg et al., 2017 Population: middle school students with ADHD Intervention: Homework, Organization and Planning Skills (HOPS) or Completing Homework by Improving Efficiency and Focus (CHIEF) Comparison: HOPS/CHIEF/Waiting List | Task planning, HOPS vs. WLC | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 274$ $d = -.06$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS) |
| | Task planning, CHIEF vs. WLC | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 274$ $d = -.09$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS) |
| | Organized actions, HOPS vs. CHIEF | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 274$ $d = -.43$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS) |
| | Organized actions, HOPS vs. WLC | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 274$ $d = -.55$ | Clinical implication based | Children's Organizational |

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| | | | CI (n.a.) | on significance of pairwise comparisons | Skills Scale (COSS) |
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| Organized actions, CHIEF vs. WLC | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 274$ $d = -.09$ CI (n.a.) | U | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS) |
| Material management, HOPS vs. CHIEF | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 274$ $d = -.3$ CI (n.a.) | U | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS) |
| Material management, HOPS vs. WLC | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 274$ $d = -.53$ CI (n.a.) | I | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS) |
| Material management, CHIEF vs. WLC | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 274$ $d = -.18$ CI (n.a.) | U | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS) |

Hausaufgabenprobleme. Elternurteil

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| DuPaul et al., 2018 | | | | | |
| Population: middle School Students with ADHD | | | | | |
| Intervention: Challenging Horizons Program | | | | | |
| Comparison: community care | | | | | |
| Homework problems | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 130$ $d = -.44$ CI (n.a.) | I | Clinical implication based on p-value of group x time interaction | Homework problems checklist (HPC) |
| Langeberg et al., 2017 | | | | | |
| Population: middle school students with ADHD | | | | | |
| Homework problems total, HOPS vs. CHIEF | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274$ $d = .21$ CI (n.a.) | U | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Homework problems checklist (HPC) |

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| Intervention: Homework, Organization and Planning Skills (HOPS) or Completing Homework by Improving Efficiency and Focus (CHIEF) Comparison: HOPS/CHIEF/Waiting List | Homework problems total, HOPS vs. WLC | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274$ $d = 1.29$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Homework problems checklist (HPC) |
| | Homework problems total, CHIEF vs. WLC | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274$ $d = 1.08$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Homework problems checklist (HPC) |
| | Homework completion behavior, HOPS vs. CHIEF | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274$ $d = -.19$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Homework problems checklist (HPC) |
| | Homework completion behavior, HOPS vs. WLC | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274$ $d = -1.27$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Homework problems checklist (HPC) |
| | Homework completion behavior, CHIEF vs. WLC | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274$ $d = -1.06$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Homework problems checklist (HPC) |
| | Homework material management, HOPS vs. CHIEF | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274$ $d = .07$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Homework problems checklist (HPC) |
| | Homework material management, HOPS vs. WLC | Very high risk ● (BP, ID) | $n = 274$ $d = -.87$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Homework problems checklist (HPC) |
| | Homework material management, CHIEF vs. WLC | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274$ $d = -.94$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on significance of | Homework problems checklist (HPC) |

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| Langeberg et al., 2017 Population: middle school students with ADHD Intervention: Homework, Organization and Planning Skills (HOPS) or Completing Homework by Improving Efficiency and Focus (CHIEF) Comparison: HOPS/CHIEF/Waiting List | Homework problems total, HOPS vs. CHIEF | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 274$ $d = -.1$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Homework problems checklist (HPC) |
| | Homework problems total, HOPS vs. WLC | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 274$ $d = -.15$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Homework problems checklist (HPC) |
| | Homework problems total, CHIEF vs. WLC | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 274$ $d = -.05$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Homework problems checklist (HPC) |
| Andere funktionale Beeinträchtigungen | | | | | |
| DuPaul et al., 2018 Population: middle School Students with ADHD Intervention: Challenging Horizons Program Comparison: community care | Academic problems | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 130$ $d = -.53$ CI (n.a.) I | Parent-rated; Clinical implication based on p-value of group x time interaction | Adolescent academic problems checklist (AAPC) |
| | GPA, Last measurement point | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 130$ $d = .06$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value of group x time interaction | n.a. |
| | Reading skills | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 130$ $d = .37$ CI (n.a.) I | Investigator rated; Clinical implication based on p-value of group differences | Woodcock-Johnson achievement test |
| | Maths skills | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 130$ $d = -.34$ CI (n.a.) | Investigator-rated; Clinical implication based | Woodcock-Johnson achievement test |

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|---|---|--|--|-----------------------------------|
| Writing skills | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 130$ $d = -.18$ CI (n.a.) U | Investigator-rated; Clinical implication based on p-value of group differences | Woodcock-Johnson achievement test |
| Engagement (in science lesson) | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID, UM) | $n = 55$ <i>parial</i> $\eta^2 = .07$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value of group x time effects | Observation |
| Engagement (in independent practice) | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID, UM) | $n = 55$ <i>parial</i> $\eta^2 = .07$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value of group x time effects | Observation |
| Harrison et al., 2020 | | | | |
| Population: students (11-15 years old) with ADHD | | | | |
| Intervention: organization training, self-management, note-taking | | | | |
| Comparison: accomodations (organization support, extended time, copy of teacher notes) | | | | |
| Disruption (in science lesson) | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, UM) | $n = 55$ <i>parial</i> $\eta^2 = .06$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value of group x time effects | Observation |
| Disruption (in independent practice) | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID, UM) | $n = 55$ <i>parial</i> $\eta^2 = .07$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value of group x time effects | Observation |
| Completion of notes (in science lesson) | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID, UM) | $n = 55$ <i>parial</i> $\eta^2 = .42$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value of group x time effects | Observation |
| Completion of notes (in independent practice) | Very high risk ● (BP, BA; ID, UM) | $n = 55$ <i>parial</i> $\eta^2 = .06$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value of group x time effects | Observation |

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|---|--|---|--|--|--|
| | Accuracy of notes (in science lesson) | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID, UM) | $n = 55$ $parial \eta^2 = .51$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value of group x time effects | Observation |
| | Accuracy of notes (in independent practice) | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID, UM) | $n = 55$ $parial \eta^2 = .1$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value of group x time effects | Observation |
| Langsamkeits-, exzessive Tagträumens- und Schläfrigkeits-Symptome (SCT) | | | | | |
| | Sluggish cognitive tempo (SCT) all, Group x time | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274^*$ $d = .410$ CI (n.a.) I | *n analysed not reported. Clinical implication based on p value | SCT includes symptoms of slowness, excessive daydreaming, and drowsiness |
| Smith et al. (2020) | Sluggish cognitive tempo (SCT) all, Group x time | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274^*$ $d = .313$ CI (n.a.) U | *n analysed not reported. Clinical implication based on p value | SCT includes symptoms of slowness, excessive daydreaming, and drowsiness |
| Population: young adolescents (mean age not specified) diagnosed with ADHD Intervention: organizational skills and homework completion interventions Comparison: waitlist control group | High score of sluggish cognitive tempo (SCT), Group x time | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 203^*$ $d = .517$ CI (n.a.) I | *n analysed not reported, here 74% of total. Clinical implication based on p value | SCT includes symptoms of slowness, excessive daydreaming, and drowsiness |
| | High score of sluggish cognitive tempo (SCT), Group x time | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 149^*$ $d = .384$ CI (n.a.) U | *n analysed not reported, here 74% of total. Clinical implication based on p value | SCT includes symptoms of slowness, excessive daydreaming, and drowsiness |

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen. SG = sequence generation, CC = concealment, BP = blinding participants, BA = blinding assessors, ID = incomplete data, OR = outcome reporting, CE = carry over effects, SX = stopped early, UM = unvalidated measures, OI = other issues.

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1.3.3.2. In welchem Format, in welcher Intensität und mit welchen Inhalten sollten Eltern- und Lehrkräftetrainings bzw. –beratungen bei Kindern und Jugendlichen ab dem Schulalter angeboten werden?

1.3.3.2 A

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Meta-Analysen

| Endpunktkategorien | MAs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|-----------------------------------|-----|----|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (KU) | 2 | 2 | Schwach - Moderat |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (E) | 2 | 2 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (KU) | 1 | 1 | |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität (KU) | 1 | 1 | |
| ADHS Symptomverbesserung (KL) | 1 | 1 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (KU) | 2 | 2 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (E) | 2 | 2 | |
| Emotionale Probleme (E) | 1 | 1 | |
| Funktionalität (E) | 2 | 2 | |
| Lebensqualität (E) | 1 | 1 | |
| ADHS Wissen (E) | 1 | 1 | |
| ADHS Wissen (S) | 1 | 1 | |
| Elterliche mentale Gesundheit (E) | 3 | 5 | |
| Erziehungsverhalten (KU) | 1 | 2 | |
| Erziehungsverhalten (E) | 3 | 10 | |
| Eltern-Kind-Beziehung (KU) | 1 | 1 | |

Anmerkung. MAs = Anzahl der Meta-Analysen, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: RCTs

| Endpunktkategorien | RCTS | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|------------------------------------|------|----|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (E) | 7 | 10 | Schwach - Moderat |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (L) | 2 | 2 | |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (KL) | 2 | 2 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (E) | 7 | 15 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (L) | 1 | 1 | |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität (E) | 7 | 15 | |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität (L) | 1 | 1 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (E) | 11 | 48 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (L) | 2 | 2 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (KL) | 2 | 2 | |
| Internalisierende Symptome (E) | 3 | 5 | |
| Funktionale Beeinträchtigungen (E) | 8 | 21 | |

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|-----------------------------------|---|----|
| Symptomverbesserung (E) | 1 | 1 |
| Lebensqualität (E) | 3 | 7 |
| Lebensqualität (S) | 1 | 1 |
| Physische Aktivität (T) | 1 | 1 |
| Schlaf (KU) | 1 | 2 |
| Elterliche mentale Gesundheit (E) | 1 | 4 |
| Erziehungsverhalten (E) | 8 | 27 |
| Eltern-Kind-Beziehung (E) | 1 | 1 |

Anmerkung. RCTs = Anzahl der randomisierten kontrollierten Studien, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: Meta-Analysen

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Aussagesicherheit (GRADE) | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Mess-instrument |
|--|--|---|---|--|--|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Kombiniertes Urteil | | | | | |
| Dahl et al., 2020 | | | | | |
| <p>Population: youth (ages 5–17) diagnosed with ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: psychoeducation-based interventions in combination with other treatment modality or alone, delivered to parents or teachers of children</p> <p>Comparison: Individual counseling, parent support, TAU, no control group, placebo pill and psychoeducation</p> | ADHD symptoms | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R) | $n = 956, k = 7$ $g = .787$ CI (.457 - 1.116) | Parent- and teacher-ratings; psychoeducation interventions: any professionally-delivered treatment modality that integrated both psychotherapeutic and educational material into didactic sessions | ADHD-RS-IV, ADHD symptoms (Symptom Checklist), Conners' Rating Scales, Conners' Global Index |
| Hornstra et al., 2023 | | | | | |
| <p>Population: parents of children and adolescents with ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: Individual parent training</p> | ADHD total symptoms, Individual BPT vs. group BPT | Not applicable due to missing information | $n = n.a., k = 26$ $\beta = .27$ CI (.00 - .53) | β_1 indicates change in standardized mean difference when technique increases with one unit | n.a. |

Comparison: group parent training

ADHS Symptome gesamt. Elternurteil

Leijten et al., 2018

Population: children with conduct problems, 1-12 years

Intervention: Incredible Years parenting program

Comparison: control condition, waitlist

ADHD symptoms

Moderate
⊕⊕⊕○
(P)

$n = 1532, k = 11$
 $SMD = -.30$
 $CI (-.44 - -.17)$

SDQ (1 study: PACS converted in SDQ)



Aufmerksamkeit. Kombiniertes Urteil

Hornstra et al., 2023

Population: parents of children and adolescents with ADHD

Intervention: Individual parent training

Comparison: group parent training

Inattention, Individual BPT vs. group BPT

Not applicable due to missing information

$n = n.a., k = 17$
 $\beta = .29$
 $CI (-.11 - .69)$

β_1 indicates change in standardized mean difference when technique increases with one unit

n.a.



Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität. Kombiniertes Urteil

Hornstra et al., 2023

Population: parents of children and adolescents with ADHD

Intervention: Individual parent training

Comparison: group parent training

Hyp./Imp., Individual BPT vs. group BPT

Not applicable due to missing information

$n = n.a., k = 17$
 $\beta = .55$
 $CI (.10 - 1.00)$

β_1 indicates change in standardized mean difference when technique increases with one unit

n.a.



Symptomsverbesserung. Kliniker*innenurteil

Dahl et al., 2020

Population: youth (ages 5–17) diagnosed with ADHD

Intervention: psychoeducation-based interventions in combination with other treatment modality or alone, delivered to parents or teachers of children

Comparison: Individual counseling, parent support, TAU, no control group, placebo pill and psychoeducation

Global symptom improvement

Moderate
⊕⊕⊕○
(R)

$n = 168, k = 2$
 $g = .578$
CI (.272 - .885)

I

CGI, CGI-I

Verhaltensprobleme. Kombiniertes Urteil

Dahl et al., 2020

Population: youth (ages 5–17) diagnosed with ADHD

Intervention: psychoeducation-based interventions in combination with other treatment modality or alone, delivered to parents or teachers of children

Comparison: Individual counseling, parent support, TAU, no control group, placebo pill and psychoeducation

Behavioral problems

Low
⊕⊕○○
(R)

$n = 568, k = 5$
 $g = .466$
CI (.158 - .774)

I

Parent- and teacher-ratings

CBCL, SDQ, EPC, SPI, FTF

Hornstra et al., 2023

Population: parents of children and adolescents with ADHD

Intervention: Individual parent training

Behavioral problems, Individual BPT vs. group BPT

Not applicable due to missing information

$n = n.a., k = 21$
 $\beta = -.09$
CI (-.35 - .18)

U

β_1 indicates change in standardized mean difference when technique increases with one unit

n.a.

Comparison: group parent training

Verhaltensprobleme. Elternurteil

Leijten et al., 2018

Population: children with conduct problems, 1-12 years
Intervention: Incredible Years parenting program
Comparison: control condition, waitlist

Conduct problems

Moderate
 ⊕⊕⊕○
 (P)

$n = 1622, k = 13$
 $SMD = -.35$
 $CI (-.51 - -.19)$

I

Ten studies (prevention or treatment trials) 70% of the children scored above clinical cut-off on ECBI, four studies (selective prevention trials for high-risk families) 30% of children scored above

ECBI (for 2 studies PACS was converted in ECBI)

Emotionale Probleme. Elternurteil

Leijten et al., 2018

Population: children with conduct problems, 1-12 years
Intervention: Incredible Years parenting program
Comparison: control condition, waitlist

Emotional problems

Low
 ⊕⊕○○
 (IP, P)

$n = 1340, k = 10$
 $SMD = -.06$
 $CI (-.18 - .06)$

U

SDQ (for 2 studies CBCL converted in SDQ)

Funktionalität. Elternurteil

Dahl et al., 2020

Population: youth (ages 5–17) diagnosed with ADHD
Intervention: psychoeducation-based interventions in combination with other treatment modality or alone, delivered to parents or teachers of children

Global functioning

Very low
 ⊕○○○
 (R, IP)

$n = 387, k = 3$
 $g = .397$
 $CI (-.01 - .808)$

U

CGAS, Weiss Functional Impairment Rating Scale, WFIRS-P

Comparison:

Individual counseling,
parent support, TAU,
no control group,
placebo pill and
psychoeducation

Lebensqualität. Elternurteil

Dahl et al., 2020

Population: youth
(ages 5–17) diagnosed
with ADHD

Intervention:
psychoeducation-
based interventions in
combination with
other treatment
modality or alone,
delivered to parents or
teachers of children

Comparison:
Individual counseling,
parent support, TAU,
no control group,
placebo pill and
psychoeducation

Quality of life

Moderate
⊕⊕⊕○
(IP)

$n = 180, k = 2$
 $g = .119$
CI (-.174 - .412)

U

EQ-5D, CHIP-CE

ADHS Wissen. Elternurteil

Dahl et al., 2020

Population: youth
(ages 5–17) diagnosed
with ADHD

Intervention:
psychoeducation-
based interventions in
combination with
other treatment
modality or alone,
delivered to parents or
teachers of children

Comparison:
Individual counseling,
parent support, TAU,
no control group,
placebo pill and
psychoeducation

Parent-teacher's
knowledge of
ADHD

Very low
⊕○○○
(R, IC, IP)

$n = 154, k = 3$
 $g = 1.037$
CI (-.195 -
2.269)

U

Validation of
questionnaire
unclear; parent-
teacher-ratings

Questionnaire
designed by
authors in 3
studies

ADHS Wissen. Selbsturteil

Dahl et al., 2020

Population: youth (ages 5–17) diagnosed with ADHD

Intervention: psychoeducation-based interventions in combination with other treatment modality or alone, delivered to parents or teachers of children

Comparison: Individual counseling, parent support, TAU, no control group, placebo pill and psychoeducation

Child's knowledge of ADHD, Within group effect

Very low
⊕○○○
(R)

$n = 40, k = 2$
 $g = .721$
CI (.370 - 1.072)

2 included studies: pre-post design without CG; validation of questionnaire in one study unclear

Children's ADHD Knowledge & Opinions Questionnaire; Questionnaire designed by authors in 1 study

I

Elterliche mentale Gesundheit. Elternurteil

Dahl et al., 2020

Population: youth (ages 5–17) diagnosed with ADHD

Intervention: psychoeducation-based interventions in combination with other treatment modality or alone, delivered to parents or teachers of children

Comparison: Individual counseling, parent support, TAU, no control group, placebo pill and psychoeducation

Parenting stress

Moderate
⊕⊕⊕○
(IP)

$n = 249, k = 3$
 $g = .209$
CI (-.039 - .458)

NCSQ, PSI-SF

U

Dekkers et al., 2022

Population: children and adolescence with ADHD, < 18 years, no medication as part of intervention

Parental mental health

Low
⊕⊕○○
(R, IC)

$n = 1155, k = 20$
 $g = .41$
CI (.20 - .61)

Parental mental health included parenting stress and several indices of parental psychopathology

BDI, PSI, CSQ, GHQ, AARS, DASS, SNQ

I

Intervention: behavioral parent intervention (single/group)
Comparison: active control, treatment as usual, no treatment/waitlist

(eg, depression, anxiety, ADHD).
 No trim & fill considered, as funnel plot not asymmetric.

Parental mental health: depression Low
 ⊕⊕○○ (IP, P) $n = 1359, k = 11$
 $SMD = -.08$
 CI (-.17 - .01) Univariate analysis BDI (3 studies converted from Brief symptom inventory and General health questionnaire in BDI)

Leijten et al., 2018

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Parental mental health: stress Low
 ⊕⊕○○ (IP, P) $n = 542, k = 5$
 $SMD = -.18$
 CI (-.44 - .07) Univariate analysis Parenting stress index

Population: children with conduct problems, 1-12 years
Intervention: Incredible Years parenting program
Comparison: control condition, waitlist

U

Parental mental health: self-efficacy Low
 ⊕⊕○○ (IP, P) $n = 417, k = 4$
 $SMD = -.32$
 CI (-.77 - .13) Univariate analysis Parental sense of competence scale

U

Erziehungsverhalten. Kombiniertes Urteil

Dekkers et al., 2022

Population: children and adolescence with ADHD, < 18 years, no medication as part of intervention
Intervention: behavioral parent intervention (single/group)
Comparison: active control, treatment as usual, no treatment/waitlist

Positive parenting Low
 ⊕⊕○○ (IC) $n = 1470, k = 15$
 $g = .60$
 CI (.39 - .81) No trim & fill considered, as funnel plot not asymmetric. Authors' note: Study should be seen as hypothesis-generating, not confirmation of effectiveness of parent training. ES not significantly different for probably blinded (SMD = 0.58) and unblinded measures (SMD =

I

PPI, DPICS, GIPCI, CCNES, APQ, PCRQ, PPI, FIQ, PAMS, Observation

0.63) on positive parenting

Negative parenting

Very low
⊕○○○
(R, IC)

$n = 946, k = 13$
 $g = .35$
CI (.12 - .59)

I

Robust ES for all 5 outcome domains; ES lower when parent training compared with active control conditions relative to waitlists, but only ES for negative parenting dropped to non-significant when including only studies with active control conditions. ES not significantly different for probably blinded (SMD = 0.68) and unblinded measures (SMD = 0.54) on negative parenting

APQ, PCRQ, PCRS, DPICS, PS, CCNES, Observation

Erziehungsverhalten. Elternurteil

Dekkers et al., 2022

Population: children and adolescence with ADHD, < 18 years, no medication as part of intervention

Intervention: behavioral parent intervention (single/group)

Comparison: active control, treatment as usual, no treatment/waitlist

Parenting sense of competence

Low
⊕⊕○○
(R, IC)

$n = 1239, k = 14$
 $g = .54$
CI (.36 - .72)

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PSOC, PCEQ, PES, PSCS, PSI, PSBC

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|--|--|-------------------------|--|---|--|
| | Positive parenting: praise | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (P) | $n = 630, k = 6$ $SMD = .26$ $CI (.01 - .51)$ I | To minimize missing data biases due to large amounts of missing data for some pooled outcome variables, multilevel modeling (random effect modeling) used | PPI, APQ, PS, interview, multiple parenting measures |
| | Positive parenting: tangible rewards | Low ⊕⊕○○ (IP, P) | $n = 625, k = 6$ $SMD = .15$ $CI (-.16 - .45)$ U | | PPI, APQ, PS, interview, multiple parenting measures |
| Leijten et al., 2018 | | | | | |
| Population: children with conduct problems, 1-12 years Intervention: Incredible Years parenting program Comparison: control condition, waitlist | Positive parenting: monitoring | Low ⊕⊕○○ (IP, P) | $n = 1088, k = 9$ $SMD = .05$ $CI (-.08 - .18)$ U | | PPI, APQ, PS, interview, multiple parenting measures |
| | Negative parenting: corporal punishment | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (P) | $n = 1393, k = 10$ $SMD = -.22$ $CI (-.42 - -.01)$ I | | PPI, APQ, PS, interview, multiple parenting measures |
| | Negative parenting: threatening | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (P) | $n = 999, k = 9$ $SMD = -.21$ $CI (-.36 - -.06)$ I | | PPI, APQ, PS, interview, multiple parenting measures |
| | Negative Parenting: laxness | Low ⊕⊕○○ (IP, P) | $n = 978, k = 9$ $SMD = -.15$ $CI (-.37 - -.07)$ U | | PPI, APQ, PS, interview, multiple parenting measures |

Negative parenting: shouting

Moderate
⊕⊕⊕○
(P)

$n = 967, k = 15$
 $SMD = -.31$
 $CI (-.61 - -.01)$

I

PPI, APQ, PS, interview, multiple parenting measures

Eltern-Kind-Beziehung. Kombiniertes Urteil

Dekkers et al., 2022

Population: children and adolescence with ADHD, < 18 years, no medication as part of intervention

Intervention: behavioral parent intervention (single/group)

Comparison: active control, treatment as usual, no treatment/waitlist

Quality of parent-child relationship

Very low
⊕○○○
(R, IC)

$n = 727, k = 11$
 $g = .37$
 $CI (.07 - .67)$

I







Significantly different for probably blinded ($SMD = 0.53$) and unblinded measures ($SMD = 0.54$) of child-parent-relationship.

GIPCI, PSI, PPES, PBI, IRS, PSDQ, PCRQ, CBQ, PFMSS, Pasta Task, Observation

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen, k = Anzahl der inkludierten Primärstudien. R = risk of bias, IC = inconsistency, ID = indirectness, IP = imprecision, P = publication bias.

Summary of Findings Tabellen: RCTs

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Risk of Bias | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Mess-instrument |
|--|--|-------------------------------------|--|---|--|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| Chu et al., 2022 | | | | | |
| <p>Population: school-aged students (aged 6-8 years) with ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: group executive functioning and online parent training (GEF-OPT) program</p> <p>Comparison: waitlist group</p> | ADHD symptoms total | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | <p>$n = 145$ $d = .06$ CI (-.21 - .33)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">U</p> | | Chinese version of SNAP-IV |
| Chung et al., 2024 | | | | | |
| <p>Population: parents of children with ADHD (7-11 years old)</p> <p>Intervention: Behavioral Parent Training, done by a school-psychologist, online (via Zoom)</p> <p>Comparison: no control group</p> | ADHD total symptoms, Within group | Very high risk ● (SG, BP, BA) | <p>$n = 22$ $\omega^2 = .36$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">I</p> | Clinical implication based on p-value | Child and Adolescent Symptom Inventory (CASI) |
| Dose, et al., 2017 | | | | | |
| <p>Population: parents of medicated children with ADHD and residual functional impairment</p> <p>Intervention: TASH + routine care (incl. MED)</p> <p>Comparison: routine care (incl. MED) only</p> | ADHD total symptoms, TASH + TAU vs. TAU | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | <p>$n = 103$ $d = .28$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">U</p> | Clinical implication based on p-value | FBB-ADHS |
| Engelbrektsson et al., 2023 | | | | | |
| <p>Population: parents of children with disruptive behavior problems (3-11 years, no inf. Regarding diagnosis)</p> | ADHD symptoms, Online BPT vs. group BPT, 3 months Follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | <p>$n = 161$ $d = .05$ CI (-.16 - .26)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">U</p> | ITT-data extracted; PP-data only marginally different; clinical implication based on superiority analysis | Strengths and Difficulties Questionnaire (SDQ) |

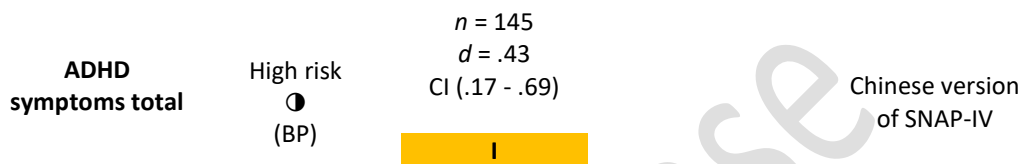
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| <p>Hautmann et al., 2018 Population: parents of children with ADHD (4-11 years old)</p> | <p>Total ADHD symptoms, BPT vs. non-BPT</p> | <p>Very high risk  (BP, BA, ID)</p> | <p>$n = 110$ $d = .05$ CI (-.23 - .33)</p> | <p>Data from per-protocol analysis</p> | <p>FBB-ADHS</p> |
| <p>Intervention: Behavioral Parent Training (BPT) Comparison: Nonbehavioral Parent Training (non-BPT)</p> | <p>Total ADHD symptoms, BPT vs. non-BPT, Follow-up</p> | <p>Very high risk  (BP, BA, ID)</p> | <p>$n = 110$ $d = .13$ CI (-.22 - .48)</p> | <p>Data from per-protocol analysis</p> | <p>FBB-ADHS</p> |
| <p>Nobel et al., 2020 Population: school-aged children diagnosed with ADHD and behavior problems despite previous treatments</p> | <p>ADHD symptoms, Intervention vs. waiting list</p> | <p>Very high risk  (BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 49$ $d = .89$ CI (n.a.)</p> | <p>After treatment; clinical implication based on p-values of data analyzed with linear mixed model for repeated measure</p> | <p>Swanson, Nolan, and Pelham Questionnaire (SNAP-IV)</p> |
| <p>Intervention: home-based behavioral parent training Comparison: waiting list (no intervention) and care-as-usual home-based treatment</p> | <p>ADHD symptoms, Intervention vs. TAU</p> | <p>Very high risk  (BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 50$ $d = .89$ CI (n.a.)</p> | <p>After treatment; clinical implication based on p-values of data analyzed with linear mixed model for repeated measure</p> | <p>Swanson, Nolan, and Pelham Questionnaire (SNAP-IV)</p> |
| <p>Tandon et al., 2024</p> | <p>Core ADHD symptoms</p> | <p>Very high risk  (BP, BA, ID, OR)</p> | <p>$n = 84$ $ES = n.a.$ CI (n.a.)</p> | <p>No significant changes over time by intervention group; no p-value reported</p> | <p>Conners 3-P</p> |

Comparison: weekly 90-min standard BMT

ADHS Symptome gesamt. Lehrer*innenurteil

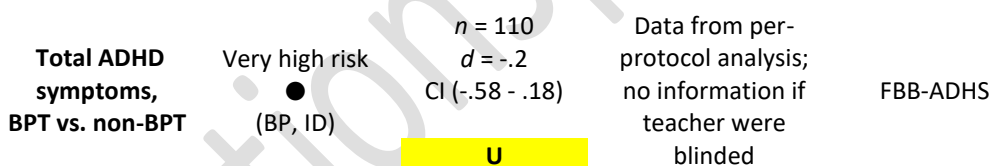
Chu et al., 2022

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Intervention: group executive functioning and online parent training (GEF-OPT) program
Comparison: waitlist group



Hautmann et al., 2018

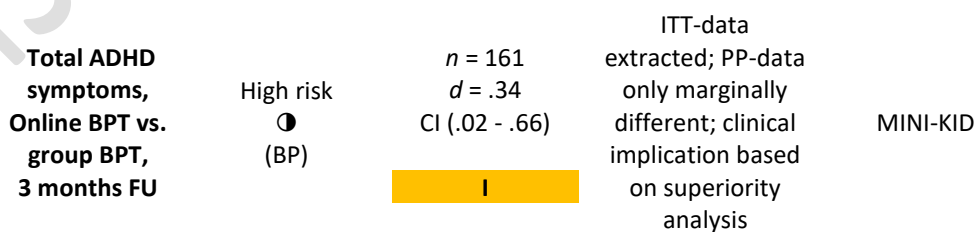
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Intervention: Behavioral Parent Training (BPT)
Comparison: Nonbehavioral Parent Training (non-BPT)



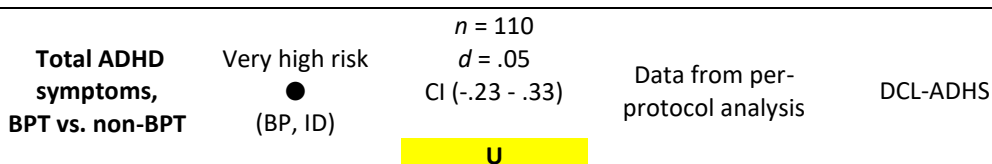
ADHS Symptome gesamt. Kliniker*innenurteil

Engelbrektsson et al., 2023

Population: parents of children with disruptive behavior problems (3-11 years, no inf. Regarding diagnosis)
Intervention: internet-delivered parent training (iComet)
Comparison: group parent training (in person, gComet)



Hautmann et al., 2018

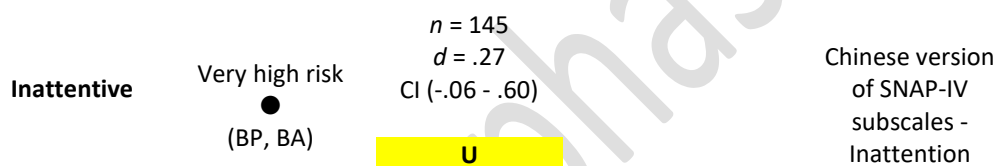


Population: parents of children with ADHD (4-11 years old)
Intervention: Behavioral Parent Training (BPT)
Comparison: Nonbehavioral Parent Training (non-BPT)

Aufmerksamkeit. Elternurteil

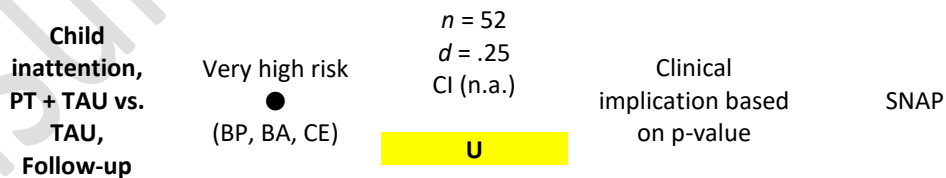
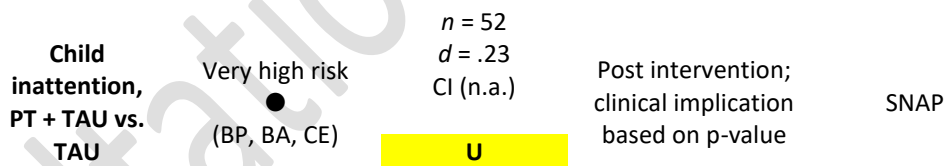
Chu et al., 2022

Population: school-aged students (aged 6-8 years) with ADHD
Intervention: group executive functioning and online parent training (GEF-OPT) program
Comparison: waitlist group



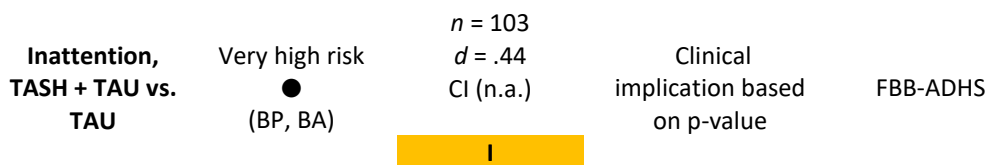
Daley et al., 2021

Population: parents of medicated children with ADHD
Intervention: self-help version of the New Forest Parenting Programme + TAU (incl. MED)
Comparison: TAU (incl. MED)



Dose, et al., 2017

Population: parents of medicated children with ADHD and residual functional impairment
Intervention: TASH + routine care (incl. MED)
Comparison: routine care (incl. MED) only



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| | Inattention symptoms, AC vs. control, Post-treatment | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 60$ $d = .39$ CI (-.12 - .90) | T1 = 1 week after training | SWAN |
| | Inattention symptoms, CC vs. control, Post-treatment | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 62$ $d = .22$ CI (-.29 - .73) | T1 = 1 week after training | SWAN |
| Hornstra et al., 2021 | Inattention symptoms, AC vs. CC, Post-treatment | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 62$ $d = .17$ CI (-.34 - .68) | T1 = 1 week after training | SWAN |
| Population: parents of children aged 4-12 with ADHD | | | | | |
| Intervention: Antecedent-based parent training (AC) or Consequent-based parent training (CC) | | | | | |
| Comparison: waitlist control group | | | | | |
| | Inattention symptoms, AC vs. control, Follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 60$ $d = .34$ CI (-.17 - .85) | T2 = 3 weeks after training | SWAN |
| | Inattention symptoms, CC vs. control, Follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 62$ $d = -.17$ CI (-.68 - .34) | T2 = 3 weeks after training | SWAN |
| | Inattention symptoms, AC vs. CC, Follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 62$ $d = .51$ CI (.00 - 1.02) | T2 = 3 weeks after training | SWAN |

Nuno et al., 2020

Population: parents of children 6-8 years old with ADHD or suspected of having ADHD
Intervention: online parent training - Nurtured Heart Approach (NHA)
Comparison: delayed control

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| Inattention | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 87$ $ES = \text{n.a.}$ $CI (\text{n.a.})$ | Clinical implication based on p-value | Conners 3-P Short-Form |
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Paiva et al., 2024

Population: families of boys with ADHD symptoms (6-12 years old, 50% medicated)
Intervention: Face to Face (F2F) behavioral parent training + standard treatment (ST, possibly incl. MED)
Comparison: online behavioral parent training + standard treatment (ST, possibly incl. MED) or ST alone

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| Inattention, F2F BPT vs. ST | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID) | $n = 39$ $ES = \text{n.a.}$ $CI (\text{n.a.})$ | Clinical implication based on post-hoc analyses of time x group interaction | MTA-SNAP-IV |
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| Inattention, Online BPT vs. ST | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID) | $n = 38$ $ES = \text{n.a.}$ $CI (\text{n.a.})$ | Clinical implication based on post-hoc analyses of time x group interaction | MTA-SNAP-IV |
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| Inattention, F2F BPT vs. online BPT | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID) | $n = 37$ $ES = \text{n.a.}$ $CI (\text{n.a.})$ | Clinical implication based on post-hoc analyses of time x group interaction | MTA-SNAP-IV |
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Tandon et al., 2024

Population: families with children with ADHD (ages 6–10 years)
Intervention: weekly 90-min LEAP virtual “telegroups” were conducted via HIPAA-compliant zoom
Comparison: weekly 90-min standard BMT

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| Inattention | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID, OR) | $n = 84$ $ES = \text{n.a.}$ $CI (\text{n.a.})$ | No significant changes over time by intervention group; no p-value reported | Conners 3-P |
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Chu et al., 2022

Population: school-aged students (aged 6-8 years) with ADHD

Intervention: group executive functioning and online parent training (GEF-OPT) program

Comparison: waitlist group

Inattentive

High risk
●
(BP)

$n = 145$
 $d = .53$
CI (.24 - .82)

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Chinese version of SNAP-IV subscale - Inattention

Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität. Elternurteil

Chu et al., 2022

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Intervention: group executive functioning and online parent training (GEF-OPT) program

Comparison: waitlist group

Hyperactivity/impulsivity

Very high risk
●
(BP, BA)

$n = 145$
 $d = -.41$
CI (-.69 - -.14)

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Chinese version of SNAP-IV subscales - Hyperactivity

Daley et al., 2021

Population: parents of medicated children with ADHD

Intervention: self-help version of the New Forest Parenting Programme + TAU (incl. MED)

Comparison: TAU (incl. MED)

Child hyp./imp., PT + TAU vs. TAU

Very high risk
●
(BP, BA, CE)

$n = 52$
 $d = -.16$
CI (n.a.)

U

Post intervention; clinical implication based on p-value

SNAP

Child hyp./imp., PT + TAU vs. TAU, Follow-up

Very high risk
●
(BP, BA, CE)

$n = 52$
 $d = -.11$
CI (n.a.)

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Clinical implication based on p-value

SNAP

Dose et al., 2017

Population: parents of medicated children with ADHD and residual functional impairment

Hyp./imp., TASH + TAU vs. TAU

Very high risk
●
(BP, BA)

$n = 103$
 $d = .11$
CI (n.a.)

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Clinical implication based on p-value

FBB-ADHS

Intervention: TASH + routine care (incl. MED)
Comparison: routine care (incl. MED) only

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| | Hyperactivity-impulsivity symptoms, AC vs. control, Post-treatment | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 60$ $d = .12$ CI (-.45 - .69) | T1 = 1 week after training | SWAN |
| | Hyperactivity-impulsivity symptoms, CC vs. control, Post-treatment | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 62$ $d = .33$ CI (-.24 - .90) | T1 = 1 week after training | SWAN |
| Hornstra et al., 2021 | Hyperactivity-impulsivity symptoms, AC vs. CC, Post-treatment | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 62$ $d = -.20$ CI (-.76 - .37) | T1 = 1 week after training | SWAN |
| Population: parents of children aged 4-12 with ADHD Intervention: Antecedent-based parent training (AC) or Consequent-based parent training (CC) Comparison: waitlist control group | Hyperactivity-impulsivity symptoms, AC vs. control, Follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 60$ $d = .59$ CI (.03 - 1.15) | T2 = 3 weeks after training | SWAN |
| | Hyperactivity-impulsivity symptoms, CC vs. control, Follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 62$ $d = .42$ CI (-.10 - .94) | T2 = 3 weeks after training | SWAN |
| | Hyperactivity-impulsivity symptoms, AC vs. CC, Follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 62$ $d = .17$ CI (-.38 - .72) | T2 = 3 weeks after training | SWAN |

Nuno et al., 2020

Population: parents of children 6-8 years old with ADHD or suspected of having ADHD
Intervention: online parent training - Nurtured Heart Approach (NHA)
Comparison: delayed control

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|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|------------------------|
| Hyperactivity/impulsivity | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 87$ $ES = n.a.$ $CI (n.a.)$ | Clinical implication based on p-value | Conners 3-P Short-Form |
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Paiva et al., 2024

Population: families of boys with ADHD symptoms (6-12 years old, 50% medicated)
Intervention: Face to Face (F2F) behavioral parent training + standard treatment (ST, possibly incl. MED)
Comparison: online behavioral parent training + standard treatment (ST, possibly incl. MED) or ST alone

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| Hyp./ imp., F2F BPT vs. ST | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID) | $n = 39$ $ES = n.a.$ $CI (n.a.)$ | Clinical implication based on post-hoc analyses of time x group interaction | MTA-SNAP-IV |
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| Hyp./ imp., Online BPT vs. ST | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID) | $n = 38$ $ES = n.a.$ $CI (n.a.)$ | Clinical implication based on post-hoc analyses of time x group interaction | MTA-SNAP-IV |
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| Hyp./ imp., F2F BPT vs. online BPT | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID) | $n = 37$ $ES = n.a.$ $CI (n.a.)$ | Clinical implication based on post-hoc analyses of time x group interaction | MTA-SNAP-IV |
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Tandon et al., 2024

Population: families with children with ADHD (ages 6–10 years)
Intervention: weekly 90-min LEAP virtual “telegroups” were conducted via HIPAA-compliant zoom
Comparison: weekly 90-min standard BMT

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| Hyperactivity | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID, OR) | $n = 84$ $ES = n.a.$ $CI (n.a.)$ | No significant changes over time by intervention group; no p-value reported | Conners 3-P |
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Chu et al., 2022

Population: school-aged students (aged 6-8 years) with ADHD

Intervention: group executive functioning and online parent training (GEF-OPT) program

Comparison: waitlist group

Hyperactivity/impulsivity

High risk
●
(BP)

$n = 145$
 $d = -.09$
CI (-.36 - .18)

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Chinese version of SNAP-IV subscale - Inattention

Verhaltensprobleme. Elternurteil

Chu et al., 2022

Population: school-aged students (aged 6-8 years) with ADHD

Intervention: group executive functioning and online parent training (GEF-OPT) program

Comparison: waitlist group

ODD

Very high risk
●
(BP, BA)

$n = 145$
 $d = .27$
CI (-.03 - .57)

U

Chinese version of SNAP-IV subscales - Hyperactivity

Chung et al., 2024

Population: parents of children with ADHD (7-11 years old)

Intervention: Behavioral Parent Training, done by a school-psychologist, online (via Zoom)

Comparison: no control group

ODD total symptoms, Within group

Very high risk
●
(SG, BP, BA)

$n = 22$
 $\omega^2 = .11$
CI (n.a.)

U

Clinical implication based on p-value

Child and Adolescent Symptom Inventory (CASI)

Child prosocial behaviour, Within group

Very high risk
●
(SG, BP, BA)

$n = 22$
 $\omega^2 = .11$
CI (n.a.)

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Clinical implication based on p-value

Child and Adolescent Symptom Inventory (CASI)

Daley et al., 2021

Population: parents of mediated children with ADHD

Child ODD symptoms, PT + TAU vs. TAU

Very high risk
●
(BP, BA, CE)

$n = 52$
 $d = .00$
CI (n.a.)

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Post intervention; clinical implication based on p-value

SNAP

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| <p>Intervention: self-help version of the New Forest Parenting Programme + TAU (incl. MED)</p> <p>Comparison: TAU (incl. MED)</p> | <p>Child problem behavior, PT + TAU vs. TAU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (BP, BA, CE)</p> | <p>$n = 52$ $d = .19$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Frequency; post intervention; clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>Eyberg Child Behavior Inventory (ECBI)</p> |
| | <p>Child ODD symptoms, PT + TAU vs. TAU, Follow-up</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (BP, BA, CE)</p> | <p>$n = 52$ $d = .3$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Post intervention; clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>SNAP</p> |
| | <p>Child problem behavior, PT + TAU vs. TAU, Follow-up</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (BP, BA, CE)</p> | <p>$n = 52$ $d = .15$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Frequency; post intervention; clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>Eyberg Child Behavior Inventory (ECBI)</p> |
| <p>De Jong et al., 2023</p> <p>Population: parents with children (4-12 years) with externalizing problems + ADHD or ODD</p> <p>Intervention: parenting program</p> <p>Comparison: waiting group</p> | <p>Daily externalizing behavior, P1 + P2 vs. WG</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (BP, BA, UM)</p> | <p>$n = 110$ $d = -.43$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>EMA (phone interview with parents)</p> |
| | <p>Daily externalizing behavior, P1 + P2 within group, T2 vs. follow-up</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (BP, BA, UM)</p> | <p>$n = 74$ $b = -.11$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>EMA (phone interview with parents)</p> |
| | <p>Daily externalizing behavior, P1 + P2 vs. WG</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 110$ $d = -.51$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>ECBI</p> |

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| Daily externalizing behavior, P1 + P2 within group, T2 vs. follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 74$ $b = -3.48$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | ECBI |
| Daily externalizing behavior, P1 vs. P2, At T2 | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, UM) | $n = 74$ $d = -.03$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | EMA (phone interview with parents) |
| Daily externalizing behavior, P1 vs. P2, At T2 | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 74$ $d = .12$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | ECBI |
| Daily externalizing behavior, P1 vs. P2, At follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, UM) | $n = 74$ $d = -.32$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | EMA (phone interview with parents) |
| Daily externalizing behavior, P1 vs. P2, At follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 74$ $d = -.05$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | ECBI |
| Daily externalizing behavior, P1 within group, T2 vs. follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, UM) | $n = 37$ $b = -.20$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | EMA (phone interview with parents) |

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| | Daily externalizing behavior, P2 within group, T2 vs. follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, UM) | $n = 37$ $b = -.02$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | EMA (phone interview with parents) |
| | Daily externalizing behavior, P1 within group, T2 vs. follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 37$ $b = -5.24$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | ECBI |
| | Daily externalizing behavior, P2 within group, T2 vs. follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 37$ $b = -2.07$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | ECBI |
| Dose et al., 2017 | Population: parents of medicated children with ADHD and residual functional impairment Intervention: TASH + routine care (incl. MED) Comparison: routine care (incl. MED) only | ODD total symptoms, TASH + TAU vs. TAU Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 103$ $d = .43$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | FBB-SSV |
| Engelbrektsson et al., 2023 | Population: parents of children with disruptive behavior problems (3-11 years, no inf. Regarding diagnosis) Intervention: internet-delivered parent training (iComet) Comparison: group parent training (in person, gComet) | Disruptive behavior, Online BPT vs. group BPT, 3 months FU Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 161$ $d = .12$ CI (n.a. - .32) | ITT-data extracted; PP-data only marginally different; clinical implication based on non-inferiority analysis | ECBI-IS |
| | | Disruptive behavior, Online BPT vs. group BPT, 6 months FU Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 161$ $d = .08$ CI (n.a. - .33) | ITT-data extracted; PP-data only marginally different; clinical implication based on non-inferiority analysis | ECBI-IS |

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| | Disruptive behavior, Online BPT vs. group BPT, 12 months FU | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 161$ $d = .11$ CI (n.a. - .33) | ITT-data extracted; PP-data only marginally different; clinical implication based on non-inferiority analysis | ECBI-IS |
| | Conduct problems, Online BPT vs. group BPT, 3 months FU | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 161$ $d = .15$ CI (-.11 - .40) | ITT-data extracted; PP-data only marginally different; clinical implication based on superiority analysis | SDQ |
| | Conduct problems, Online BPT vs. group BPT, 12 months FU | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 161$ $d = .11$ CI (-.23 - .45) | ITT-data extracted; PP-data only marginally different; clinical implication based on superiority analysis | SDQ |
| Hautmann et al., 2018 | Total ODD symptoms, BPT vs. non-BPT | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID) | $n = 110$ $d = -.20$ CI (-.52 - .12) | Data from per-protocol analysis | FBB-SSV |
| Population: parents of children with ADHD (4-11 years old) Intervention: Behavioral Parent Training (BPT) Comparison: Nonbehavioral Parent Training (non-BPT) | Externalizing symptoms, BPT vs. non-BPT | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID) | $n = 110$ $d = -.31$ CI (-.59 - -.04) | Data from per-protocol analysis | CBCL |
| | Total ODD symptoms, BPT vs. non-BPT, Follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID) | $n = 110$ $d = .02$ CI (-.34 - .38) | Data from per-protocol analysis | FBB-SSV |

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| | Total behavioral problems, Ind. BPT vs. TAU | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 160$ $d = 1.05$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on authors statement about CI including 0 or not; results controlled for MED effect | Home Situations Questionnaire (HSQ) |
| | Total behavioral problems, Group BPT vs. TAU | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 155$ $d = .61$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on authors statement about CI including 0 or not; results controlled for MED effect | Home Situations Questionnaire (HSQ) |
| Heubeck et al., 2021 | | | | | |
| Population: parents of children with ADHD (mostly with comorbid ODD/CD) Intervention: individual behavioral parent training (Ind. BPT) or group behavioral parent training (group BPT) Comparison: TAU | Total behavioral problems, Ind. BPT vs. TAU, Follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 160$ $d = .81$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on authors statement about CI including 0 or not; results controlled for MED effect | Home Situations Questionnaire (HSQ) |
| | Total behavioral problems, Group BPT vs. TAU, Follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 155$ $d = .62$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on authors statement about CI including 0 or not; results controlled for MED effect | Home Situations Questionnaire (HSQ) |
| | Total behavioral problems, Ind. BPT within group | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 160$ $d = 1.86$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on authors statement about CI including 0 or not; results controlled for MED effect | Home Situations Questionnaire (HSQ) |
| | Total behavioral problems, | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 155$ $d = 1.25$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on authors | Home Situations Questionnaire (HSQ) |

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| | Group BPT within group | | I | statement about CI including 0 or not; results controlled for MED effect | |
| | Total behavioral problems, Ind. BPT within group, Follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 160$ $d = 2.03$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on authors statement about CI including 0 or not; results controlled for MED effect | Home Situations Questionnaire (HSQ) |
| | Total behavioral problems, Group BPT within group, Follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 155$ $d = 1.74$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on authors statement about CI including 0 or not; results controlled for MED effect | Home Situations Questionnaire (HSQ) |
| | Total behavioral problems, Ind. BPT vs. group BPT | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 159$ $d = .44$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on authors statement about CI including 0 or not; results controlled for MED effect | Home Situations Questionnaire (HSQ) |
| | Total behavioral problems, Ind. BPT vs. group BPT, Follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 159$ $d = .19$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on authors statement about CI including 0 or not; results controlled for MED effect | Home Situations Questionnaire (HSQ) |
| Hornstra et al., 2021 | ODD symptoms, AC vs. control, Post-treatment | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 60$ $d = .25$ CI (-.26 - .76) U | T1 = 1 week after training | DBDRS |

Intervention:

Antecedent-based parent training (AC) or Consequent-based parent training (CC)

Comparison: waitlist control group

ODD symptoms, CC vs. control, Post-treatment

Very high risk
●
(BP, BA)

$n = 62$
 $d = .03$
CI (-.29 - .73)

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T1 = 1 week after training

DBDRS

ODD symptoms, AC vs. CC, Post-treatment

Very high risk
●
(BP, BA)

$n = 62$
 $d = .22$
CI (-.29 - .73)

U

T1 = 1 week after training

DBDRS

ODD symptoms, AC vs. control, Follow-up

Very high risk
●
(BP, BA)

$n = 60$
 $d = .32$
CI (-.19 - .83)

U

T2 = 3 weeks after training

DBDRS

ODD symptoms, CC vs. control, Follow-up

Very high risk
●
(BP, BA)

$n = 62$
 $d = -.27$
CI (-.78 - .24)

U

T2 = 3 weeks after training

DBDRS

ODD symptoms, AC vs. CC, Follow-up

Very high risk
●
(BP, BA)

$n = 62$
 $d = .59$
CI (.07 - 1.11)

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T2 = 3 weeks after training

DBDRS

Nuno et al., 2020

Population: parents of children 6-8 years old with ADHD or suspected of having ADHD
Intervention: online parent training - Nurtured Heart Approach (NHA)
Comparison: delayed control

Defiance/aggression

Very high risk
●
(BP, BA)

$n = 87$
 $ES = n.a.$
CI (n.a.)

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Clinical implication based on p-value

Conners 3-P Short-Form

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| <p>Paiva et al., 2024</p> <p>Population: families of boys with ADHD symptoms (6-12 years old, 50% medicated)</p> <p>Intervention: Face to Face (F2F) behavioral parent training + standard treatment (ST, possibly incl. MED)</p> <p>Comparison: online behavioral parent training + standard treatment (ST, possibly incl. MED) or ST alone</p> | <p>ODD total symptoms, F2F BPT vs. ST</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, BA, ID)</p> | <p>$n = 39$</p> <p>$ES = n.a.$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on post-hoc analyses of time x group interaction</p> | <p>MTA-SNAP-IV</p> |
| | <p>ODD total symptoms, Online BPT vs. ST</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, BA, ID)</p> | <p>$n = 38$</p> <p>$ES = n.a.$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on post-hoc analyses of time x group interaction</p> | <p>MTA-SNAP-IV</p> |
| | <p>ODD total symptoms, F2F BPT vs. online BPT</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, BA, ID)</p> | <p>$n = 37$</p> <p>$ES = n.a.$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on post-hoc analyses of time x group interaction</p> | <p>MTA-SNAP-IV</p> |

Verhaltensprobleme. Lehrer*innenurteil

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| <p>Chu et al., 2022</p> <p>Population: school-aged students (aged 6-8 years) with ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: group executive functioning and online parent training (GEF-OPT) program</p> <p>Comparison: waitlist group</p> | <p>ODD</p> | <p>High risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP)</p> | <p>$n = 145$</p> <p>$d = .53$</p> <p>CI (.28 - .78)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Chinese version of SNAP-IV subscale - Inattention</p> |
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| <p>Hautmann et al., 2018</p> <p>Population: parents of children with ADHD (4-11 years old)</p> <p>Intervention: Behavioral Parent Training (BPT)</p> <p>Comparison: Nonbehavioral Parent Training (non-BPT)</p> | <p>Total ODD symptoms, BPT vs. non-BPT</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, ID)</p> | <p>$n = 110$</p> <p>$d = -.31$</p> <p>CI (-.68 - .06)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Data from per-protocol analysis; no info if teachers were blinded</p> | <p>FBB-SSV</p> |
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Verhaltensprobleme. Kliniker*innenurteil

Engelbrektsson et al., 2023

Population: parents of children with disruptive behavior problems (3-11 years, no inf. Regarding diagnosis)

Intervention: internet-delivered parent training (iComet)

Comparison: group parent training (in person, gComet)

Total ODD symptoms
Online BPT vs. group BPT, 3 months FU

High risk
● (BP)

$n = 161$
 $d = .34$
CI (-.05 - .72)

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ITT-data extracted; PP-data only marginally different; clinical implication based on superiority analysis

MINI-KID

Hautmann et al., 2018

Population: parents of children with ADHD (4-11 years old)

Intervention: Behavioral Parent Training (BPT)

Comparison: Nonbehavioral Parent Training (non-BPT)

Total ODD symptoms,
BPT vs. non-BPT

Very high risk
● (PB, ID)

$n = 110$
 $d = -.35$
CI (-.66 - -.04)

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Data from per-protocol analysis

DCL-SSV

Internalisierende Symptome. Elternurteil

Engelbrektsson et al., 2023

Population: parents of children with disruptive behavior problems (3-11 years, no inf. Regarding diagnosis)

Intervention: internet-delivered parent training (iComet)

Comparison: group parent training (in person, gComet)

Emotional symptoms
Online BPT vs. group BPT, 3 months FU

Very high risk
● (BP, BA)

$n = 161$
 $d = .21$
CI (-.04 - .46)

U

ITT-data extracted; PP-data only marginally different; clinical implication based on superiority analysis

SDQ

Emotional symptoms
Online BPT vs. group BPT, 12 months FU

Very high risk
● (BP, BA)

$n = 161$
 $d = .29$
CI (.00 - .59)

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ITT-data extracted; PP-data only marginally different; clinical implication based on superiority analysis

SDQ

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| Hautmann et al., 2018 | | | | | |
| <p>Population: parents of children with ADHD (4-11 years old)</p> <p>Intervention: Behavioral Parent Training (BPT)</p> <p>Comparison: Nonbehavioral Parent Training (non-BPT)</p> | <p>Internalizing symptoms, BPT vs. non-BPT</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, BA, ID)</p> | <p>$n = 110$</p> <p>$d = -.25$</p> <p>CI (-.56 - .07)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Data from per-protocol analysis</p> | <p>11-CBCL</p> |
| Nobel et al., 2020 | | | | | |
| <p>Population: school-aged children diagnosed with ADHD and behavior problems despite previous treatments</p> <p>Intervention: home-based behavioral parent training</p> <p>Comparison: waiting list (no intervention) and care-as-usual home-based treatment</p> | <p>Internalizing problems, Intervention vs. waiting list</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 49$</p> <p>$d = .65$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>After treatment; clinical implication based on p-values of data analyzed with linear mixed model for repeated measure</p> | <p>CBCL</p> |
| | <p>Internalizing problems, Intervention vs. TAU</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 50$</p> <p>$ES = n.a.$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>After treatment; clinical implication based on p-values of data analyzed with linear mixed model for repeated measure</p> | <p>CBCL</p> |
| Funktionale Beeinträchtigung. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| Chu et al., 2022 | | | | | |
| <p>Population: school-aged students (aged 6-8 years) with ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: group executive functioning and online parent training (GEF-OPT) program</p> <p>Comparison: waitlist group</p> | <p>Functional impairment total</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 145$</p> <p>$d = .30$</p> <p>CI (.03 - .56)</p> <p>I</p> | | <p>WFIRS-P</p> |
| | <p>Learning and school</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 145$</p> <p>$d = .60$</p> <p>CI (.27 - .94)</p> <p>I</p> | | <p>WFIRS-P, Subscale Learning and School</p> |
| Chung et al., 2024 | | | | | |
| <p>Population: parents of children with ADHD (7-11 years old)</p> | <p>Functional impairment, Within group</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(SG, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 22$</p> <p>$\omega^2 = .21$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>Impairment Rating Scale (IRS)</p> |

Intervention: Behavioral Parent Training, done by a school-psychologist, online (via Zoom)
Comparison: no control group

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| | Family functioning PT + TAU vs. TAU | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, CE) | $n = 52$ $d = .20$ CI (n.a.) U | Post intervention; clinical implication based on p-value | Family Strain Index (FSI) |
| Daley et al., 2021 | Family functioning PT + TAU vs. TAU, Follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, CE) | $n = 52$ $d = .41$ CI (n.a.) U | Post intervention; clinical implication based on p-value | Family Strain Index (FSI) |
| Population: parents of mediated children with ADHD Intervention: self-help version of the New Forest Parenting Programme + TAU (incl. MED) Comparison: TAU (incl. MED) | Overall school performance, PT + TAU vs. TAU | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, CE) | $n = 52$ $ES = n.a.$ CI (n.a.) U | Post intervention; clinical implication based on p-value; no effect in any subscale | Vanderbilt ADHD rating scale (subscales - school, maths, reading, writing, family-, peer- and parent- relationship) |
| | Overall school performance, PT + TAU vs. TAU, Follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, CE) | $n = 52$ $ES = n.a.$ CI (n.a.) U | Post intervention; clinical implication based on p-value; no effect in any subscale | Vanderbilt ADHD rating scale (subscales - school, maths, reading, writing, family-, peer- and parent- relationship) |
| Dose et al., 2017 | Child functioning, TASH + TAU vs. TAU | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 103$ $ES = n.a.$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value; no significant effect on any subscale | WFIRS-P (subscales - Family, School, Life Skills, Self- concept, social activities & total score) |

Comparison: routine care (incl. MED) only

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| | Family conflicts, Online BPT vs. group BPT, 3 months FU | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 161$ $d = .11$ CI (-.17 - .38) | ITT-data extracted; PP-data only marginally different; clinical implication based on superiority analysis | CPRS-Conflicts |
| | Family conflicts, Online BPT vs. group BPT, 12 months FU | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 161$ $d = .02$ CI (-.27 - .32) | ITT-data extracted; PP-data only marginally different; clinical implication based on superiority analysis | CPRS-Conflicts |
| Engelbrektsson et al., 2023 | | | | | |
| Population: parents of children with disruptive behavior problems (3-11 years, no inf. Regarding diagnosis) Intervention: internet-delivered parent training (iComet) Comparison: group parent training (in person, gComet) | Peer rel. problems, Online BPT vs. group BPT, 3 months FU | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 161$ $d = .08$ CI (-.15 - .30) | ITT-data extracted; PP-data only marginally different; clinical implication based on superiority analysis | SDQ |
| | Peer rel. problems, Online BPT vs. group BPT, 12 months FU | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 161$ $d = -.12$ CI (-.39 - .16) | ITT-data extracted; PP-data only marginally different; clinical implication based on superiority analysis | SDQ |
| | Prosocial behavior, Online BPT vs. group BPT, 3 months FU | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 161$ $d = -.08$ CI (-.35 - .18) | ITT-data extracted; PP-data only marginally different; clinical implication based on superiority analysis | SDQ |
| | Prosocial behavior, Online BPT vs. group BPT, | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 161$ $d = .00$ CI (-.27 - .27) | ITT-data extracted; PP-data only marginally different; clinical | SDQ |

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| | 12 months FU | | U | implication based on superiority analysis | |
| Hautmann et al., 2018 | | | | | |
| | Functioning level, BPT vs. non-BPT | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID) | $n = 110$ $d = -.26$ CI (-.60 - .08) | Data from per-protocol analysis | WFIRS-P |
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| Nuno et al., 2020 | | | | | |
| | Learning problems | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 87$ $ES = n.a.$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | Conners 3-P Short-Form |
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| | Executive functioning | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 87$ $ES = n.a.$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | Conners 3-P Short-Form |
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| | Peer relations | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 87$ $ES = n.a.$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | Conners 3-P Short-Form |
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| Pijarnvanit et al., 2022 | | | | | |
| | Executive function, behavioral regulation, Within group | Very high risk ● (SG, CC, BP, BA) | $n = 9$ $R = .447$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value; no info on validation of Thai BRIEF version | BRI from BRIEF (adapted Thai version) |
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| <p>Intervention: 13 sessions of telehealth parent coaching with 3 components (goal setting, education, and problem-solving process)</p> <p>Comparison: no control group</p> | <p>Executive function, metacognition, Within group</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(SG, CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 9$</p> <p>$R = .629$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value; no info on validation of Thai BRIEF version</p> | <p>MI from BRIEF (adapted Thai version)</p> |
| | <p>Global executive function, Within group</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(SG, CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 9$</p> <p>$R = .595$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value; no info on validation of Thai BRIEF version</p> | <p>Global executive composite from BRIEF (adapted Thai version)</p> |

Symptomverbesserung. Elternurteil

Chung et al., 2024

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| <p>Population: parents of children with ADHD (7-11 years old)</p> <p>Intervention: Behavioral Parent Training, done by a school-psychologist, online (via Zoom)</p> <p>Comparison: no control group</p> | <p>Clinical global impairment, Within group</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(SG, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 22$</p> <p>$\omega^2 = .21$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>CGI</p> |
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Lebensqualität. Elternurteil

Daley et al., 2021

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| <p>Population: parents of mediated children with ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: self-help version of the New Forest Parenting Programme + TAU (incl. MED)</p> <p>Comparison: TAU (incl. MED)</p> | <p>Child QoL, PT + TAU vs. TAU</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, BA, CE)</p> | <p>$n = 52$</p> <p>$ES = n.a.$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value; no effect in any subscale</p> | <p>(CHIP CE/ CRF), subscales satisfaction, comfort, resilience, risk avoid, achievement</p> |
| | <p>Child QoL, PT + TAU vs. TAU, Follow-up</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, BA, CE)</p> | <p>$n = 52$</p> <p>$ES = n.a.$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value; no effect in any subscale</p> | <p>(CHIP CE/ CRF), subscales satisfaction, comfort, resilience, risk avoid, achievement</p> |

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| Hautmann et al., 2018 | QoL, BPT vs. non-BPT | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID) | $n = 110$ $d = .07$ CI (-.30 - .44) | Data from per-protocol analysis | KINDL-R |
| Population: parents of children with ADHD (4-11 years old) | | | U | | |
| Intervention: Behavioral Parent Training (BPT) | | | | | |
| Comparison: Nonbehavioral Parent Training (non-BPT) | QoL, BPT vs. non-BPT, 12 months FU | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID) | $n = 110$ $d = -.01$ CI (-.52 - .50) | Data from per-protocol analysis | KINDL-R |
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| | Quality of life, F2F BPT vs. ST | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID) | $n = 39$ $ES = n.a.$ CI (n.a.) | No significant group differences on any subscale using corrected values; clinical Implication based on post-hoc analyses of time x group interaction | Kidscreen-52 |
| Paiva et al., 2024 | | | U | | |
| Population: families of boys with ADHD symptoms (6-12 years old, 50% medicated) | | | | | |
| Intervention: Face to Face (F2F) behavioral parent training + standard treatment (ST, possibly incl. MED) | | | | | |
| Comparison: online behavioral parent training + standard treatment (ST, possibly incl. MED) or ST alone | Quality of life, Online BPT vs. ST | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID) | $n = 38$ $ES = n.a.$ CI (n.a.) | No significant group differences on any subscale using corrected values; clinical Implication based on post-hoc analyses of time x group interaction | Kidscreen-52 |
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| | Quality of life, F2F BPT vs. online BPT | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID) | $n = 37$ $ES = n.a.$ CI (n.a.) | No significant group differences on any subscale using corrected values; clinical Implication based on post-hoc analyses of time x group interaction | Kidscreen-52 |
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Engelbrektsson et al., 2023

Population: parents of children with disruptive behavior problems (3-11 years, no inf. Regarding diagnosis)

Intervention: internet-delivered parent training (iComet)

Comparison: group parent training (in person, gComet)

Quality of life, Online BPT vs. group BPT, 3 months FU

High risk
● (BP)

$n = 161$
 $d = -.05$
CI (-.47 - .37)

U

ITT-data extracted; PP-data only marginally different; clinical implication based on superiority analysis

KINDL-R

Physische Aktivität. Test

Tandon et al., 2024

Population: families with children with ADHD (6–10 years)

Intervention: weekly 90-min LEAP virtual “telegroups” were conducted via HIPAA-compliant Zoom

Comparison: weekly 90-min standard BMT

Healthy behaviors, Moderate to vigorous PA

Very high risk
● (BP, ID, OR)

$n = 84$
 $ES = n.a.$
CI (n.a.)

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Clinical implication based on p-value; no significant difference in change over time by study arm or ADHD subtype

Accelerometer

Schlaf. Kombiniertes Urteil

Tandon et al., 2024

Population: families with children with ADHD (6–10 years)

Intervention: weekly 90-min LEAP virtual “telegroups” were conducted via HIPAA-compliant Zoom

Comparison: weekly 90-min standard BMT

Healthy behaviors, Sleep duration

Very high risk
● (BP, ID, OR)

$n = 84$
 $ES = n.a.$
CI (n.a.)

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Sleep duration measured at baseline, 10 weeks, and 20 weeks similar among LEAP and BMT participants; two study groups similar patterns over time

Minutes measured by 24h accelerometer wear (validated and refined to collect quantitative sleep data in school-age children)

Healthy behaviors, Sleep duration, Parent estimation

Very high risk
● (BP, ID, OR)

$n = 84$
 $ES = n.a.$
CI (n.a.)

U

Parent-estimated average sleep duration decreased from baseline to 10 weeks for both groups and increased from 10

Children’s Sleep Habits Questionnaire (CSHQ; Bedtime Resistance subscale)

to 20 weeks, but changes not significant

Elterliche mentale Gesundheit. Elternurteil

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| <p>Nuno et al., 2020</p> <p>Population: parents of children 6-8 years old with ADHD or suspected of having ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: online parent training - Nurtured Heart Approach (NHA)</p> <p>Comparison: delayed control</p> | <p>Parenting stress: parental distress</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 87$</p> <p>$ES = \text{n.a.}$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>Parenting Stress Index (PSI) 4 Short Form</p> |
| | <p>Parenting stress: difficult child</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 87$</p> <p>$ES = \text{n.a.}$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>Parenting Stress Index (PSI) 4 Short Form</p> |
| | <p>Parenting stress: total score</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 87$</p> <p>$ES = \text{n.a.}$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>Parenting Stress Index (PSI) 4 Short Form</p> |
| | <p>Parenting stress: parent-child dysfunctional interaction</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 87$</p> <p>$ES = \text{n.a.}$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>Parenting Stress Index (PSI) 4 Short Form</p> |

Erziehungsverhalten. Elternurteil

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| <p>Daley et al., 2021</p> <p>Population: parents of mediated children with ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: self-help version of the New Forest Parenting Programme + TAU (incl. MED)</p> <p>Comparison: TAU (incl. MED)</p> | <p>Parenting efficacy, PT + TAU vs. TAU</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, BA, CE)</p> | <p>$n = 52$</p> <p>$d = -.24$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value; post intervention</p> | <p>Parenting Sense of Competence Scale (PSOC)</p> |
| | <p>Parenting satisfaction, PT + TAU vs. TAU</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, BA, CE)</p> | <p>$n = 52$</p> <p>$d = -.14$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value; post intervention</p> | <p>Parenting Sense of Competence Scale (PSOC)</p> |

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| | <p>Parenting efficacy, PT + TAU vs. TAU, Follow-up</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (BP, BA, CE)</p> | <p>$n = 52$ $d = .11$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value; post intervention</p> | <p>Parenting Sense of Competence Scale (PSOC)</p> |
| | <p>Parenting satisfaction, PT + TAU vs. TAU, Follow-up</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (BP, BA, CE)</p> | <p>$n = 52$ $d = .43$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value; post intervention</p> | <p>Parenting Sense of Competence Scale (PSOC)</p> |
| <p>Dose et al., 2017</p> <p>Population: parents of medicated children with ADHD and residual functional impairment Intervention: TASH + routine care (incl. MED) Comparison: routine care (incl. MED) only</p> | <p>Positive parenting, TASH + TAU vs. TAU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 103$ $ES = n.a.$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>FPNE</p> |
| | <p>Negative parenting, TASH + TAU vs. TAU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 103$ $ES = n.a.$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>FPNE</p> |
| <p>Engelbrektsson et al., 2023</p> <p>Population: parents of children with disruptive behavior problems (3-11 years, no inf. Regarding diagnosis) Intervention: internet-delivered parent training (iComet) Comparison: group parent training (in person, gComet)</p> | <p>Total parenting strategies, Online BPT vs. group BPT, 3 months FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 161$ $d = -.41$ CI (-.39 - -.12)</p> <p>C</p> | <p>ITT-data extracted; PP-data only marginally different; clinical implication based on superiority analysis</p> | <p>PARYC-total</p> |
| | <p>Total parenting strategies, Online BPT vs. group BPT, 12 months FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 161$ $d = .00$ CI (-.31 - .30)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>ITT-data extracted; PP-data only marginally different; clinical implication based on superiority analysis</p> | <p>PARYC-total</p> |

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| | Parental self-efficacy, BPT vs. non-BPT | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID) | $n = 110$ $d = .36$ CI (.07 - .65) | Data from per-protocol analysis | FSW |
| | Parental self-efficacy, BPT vs. non-BPT, 12 months FU | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID) | $n = 110$ $d = -.04$ CI (-.43 - .35) | Data from per-protocol analysis | FSW |
| Hautmann et al., 2018 Population: parents of children with ADHD (4-11 years old) Intervention: Behavioral Parent Training (BPT) Comparison: Nonbehavioral Parent Training (non-BPT) | Positive parenting BPT vs. non-BPT | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID) | $n = 110$ $d = .29$ CI (.00 - .58) | Data from per-protocol analysis | FPNE |
| | Negative parenting, BPT vs. non-BPT | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID) | $n = 110$ $d = -.35$ CI (-.64 - -.06) | Data from per-protocol analysis | FPNE |
| | Positive parenting, BPT vs. non-BPT, Follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID) | $n = 110$ $d = .15$ CI (-.18 - .49) | Data from per-protocol analysis | FPNE |
| | Negative parenting, BPT vs. non-BPT, Follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID) | $n = 110$ $d = -.07$ CI (-.04 - .26) | Data from per-protocol analysis | FPNE |

Nuno et al., 2020

Population: parents of children 6-8 years old with ADHD or suspected of having ADHD
Intervention: online parent training - Nurtured Heart Approach (NHA)
Comparison: delayed control

Parenting sense of competence: satisfaction

Very high risk
 ●
 (BP, BA, OI)

n = 87
ES = n.a.
CI (n.a.)

U

Clinical implication based on p-value; PSOC version used in study labeled incorrect, precision may be reduced, but version coherently used among all participants

Parenting Sense of Competence Scale (PSOC)

Parenting sense of competence: efficacy

Very high risk
 ●
 (BP, BA, OI)

n = 87
ES = n.a.
CI (n.a.)

U

Clinical implication based on p-value; PSOC version used in study labeled incorrect, precision may be reduced, but version coherently used among all participants

Parenting Sense of Competence Scale (PSOC)

Parenting sense of competence, Total score

Very high risk
 ●
 (BP, BA, OI)

n = 87
ES = n.a.
CI (n.a.)

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Clinical implication based on p-value; PSOC version used in study labeled incorrect, precision may be reduced, but version coherently used among all participants

Parenting Sense of Competence Scale (PSOC)

Paiva et al., 2024

Population: families of boys with ADHD symptoms (6-12 years old, 50% medicated)
Intervention: Face to Face (F2F) behavioral parent training +

Parenting style, F2F BPT vs. ST

Very high risk
 ●
 (BP, BA, ID)

n = 39
ES = n.a.
CI (n.a.)

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No significant group differences on any subscale using corrected values; clinical Implication based on post-hoc analyses of time x group interaction

PSDQ

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| standard treatment (ST, possibly incl. MED) Comparison: online behavioral parent training + standard treatment (ST, possibly incl. MED) or ST alone | Parenting style, Online BPT vs. ST | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID) | $n = 38$ $ES = n.a.$ $CI (n.a.)$ | No significant group differences on any subscale using corrected values; clinical implication based on post-hoc analyses of time x group interaction | PSDQ |
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| | Parenting style, F2F BPT vs. online BPT | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID) | $n = 37$ $ES = n.a.$ $CI (n.a.)$ | No significant group differences on any subscale using corrected values; clinical implication based on post-hoc analyses of time x group interaction | PSDQ |
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| Pijarnvanit et al., 2022 | | | | | |
| Population: parents of children with ADHD, aged 7–12 years Intervention: 13 sessions of telehealth parent coaching with 3 components (goal setting, education, and problem-solving process) Comparison: no control group | Parenting efficacy, Within group | Very high risk ● (SG, CC, BP, BA) | $n = 9$ $R = .587$ $CI (n.a.)$ | Clinical implication based on p-value | Parenting Sense of Competence Scale (PSOC) |
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| Shechtman et al., 2019 | | | | | |
| Population: parents of children with ADHD (6-17 years old) Intervention: emotion regulation coaching (Coach.) Comparison: self-help intervention (via book) | Parenting efficacy, Coach vs. self-help | Very high risk ● (SG, BP, BA) | $n = 66$ $ES = n.a.$ $CI (n.a.)$ | Clinical implication based on p-value; within-group effects not presented for single intervention; group allocation not random | Parenting Sense of Competence Scale (PSOC) |
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| Parenting satisfaction, Coach vs. self-help | Very high risk ● (SG, BP, BA) | <i>n</i> = 66 <i>ES</i> = n.a. <i>CI</i> (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value; within-group effects not presented for single intervention; group allocation not random | Parenting Sense of Competence Scale (PSOC) |
| Parenting efficacy, Coach vs. self-help | Very high risk ● (SG, BP, BA) | <i>n</i> = 66 <i>ES</i> = n.a. <i>CI</i> (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value; within-group effects not presented for single intervention; group allocation not random | Parenting Sense of Competence Scale (PSOC) |
| Total parenting competence, Coach vs. self-help | Very high risk ● (SG, BP, BA) | <i>n</i> = 66 <i>ES</i> = n.a. <i>CI</i> (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value; within-group effects not presented for single intervention; group allocation not random | Parenting Sense of Competence Scale (PSOC) |
| Restrictive coping, Coach vs. self-help | Very high risk ● (SG, BP, BA) | <i>n</i> = 66 <i>ES</i> = n.a. <i>CI</i> (n.a.) I | Clinical Implication based on p-value; within-group effects not presented for single intervention; group allocation not random | Coping with Children's Negative Emotions Scale (CCNES) |

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| Positive coping, Coach vs. self-help | Very high risk ● (SG, BP, BA) | $n = 66$ $ES = n.a.$ $CI (n.a.)$ | U | Clinical Implication based on p-value; within-group effects not presented for single intervention; group allocation not random | Coping with Children's Negative Emotions Scale (CCNES) |
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Eltern-Kind-Beziehung. Elternurteil

Engelbrektsson et al., 2023

Population: parents of children with disruptive behavior problems (3-11 years, no inf. Regarding diagnosis)

Intervention: internet-delivered parent training (iComet)

Comparison: group parent training (in person, gComet)

Parent-child relationship, Online BPT vs. group BPT, 3 months FU

High risk
●
(BP)

$n = 161$
 $d = .02$
 $CI (-.42 - .47)$

U

ITT-data extracted; PP-data only marginally different; clinical implication based on superiority analysis

Alabama Parenting Questionnaire

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen. SG = sequence generation, CC = concealment, BP = blinding participants, BA = blinding assessors, ID = incomplete data, OR = outcome reporting, CE = carry over effects, SX = stopped early, UM = unvalidated measures, OI = other issue.

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1.3.3.3. Wie sollten Interventionen im schulischen Umfeld bei Kindern im Schulalter mit ADHS durchgeführt werden?

1.3.3.3. A

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Meta-Analysen

| Endpunktkategorien | MAs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|------------------------------|-----|---|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (E) | 1 | 1 | Schwach/ sehr schwach |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (L) | 2 | 2 | |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (U) | 2 | 5 | |
| Beeinträchtigungen (E) | 1 | 1 | |
| Beeinträchtigungen (L) | 1 | 1 | |
| Beeinträchtigungen (KL/Obs) | 1 | 1 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (L) | 2 | 6 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (KL/ Obs) | 2 | 2 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (U) | 1 | 2 | |
| Prosoziales Verhalten (U) | 1 | 1 | |
| ADHS Wissen (L) | 1 | 1 | |
| Lehrverhalten (L) | 1 | 3 | |

Anmerkung. MAs = Anzahl der Meta-Analysen, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: RCTs

| Endpunkt | RCTs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|--------------------------------|------|---|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (E) | 1 | 1 | Schwach/ sehr schwach |
| Beeinträchtigungen (L) | 1 | 1 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (E) | 1 | 1 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (L) | 1 | 7 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (KL/ Obs) | 1 | 2 | |
| Soziale Funktionalität (E) | 1 | 1 | |
| Soziale Funktionalität (S) | 1 | 2 | |
| Soziale Funktionalität (GI) | 1 | 1 | |
| Akademische Funktionalität (E) | 1 | 1 | |
| Akademische Funktionalität (L) | 1 | 1 | |
| Symptomverbesserung (E) | 1 | 1 | |

Anmerkung. RCTs = Anzahl der randomisierten kontrollierten Studien, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: Meta-Analysen

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Aussagesicherheit (GRADE) | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Messinstrument |
|--|---|---------------------------|--|---|---------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| Fabiano, et al., 2021 | | | | | |
| Population: children and adolescents with ADHD/ ODD (max. 18 years) Intervention: Behavioral Classroom Management Comparison: control group | ADHD symptoms | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (P) | $n = n.a., k = 3$ $d = .35$ CI (.00 - .70) | Between group study design; in studies focused on externalizing behavior problems over 50% of the participants must have been diagnosed with ADHD or characterized as such; assignment to primary studies not possible. | n.a. |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Lehrer*innenurteil | | | | | |
| Fabiano, et al., 2021 | | | | | |
| Population: children and adolescents with ADHD/ ODD (max. 18 years) Intervention: Behavioral Classroom Management Comparison: control group | ADHD symptoms | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (P) | $n = n.a., k = 3$ $d = .66$ CI (.35 - .97) | Between group study design; in studies focused on externalizing behavior problems over 50% of the participants must have been diagnosed with ADHD or characterized as such; assignment to primary studies not possible. | n.a. |
| Veenman, et al., 2018 | | | | | |
| Population: children with ADHD and ODD/ CD symptoms (6-12 years) Intervention: behavioral teaching/ classroom program | ADHD symptoms, Clinical, at-risk and community samples | Low ⊕⊕⊕○ (ID, P) | $n = 13313, k = 9$ $d = -.19$ CI (-.35 - -.02) | Symptoms of ODD and CD taken together. Behavioral programs defined as programs using behavioral techniques on daily basis, comprehensive treatment programs using | DBD, CRS, ADS-IV, ADHD-RS, SNAP, TOCA |

Comparison: waitlist, treatment as usual, other intervention

behavioral classroom program as one main element also included.

ADHS Symptome gesamt. Unklares Urteil

Aldabbagh, et al., 2022

Population: children with ADHD and externalizing behaviors (2-13 years)

Intervention: teacher training: IY, classroom management, CBT, web-based intervention, Best In Class intervention, Behavior management strategies, Key2Tech, Daily Report Cards, RFRP, Positivity and Ruels Programm, playing together session, counseling, coaching functional behavior

Comparison: waiting list, treatment as usual, other treatment

ADHD symptoms

Low
⊕⊕○○
(R)

$n = 259, k = 5$
 $d = .47$
CI (.30 - .65)

I

Researchers grouped hyperactivity symptoms and inattention symptoms together if listed separately in a study

SDQ, CTRS

Ward, et al., 2022

Population: children and adolescents with ADHD or identified as displaying ADHD-type behaviors

ADHD symptoms in pupils, Between subjects, Posttest

Very low
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(R, IC, IP)

$n = 422, k = 5$
 $SMD = .71$
CI (-.11 - 1.52)

U

Variety of measurement including vignettes, self-report questionnaire and blinded observations

CTRS-R, YCI, COC, CBTC, TRF, K-ARS, BOSS, Conner's 3 teacher, non-blinded, and blinded observations

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| Intervention: teacher training/ school intervention Comparison: waitlist control, alternative treatment, control group | ADHD symptoms in pupils, Within subjects, Posttest | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 275, k = 7$ $SMD = .78$ $CI (.37 - 1.18)$ | CTRS-R, YCI, COC, CBTC, TRF, K-ARS, BOSS, Conner's 3 teacher, non-blinded, and blinded observations |
| | ADHD symptoms in pupils, Between subjects, Follow-up | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = 180, k = 2$ $SMD = .50$ $CI (.14 - .87)$ | TRF, Conners |
| | ADHD symptoms in pupils, Within subjects, Follow-up | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = 138, k = 3$ $SMD = .39$ $CI (.15 - .62)$ | TRF, Conners-T, DSM-IV TR symptom list |

Beeinträchtigungen. Elternurteil

| | | | | | |
|--|-------------------|-------------------------|--|--|------|
| Fabiano, et al., 2021 Population: children and adolescents with ADHD/ ODD (max. 18 years) Intervention: Behavioral Classroom Management Comparison: control group | Impairment | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (P) | $n = n.a., k = 1$ $d = .15$ $CI (.03 - .28)$ | Assignment to primary studies not possible | n.a. |
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Beeinträchtigungen. Lehrer*innenurteil

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|--|-------------------|---------------------------------|--|--|------|
| Fabiano, et al., 2021 Population: children and adolescents with ADHD/ ODD (max. 18 years) Intervention: Behavioral Classroom Management | Impairment | Very low ⊕○○○ (IC, IP, P) | $n = n.a., k = 2$ $d = .72$ $CI (-.10 - 1.54)$ | Assignment to primary studies not possible | n.a. |
|--|-------------------|---------------------------------|--|--|------|

Comparison: control group

Beeinträchtigung. Kliniker*innenurteil (Obs)

Fabiano, et al., 2021

Population: children and adolescents with ADHD/ ODD (max. 18 years)

Intervention: Behavioral Classroom Management

Comparison: control group

Impairment

Very low
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(IC, IP, P)

$n = n.a., k = 1$
 $d = .18$
CI (-1.66 - 2.02)

U

Assignment to primary studies not possible

n.a.

Verhaltensprobleme. Lehrer*innenurteil

Fabiano, et al., 2021

Population: children and adolescents with ADHD/ ODD (max. 18 years)

Intervention: Behavioral Classroom Management

Comparison: control group

Externalizing behavior problems

Moderate
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(P)

$n = n.a., k = 1$
 $d = .26$
CI (.26 - .26)

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Assignment to primary studies not possible

n.a.

Veenman, et al., 2018

Population: children with ADHD and ODD/ CD symptoms (6-12 years)

Intervention: behavioral teaching/ classroom program

Comparison: waitlist, treatment as usual, other intervention

ODD/CD symptoms, Clinical, at-risk, and community samples

Low
⊕⊕○○
(ID, P)

$n = 16743, k = 10$
 $d = -.15$
CI (-.23 - -.06)

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Symptoms of ODD and CD taken together. Behavioral programs defined as programs using behavioral techniques on daily basis, comprehensive treatment programs using behavioral classroom program as one

DBD, TRF, CRS, PBSI, SNAP, TOCA

main element
also included.

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| Disruptive behavior, Clinical, at-risk, and community samples | Very low ⊕○○○ (IC, ID, P) | $n = 18074, k = 17$ $d = -.20$ CI (-.29 - -.10) | At-risk samples consisted of participants with elevated levels of disruptive behavior problems at school | CRS, SDQ, PBSI, SNAP, TOCA, BASC, ADHD-RS, TRF, DBD |
| Disruptive behavior, Clinical sample | Moderate ⊕⊕○○ (ID) | $n = 828, k = 7$ $d = -.19$ CI (-.35 - -.04) | Clinical sample > 85% met diagnostic criteria | CRS, SDQ, PBSI, SNAP, TOCA, BASC, ADHD-RS, TRF, DBD, ADS-IV |
| Disruptive behavior, At-risk sample | Low ⊕⊕○○ (IC, ID) | $n = 1081, k = 6$ $d = -.26$ CI (-.42 - -.09) | At-risk samples consisted of participants with elevated levels of disruptive behavior problems at school | CRS, SDQ, PBSI, SNAP, TOCA, BASC, ADHD-RS, TRF, DBD, ADS-IV |
| Disruptive behavior, Community sample | Very low ⊕○○○ (IC, ID, P) | $n = 828, k = 7$ $d = -.19$ CI (-.35 - -.04) | | CRS, SDQ, PBSI, SNAP, TOCA, BASC, ADHD-RS, TRF, DBD, ADS-IV |

Verhaltensprobleme. Kliniker*innenurteil (Obs)

Fabiano, et al., 2021

Population: children and adolescents with ADHD/ ODD (max. 18 years)

Externalizing behavior problems

Moderate
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(P)

$n = n.a., k = 1$
 $d = 1.12$
CI (.49 - 1.75)

Assignment to primary studies not possible

n.a.

Intervention:
Behavioral Classroom Management
Comparison: control group

Veenman, et al., 2018

Population: children with ADHD and ODD/CD symptoms (6-12 years)
Intervention: behavioral teaching/classroom program
Comparison: waitlist, treatment as usual, other intervention

Disruptive behavior, Clinical, at-risk, and community samples

Very low
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(R, IC, ID, IP)

$n = 907, k = 4$
 $d = -.48$
CI (-1.11 - .15)

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Observation

Verhaltensprobleme. Unbekanntes Urteil

Aldabbagh, et al., 2022

Population: children with ADHD and externalizing behaviors (2-13 years)
Intervention: teacher training: IY, classroom management, CBT, web-based intervention, Best In Class intervention, Behavior management strategies, Key2Tech, Daily Report Cards, RFRP, Positivity and Ruels Programm, playing together session, counseling, coaching functional behavior
Comparison: waiting list, treatment as usual, other treatment

Externalizing behavior

Low
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(R)

$n = 639, k = 12$
 $d = .41$
CI (.25 - .56)

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Externalizing behavior problems domain was heterogeneous and comprised studies measuring oppositional behavior, challenging behavior, and conduct behavior, using variety of measures as listed

SDQ, SESBI, CTRS, SSBS-2, TCIDOS, CTRF, TOCA-C, SCP, SSIS-RS, PBQ, ECBI, SESBI-R

Conduct problems

Very low
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(R, IC)

$n = 268, k = 5$
 $d = .38$
CI (.04 - .71)

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DPICS, TCIDOS, TPOT, CCOF

Prosoziales Verhalten. Unklares Urteil

Aldabbagh, et al., 2022

Population: children with ADHD and externalizing behaviors (2-13 years)

Intervention: teacher training: IY, classroom management, CBT, web-based intervention, Best In Class intervention, Behavior management strategies, Key2Tech, Daily Report Cards, RFRP, Positivity and Ruels Programm, playing together session, counseling, coaching functional behavior

Comparison: waiting list, treatment as usual, other treatment

Prosocial behavior

Very low
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(R, IC)

$n = 502, k = 9$
 $d = .46$
CI (.28 - .64)



The included studies measured peer relationships, prosocial skills and social behavior.

PRO, SDQ, WMCS-2, TPOT, TOCA-A, SCP, SSIS

ADHS Wissen. Lehrer*innenurteil

Ward, et al., 2022

Population: children and adolescents with ADHD or identified as displaying ADHD-type behaviors

Intervention: teacher training/ school intervention

Comparison: waitlist control, alternative treatment, control group

Teacher ADHD knowledge, Between subjects, Posttest

Very low
⊕○○○
(R, IC)

$n = 753, k = 6$
 $SMD = 1.56$
CI (.52 - 2.95)



Variety of measurement including vignettes, self-report questionnaire and blinded observations; data at follow-up for teacher knowledge between-group

Study own self-report questionnaires, KADDS, SRAQ teacher

Lehrverhalten. Lehrer*innenurteil

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|---|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--|---|
| Aldabbagh, et al., 2022 Population: children with ADHD and externalizing behaviors (2-13 years) Intervention: teacher training: IY, classroom management, CBT, web-based intervention, Best In Class intervention, Behavior management strategies, Key2Tech, Daily Report Cards, RFRP, Positivity and Ruels Programm, playing together session, counseling, coaching functional behavior Comparison: waiting list, treatment as usual, other treatment | Teacher's warmth and closeness | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 304, k = 6$ $d = .48$ CI (.15 - .81) | TPOT, STRS |
| | Teacher's conflict | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R) | $n = 262, k = 5$ $d = .19$ CI (.05 - .34) | STRS |
| | Teacher's positive strategies | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 231, k = 8$ $d = .71$ CI (.29 - 1.14) | MOOSES, DPICS, TCIDOS, CMSQ, TPOT, CLASS, OREVS |

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen, k = Anzahl der inkludierten Primärstudien. R = risk of bias, IC = inconsistency, ID = indirectness, IP = imprecision, P = publication bias.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: RCTs

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Risk of Bias | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Mess-instrument |
|--|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|---|-------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| Pfiffner, et al., 2018 Population: students with ADHD 2 nd – 5 th grade Intervention: Collaborative Life Skills (CLS) program (classroom int., parent training, child skill training) | ADHD total symptoms | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, OR) | $n = 62$ $d = -.95$ CI (-1.33 - -.58) | Results are from FU-values, measured in following school year | Child Symptom Inventory (CSI) |

Comparison: usual community service

Beeinträchtigung. Lehrer*innenurteil

Mikami, et al., 2022

Population: children with risk for ADHD and their teachers

Intervention: making socially accepting inclusive classrooms (MOSAIC)

Comparison: typical practice

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| Impairment due to ADHD symptoms | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 134$ $parial \eta^2 = .05$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value | Academic Competence Evaluation Scales – Short Form (ASF) |
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Verhaltensprobleme. Elternurteil

Pfiffner, et al., 2018

Population: students with ADHD 2nd – 5th grade

Intervention: Collaborative Life Skills (CLS) program (classroom int., parent training, child skill training)

Comparison: usual community service

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|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|---|-------------------------------|
| ODD total symptoms | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, OR) | $n = 28$ $d = -.57$ CI (-.94 - -.22) I | Results are from FU-values, measured in following school year | Child Symptom Inventory (CSI) |
|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|---|-------------------------------|

Verhaltensprobleme. Lehrer*innenurteil

Staff, et al., 2021

Population: children with impairing levels of ADHD symptoms (6-12 years)

Intervention: short (2 sessions), individualized intervention consisting of either (A) antecedent-based techniques (stimulus control), (B) consequent-based

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|---|---------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|---|
| Total problem behaviors, Antecedent vs. control, T0-T1 | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 60$ $d = .99$ CI (.35 - 1.63) I | T1 during week immediately after | Problem behaviors derived by teachers from list of target behaviors (van den Hoofdakker et al., 2007), listing 32 possible problem behaviors related to ADHD. |
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techniques (contingency management)

Comparison: waitlist

Total problem behaviors, Antecedent vs. control, T0-T2

Very high risk
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(BP, BA)

$n = 60$
 $d = .93$
CI (.29 - 1.57)

T2 three weeks after intervention

Problem behaviors derived by teachers from list of target behaviors (van den Hoofdakker et al., 2007), listing 32 possible problem behaviors related to ADHD.

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Total problem behaviors, Consequent vs. control, T0-T1

Very high risk
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(BP, BA)

$n = 60$
 $d = .77$
CI (.14 - 1.40)

T1 during week immediately after

Problem behaviors derived by teachers from list of target behaviors (van den Hoofdakker et al., 2007), listing 32 possible problem behaviors related to ADHD.

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Total problem behaviors, Consequent vs. control, T0-T2

Very high risk
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(BP, BA)

$n = 60$
 $d = .92$
CI (.28 - 1.56)

T2 three weeks after intervention

Problem behaviors derived by teachers from list of target behaviors (van den Hoofdakker et al., 2007), listing 32 possible problem behaviors related to ADHD.

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Total problem behaviors, Antecedent vs. Consequent, T0-T1

Very high risk
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(BP, BA)

$n = 60$
 $d = .06$
CI (-.56 - .68)

T1 during week immediately after

Problem behaviors derived by teachers from list of target

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behaviors (van den Hoofdakker et al., 2007), listing 32 possible problem behaviors related to ADHD.

Total problem behaviors, Antecedent vs. Consequent, T0-T2

Very high risk
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(BP, BA)

$n = 60$
 $d = .14$
CI (-.48 - .76)

T2 three weeks after intervention

Problem behaviors derived by teachers from list of target behaviors (van den Hoofdakker et al., 2007), listing 32 possible problem behaviors related to ADHD.

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Total problem behaviors, Antecedent vs. Consequent, T2-T3

Very high risk
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(BP, BA)

$n = 60$
 $d = .30$
CI (-.32 - .92)

T3 follow-up three months after baseline

Problem behaviors derived by teachers from list of target behaviors (van den Hoofdakker et al., 2007), listing 32 possible problem behaviors related to ADHD.

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Verhaltensprobleme. Kliniker*innenurteil (Obs)

Harrison, et al., 2022

Population: students with ADHD
Intervention: classroom strategies: prompting, self-management,

Disruptive behavior, Prompting vs. sensory proprioception

Very high risk
●
(BP, BA, UM)

$n = 15$
 $d = 1.64$
CI (n.a.)

Clinical implication based on post hoc pairwise comparison. Only comparisons with significant


Observation

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sensory proprioception, taking breaks
Comparison: strategies compared to each other

differences reported

Disruptive behavior, Prompting vs. taking breaks

Very high risk

 (BP, BA, UM)

$n = 15$
 $d = 1.31$
 CI (n.a.)

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Clinical implication based on post hoc pairwise comparison. Only comparisons with significant differences reported

Observation

Soziale Funktionalität. Elternurteil


Pfiffner, et al., 2018

Population: students with ADHD 2nd – 5th grade

Intervention: Collaborative Life Skills (CLS) program (classroom int., parent training, child skill training)

Comparison: usual community service

Social skills

Very high risk

 (BP, BA, OR)

$n = 32$
 $d = .11$
 CI (n.a.)

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Results are from FU-values, measured in following school year

The Social Skills Improvement System (SSIS)

Soziale Funktionalität. Selbsturteil

Mikami, et al., 2022

Population: children with risk for ADHD and their teachers

Intervention: making socially accepting inclusive classrooms (MOSAIC)

Comparison: typical practice

Support from teachers

High risk

 (BP)

$n = 134$
 $parial \eta^2 = .05$
 CI (n.a.)

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Clinical implication based on p-value

Classroom, Life Measure (CLM)

Support from peers

High risk

 (BP)

$n = 134$
 $parial \eta^2 = .02$
 CI (n.a.)

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Clinical implication based on p-value

Classroom, Life Measure (CLM)

Soziale Funktionalität. Gleichaltrigenurteil

Mikami, et al., 2022

Social preference

High risk

 (UM)

$n = 134$
 $parial \eta^2 = .06$
 CI (n.a.)

Clinical implication based on p-value

Positive/negative nominations by classmates

Population: children with risk for ADHD and their teachers
Intervention: making socially accepting inclusive classrooms (MOSAIC)
Comparison: typical practice


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Akademische Funktionalität. Elternurteil

Pfiffner, et al., 2018

Population: students with ADHD 2nd – 5th grade
Intervention: Collaborative Life Skills (CLS) program (classroom int., parent training, child skill training)
Comparison: usual community service

Organizational functioning

Very high risk

 (BP, BA, OR)

n = 45
d = -.57
 CI (-.95 - -.21)

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Results are from FU-values, measured in following school year

Children's Organizational Skills Scale

Akademische Funktionalität. Lehrer*innenurteil

Mikami, et al., 2022

Population: children with risk for ADHD and their teachers
Intervention: making socially accepting inclusive classrooms (MOSAIC)
Comparison: typical practice

Academic competence

High risk

 (BP)

n = 134
parial η^2 = .05
 CI (n.a.)

U

Clinical implication based on p-value


Academic Competence Evaluation Scales – Short Form (ASF)

Symptomverbesserung. Elternurteil

Pfiffner, et al., 2018

Population: students with ADHD 2nd – 5th grade
Intervention: Collaborative Life Skills (CLS) program (classroom int., parent

Global improvement

Very high risk

 (BP, BA, OR)

n = n.a.
OR = 2.55
 CI (1.7 - 3.9)

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Results are from FU-values, measured in following school year

CGI

training, child skill
training)
Comparison: usual
community service

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen. SG = sequence generation, CC = concealment, BP = blinding participants, BA = blinding assessors, ID = incomplete data, OR = outcome reporting, CE = carry over effects, SX = stopped early, UM = unvalidated measures, OI = other issue.

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Konsultationsphase

1.3.3.4. Was sind die Ziele einer kognitiv-behavioralen Behandlung von Kindern / Jugendlichen mit ADHS ab dem Schulalter?

1.3.3.4. A

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Meta-Analysen

| Endpunktkategorien | MAs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|----------------------------------|-----|---|-------------------------------------|
| Aufmerksamkeit (KU) | 1 | 2 | Schwach/ sehr schwach |
| Aufmerksamkeit (E) | 2 | 4 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (L) | 1 | 1 | |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität (KU) | 1 | 2 | |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität (E) | 1 | 3 | |
| Funktionalität (E) | 3 | 5 | |
| Funktionalität (L) | 2 | 2 | |
| Verhalten (E) | 1 | 3 | |
| Metakognition (E) | 1 | 3 | |

Anmerkung. MAs = Anzahl der Meta-Analysen, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: RCTs

| Endpunktkategorien | RCTs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|--|------|----|-------------------------------------|
| Allgemeine Symptome (E) | 1 | 2 | Schwach/ sehr schwach |
| Allgemeine Symptome (L) | 1 | 2 | |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (E) | 3 | 7 | |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (L) | 2 | 6 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (E) | 3 | 7 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (L) | 2 | 6 | |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität (E) | 1 | 1 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (E) | 4 | 23 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (KL) | 1 | 6 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (L) | 2 | 18 | |
| Internalisierende Symptome (E) | 3 | 7 | |
| Internalisierende Symptome (L) | 2 | 6 | |
| Organisationale Fähigkeiten (E) | 2 | 11 | |
| Organisationale Fähigkeiten (B) | 1 | 1 | |
| Organisationale Fähigkeiten (L) | 1 | 9 | |
| Hausaufgabenprobleme (E) | 2 | 10 | |
| Hausaufgabenprobleme (L) | 1 | 3 | |
| Andere funktionale Beeinträchtigungen | 2 | 13 | |
| Symptome der Langsamkeit, exzessiven Tagträumens und Schläfrigkeit (SCT) | 1 | 4 | |

Anmerkung. RCTs = Anzahl der randomisierten kontrollierten Studien, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: Meta-Analysen

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Aussagesicherheit (GRADE) | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Mess-instrument |
|--|--|---------------------------------|--|---|---|
| Aufmerksamkeit. Kombiniertes Urteil | | | | | |
| Chen, et al., 2021 | | | $n = 303, k = 6$ $g = .04$ CI (-.23 - .32) | | |
| Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (3-18 years and probably medicated) Intervention: cognitive training or executive function training targeting domains of neuropsychological deficit | Inattention symptoms, Working memory training | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | U | Clinician- or parent-rated | ADHD-RS, BRIEF, DBDR, Conners 3-P, CRS-R |
| Comparison: control: TAU; waiting list, active/placebo/sham (i.e., involving other computer-based activities), or alternative training programs | Inattention symptoms, Multiple cognitive training | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 381, k = 8$ $g = -.51$ CI (-.72 - -.29) | Clinician- or parent-rated | Cpmmers 3-P, CRS-R, BRIEF, DBDRS, SNAP-IV, ADHD-RS |
| Aufmerksamkeit. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| Bikic, et al., 2017 | | | $n = 893, k = 10$ $g = .56$ CI (.38 - .74) | Visual analysis of funnel plot and Trim and Fill method suggest that obtained point estimate is lower than "true" ES. Differences in format intervention: 2 individuals, 1 group+ individual and the rest in group. | DBD-Inattention subscale, HPC-Inattention subscale, CSI-Inattention scale, Vanderbilt ADHD Diagnostic Parent Rating Scale-Inattention subscale, SNAP-Inattention subscale |
| Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (5–18 years) Intervention: Organizational skills training (OST) delivered by humans in face-to-face Comparison: parent education, waitlist, Treatment as Usual (TAU) | Inattention | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | I | | |

Same about randomized trials included.

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| <p>Chen, et al., 2021</p> <p>Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (3-18 years and probably medicated)</p> <p>Intervention: cognitive training or executive function training targeting domains of neuropsychological deficit</p> <p>Comparison: control: TAU; waiting list, active/placebo/sham (i.e., involving other computer-based activities), or alternative training programs</p> | <p>Inattention, Attention intervention</p> | <p>Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 105, k = 1$ $g = -1.46$ CI (-1.90 - -1.03)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">I</p> | <p>SNAP-IV, BRIEF</p> |
| | <p>Inattention symptoms, Working memory training</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 256, k = 5$ $g = .03$ CI (-.30 - .37)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">U</p> | <p>ADHD-RS, BRIEF, DBDR, Conners 3-P, CRS-R</p> |
| | <p>Inattention symptoms, Multiple cognitive training</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC)</p> | <p>$n = 322, k = 7$ $g = -.48$ CI (-.70 - -.26)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">I</p> | <p>CRS-R, BRIEF, Conners 3-P, ADHR-RS, DBDRS, SNAP-IV, CPRS-R</p> |

Aufmerksamkeit. Lehrer*innenurteil

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|---|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|---|--|
| <p>Bikic, et al., 2017</p> <p>Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (5–18 years)</p> <p>Intervention: Organizational skills training (OST) delivered by humans in face-to-face</p> <p>Comparison: parent education, waitlist, Treatment as Usual (TAU)</p> | <p>Inattention</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC)</p> | <p>$n = 590, k = 6$ $g = .26$ CI (.01 - .52)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">I</p> | <p>Differences in format intervention: 2 individuals, 1 group+ individual and the rest in group. Same about randomized trials included.</p> | <p>DBD-Inattention subscale, SNAP-Inattention scale, CSI-Inattention scale</p> |
|---|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|---|--|

Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität. Kombiniertes Urteil

| | | | | | |
|--|---|---------------------------------|--|----------|---|
| Chen, et al., 2021 | | | | | |
| Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (3-18 years and probably medicated) | Hyperactivity/impulsivity, Working memory training | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 303, k = 6$ $g = .13$ CI (-.17 - .43) | | ADHD-RS, BRIEF, DBDR, Conners 3-P, CRS-R |
| Intervention: cognitive training or executive function training targeting domains of neuropsychological deficit | | | | U | |
| Comparison: control: TAU; waiting list, active/placebo/sham (i.e., involving other computer-based activities), or alternative training programs | Hyperactivity/impulsivity, Multiple cognitive training | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 381, k = 8$ $g = -.31$ CI (-.52 - -.09) | | CRS-R, BRIEF, ADHD-RS, Conners 3-P, SNAP-I, DBDRS, CPRS-R |

Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität. Elternurteil

| | | | | | |
|--|---|---------------------------------|--|----------|---|
| Chen, et al., 2021 | | | | | |
| Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (3-18 years and probably medicated) | Hyperactivity/impulsivity, Attention interventions | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = 105, k = 1$ $g = -.57$ CI (-.99 - -.15) | | SNAP-IV, BRIEF |
| Intervention: cognitive training or executive function training targeting domains of neuropsychological deficit | | | | I | |
| Comparison: control: TAU; waiting list, active/placebo/sham (i.e., involving other computer-based activities), or alternative training programs | Hyperactivity/impulsivity, Working memory training | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 256, k = 5$ $g = .06$ CI (-.27 - .39) | | ADHD-RS, BRIEF, DBDR, Conners 3-P, CRS-R |
| | | | | U | |
| | Hyperactivity/impulsivity, Multiple cognitive training | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 362, k = 7$ $g = -.29$ CI (-.51 - -.08) | | CRS-R, BRIEF, ADHD-RS, Conners 3-P, SNAP-I, DBDRS, CPRS-R |
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Funktionalität. Elternurteil

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| Bikic, et al., 2017 | Organizational skills | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 697, k = 6$ $g = .83$ CI (.32 - 1.34) | Differences in format intervention: 2 | Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS), |
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| <p>Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (5–18 years) Intervention: Organizational skills training (OST) delivered by humans in face-to-face Comparison: parent education, waitlist, Treatment as Usual (TAU)</p> | I | <p>individuals, 1 group+ individual and the rest in group. Randomized trials INCLUDED and non-randomized studies reduce bias; open trials, quasi-experimental designed studies, case studies, or single-case designs NOT INCLUDED.</p> | <p>Homework Problem Checklist (HPC)-Materials Management Scale</p> | |
| <p>Chen, et al., 2021</p> | <p>Global Executive Composite (GEC), Attention interventions</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 105, k = 1$ $g = -.82$ CI (-1.22 - -.42)</p> | BRIEF |
| <p>Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (3-18 years and probably medicated) Intervention: cognitive training or executive function training targeting domains of neuropsychological deficit</p> | <p>Global Executive Composite (GEC), Working memory training</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 244, k = 5$ $g = .09$ CI (-.16 - .34)</p> | BRIEF |
| <p>Comparison: control: TAU; waiting list, active/placebo/sham (i.e., involving other computer-based activities), or alternative training programs</p> | <p>Global Executive Composite (GEC), Multiple cognitive training</p> | <p>Low ⊕⊕○○ (R)</p> | <p>$n = 399, k = 7$ $g = -.50$ CI (-.71 - -.29)</p> | BRIEF |
| <p>Powell, et al., 2022</p> | <p>Social skills</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 423, k = 5$ $SMD = .39$ CI (.19 - .59) I</p> | <p>Only RCTs SSRS, SSIS, SCS</p> |
| <p>Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (<=18 years) Intervention: psychoeducational intervention focused</p> | | | | |

on social skill development (undertaken in parents, child or teachers)
Comparison: "Pure" control group diagnosed with ADHD

Funktionalität. Lehrer*innenurteil

Bikic, et al., 2017

Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (5–18 years)
Intervention: Organizational skills training (OST) delivered by humans in face-to-face
Comparison: parent education, waitlist, Treatment as Usual (TAU)

Organizational skills

Very low
 ⊕○○○
 (R, IC)

$n = 445, k = 4$
 $g = .54$
 CI (.17 - .91)



Differences in format intervention: 2 individuals, 1 group+ individual and the rest in group. Same about randomized trials included.

COSS, HPC-Teacher

Powell, et al., 2022

Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (<=18 years)
Intervention: psychoeducational intervention focused on social skill development (undertaken in parents, child or teachers)
Comparison: "Pure" control group diagnosed with ADHD

Social skills

Very low
 ⊕○○○
 (R, IP)

$n = 329, k = 4$
 $SMD = .32$
 CI (.10 - .54)



Only RCTs

SSRS, SSIS, SCS

Verhalten. Elternurteil





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| <p>Chen, et al., 2021</p> <p>Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (3-18 years and probably medicated)</p> <p>Intervention: cognitive training or executive function training targeting domains of neuropsychological deficit</p> <p>Comparison: control: TAU; waiting list, active/placebo/sham (i.e., involving other computer-based activities), or alternative training programs</p> | <p>Behavioral Regulation Index (BRI), Attention interventions</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 105, k = 1$ $g = -.50$ CI (-.88 - .10)</p> <p>U</p> | BRIEF |
| | <p>Behavioral Regulation Index (BRI), Working memory training</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 146, k = 3$ $g = .05$ CI (-.27 - .37)</p> <p>U</p> | BRIEF |
| | <p>Behavioral Regulation Index (BRI), Multiple cognitive training</p> | <p>Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (IP)</p> | <p>$n = 150, k = 2$ $g = -.21$ CI (-.58 - .16)</p> <p>U</p> | BRIEF |

Metakognition. Elternurteil

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| <p>Chen, et al., 2021</p> <p>Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (3-18 years and probably medicated)</p> <p>Intervention: cognitive training or executive function training targeting domains of neuropsychological deficit</p> <p>Comparison: control: TAU; waiting list, active/placebo/sham (i.e., involving other computer-based activities), or alternative training programs</p> | <p>Metacognition Index (MI), Attention interventions</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 105, k = 1$ $g = -.90$ CI (-1.30 - -.50)</p> <p>I</p> | BRIEF |
| | <p>Metacognition Index (MI), Working memory training</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 168, k = 3$ $g = .25$ CI (-.04 - .55)</p> <p>U</p> | BRIEF |
| | <p>Metacognition Index (MI), Multiple cognitive training</p> | <p>Low ⊕⊕○○ (R)</p> | <p>$n = 190, k = 3$ $g = -.51$ CI (-.83 - -.19)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>No significant effects on metacognition index, but subgroup analysis similarly revealed significant effect for multiple</p> |

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen, k = Anzahl der inkludierten Primärstudien. R = risk of bias, IC = inconsistency, ID = indirectness, IP = imprecision, P = publication bias.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: RCTs

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Risk of Bias | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Mess-instrument |
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| Allgemeine Symptome. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| Döpfner et al., 2004 Population: children with ADHD (6-10 years) Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE. III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. IV: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE Comparison: no control group | Total symptoms, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (PE/BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 37$ $d = 1.0$ CI (n.a.)  | Clinical implication based on p-value | PSC |
| | Total symptoms, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (MED + PE/BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 38$ $d = .9$ CI (n.a.)  | Clinical implication based on p-value | PSC |
| Allgemeine Symptome. Lehrer*innenurteil | | | | | |
| Döpfner et al., 2004 Population: children with ADHD (6-10 years) Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE. III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. IV: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE Comparison: no control group | Total symptoms, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (PE/BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 37$ $d = .8$ CI (n.a.)  | Clinical implication based on p-value | TSC |
| | Total symptoms, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (MED + PE/BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 38$ $d = 1.8$ CI (n.a.)  | Clinical implication based on p-value | TSC |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Elternurteil | | | | | |

Babocsai et al., 2018

Population: children (7-11 years)

Intervention:

Sommertherapiecamp (STC - Multimodal Intensive Group Therapy Program for Children With ADHD Applying a Reward System

Comparison: treatment as usual

Total ADHD symptoms, STC vs. TAU

Very high risk
●
(SG, BP, BA, ID)

$n = 47$
 $ES = n.a.$
 $CI (n.a.)$

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Clinical implication based on p-value

DISYPS-II, FBB-ADHS

Döpfner et al., 2004

ADHD symptoms, Within group, Phase I

Very high risk
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(CC, BP, BA)

$n = 75$
 $d = 1.0$
 $CI (n.a.)$

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Clinical implication based on p-value

PSC-ADHD

Population: children with ADHD (6-10 years)

Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE. III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. IV: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE
Comparison: no control group

ADHD symptoms, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (PE/BT)

Very high risk
●
(CC, BP, BA)

$n = 37$
 $d = 1.1$
 $CI (n.a.)$

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Clinical implication based on p-value

PSC-ADHD

ADHD symptoms, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (MED + PE/ BT)

Very high risk
●
(CC, BP, BA)

$n = 38$
 $d = 1.0$
 $CI (n.a.)$

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Clinical implication based on p-value

PSC-ADHD

Döpfner et al., 2014

Population: 6-10 year olds in 1.-4. Grade with nonverbal IQ ≥ 80 meeting the DSM-III-R or ICD-10 criteria for ADHD

Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE: III: MED+PE+BT or BT or

ADHD symptoms, Within group Post-FU

Very high risk
●
(CC, BP, BA)

$n = 34$
 $d = .18$
 $CI (n.a.)$

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No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; Clinical implication based on p-value

FBB-ADHS

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| <p>BT+PE. FU: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE Comparison: no control</p> | <p>ADHD symptoms, Within group, Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 32$ $d = .10$ CI (n.a.)</p> | <p>U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>FBB-ADHS</p> |
| | <p>ADHD symptoms, Within group, Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 66$ $d = .14$ CI (n.a.)</p> | <p>U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>FBB-ADHS</p> |
| <p>ADHS Symptome gesamt. Lehrer*innenurteil</p> | | | | | | |
| <p>Döpfner et al., 2004</p> | <p>ADHD symptoms, Within whole group, Phase I</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 75$ $d = 1.2$ CI (n.a.)</p> | <p>I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>TSC-ADHD</p> |
| <p>Population: children with ADHD (6-10 years) Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE. III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. IV: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE Comparison: no control group</p> | <p>ADHD symptoms, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (PE/ BT)</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 37$ $d = 1.0$ CI (n.a.)</p> | <p>I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>TSC-ADHD</p> |
| | <p>ADHD symptoms, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (MED + PE/ BT)</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 38$ $d = 2.0$ CI (n.a.)</p> | <p>I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>TSC-ADHD</p> |
| <p>Döpfner et al., 2014 Population: 6-10 year olds in 1.-4. Grade with nonverbal IQ ≥ 80</p> | <p>ADHD symptoms, Within group (no medication at FU),</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 25$ $d = .18$ CI (n.a.)</p> | <p>U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest</p> | <p>FBB-ADHS</p> |

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| meeting the DSM-III-R or ICD-10 criteria for ADHD Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE: III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. FU: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE Comparison: no control | Post-FU | | | | and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; Clinical implication based on p-value |
| | ADHD symptoms, Within group (medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 28$ $d = -.61$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value | FBB-ADHS |
| | ADHD symptoms, Within group (medication and no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 53$ $d = -.31$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value | FBB-ADHS |
| Aufmerksamkeit. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| Curtis et al., 2021 | | | | | |
| Population: children 8-12 years with (ADHD) combined type Intervention: structured Dyadic Behavior Therapy (SDBT) Comparison: Child-Centered Dyadic Therapy (CCDT), nondirective, experiential psychotherapy without contingency management methods | Inattention, Between group, Posttreatment | Very high risk ● (CC, BP) | $n = 39$ $ES = .24$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value | Parent ratings on DBRS |
| Döpfner et al., 2004 | | | | | |
| Population: children with ADHD (6-10 years) Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: | Attention problems, Within whole group, Phase I | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 75$ $d = .9$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL Attention |

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| MED+PE or BT+PE. III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. IV: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE Comparison: no control group | Attention problems, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 37$ $d = 1.0$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL Attention |
| | Attention problems, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (MED + PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 38$ $d = .8$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL Attention |
| Döpfner et al., 2014 Population: 6-10 year olds in 1.-4. Grade with nonverbal IQ ≥ 80 meeting the DSM-III-R or ICD-10 criteria for ADHD Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE. III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. FU: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE Comparison: no control | Attention problems, Within group (no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 34$ $d = -.02$ CI (n.a.) U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL Attention |
| | Attention problems, Within group (medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 32$ $d = .06$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL Attention |
| | Attention problems, Within group (medication and no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 66$ $d = .02$ CI (n.a.) U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL Attention |
| Aufmerksamkeit. Lehrer*innenurteil | | | | | |
| Döpfner et al., 2004 Population: children with ADHD (6-10 years) Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: | Attention problems, Within whole group, Phase I | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 75$ $d = 1.1$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value | TRF Attention Problems |

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| MED+PE or BT+PE. III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. IV: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE Comparison: no control group | Attention problems, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 37$ $d = .7$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value | TRF Attention |
| | Attention problems, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (MED + PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 38$ $d = 1.2$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value | TRF Attention |
| Döpfner et al., 2014 Population: 6-10 year olds in 1.-4. Grade with nonverbal IQ ≥ 80 meeting the DSM-III-R or ICD-10 criteria for ADHD Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE: III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. FU: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE Comparison: no control | Attention problems, Within group (no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 25$ $d = .22$ CI (n.a.) U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | TRF Attention |
| | Attention problems, Within group (medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 28$ $d = -.42$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value | TRF Attention |
| | Attention problems, Within group (medication and no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 53$ $d = -.14$ CI (n.a.) U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | TRF Attention |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| Curtis et al., 2021 Population: children 8-12 years with (ADHD) combined type | Hyperactivity/impulsivity, Between group, Posttreatment | Very high risk ● (CC, BP) | $n = 39$ $ES = .38$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value | Parent ratings on DBRS |

Intervention: structured Dyadic Behavior Therapy (SDBT)
 Comparison: Child-Centered Dyadic Therapy (CCDT), nondirective, experiential psychotherapy without contingency management methods

| Verhaltensprobleme. Elternurteil | | | | | |
|---|--|---|--|--|------------------------|
| Babocsai et al., 2018 Population: children (7-11 years) Intervention: Sommertherapiecamp (STC - Multimodal Intensive Group Therapy Program for Children With ADHD Applying a Reward System) Comparison: treatment as usual | Externalizing symptoms, STC vs. TAU | Very high risk ● (SG, BP, BA, ID) | $n = 47$ $ES = \text{n.a.}$ $CI (\text{n.a.})$ U | Clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL/4-17 |
| | Total behavior symptoms, STC vs. TAU | Very high risk ● (SG, BP, BA, ID) | $n = 47$ $ES = \text{n.a.}$ $CI (\text{n.a.})$ U | Clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL/4-17 |
| | Total conduct disorder symptoms, STC vs. TAU | Very high risk ● (SG, BP, BA, ID) | $n = 47$ $ES = \text{n.a.}$ $CI (\text{n.a.})$ I | Clinical implication based on p-value | DISYPS-II, FBB-SSV |
| Curtis et al., 2021 Population: children 8-12 years with (ADHD) combined type Intervention: structured Dyadic Behavior Therapy (SDBT) Comparison: Child-Centered Dyadic Therapy (CCDT), nondirective, experiential psychotherapy without contingency management methods | Behavioral symptoms (overall), Between group, Posttreatment | Very high risk ● (CC, BP) | $n = 39$ $ES = .39$ $CI (\text{n.a.})$ I | Study design: With regard to small sample size, sufficient statistical power achieved to assess differences between two groups in pilot study; clinical implication based on p-value | Parent ratings on DBRS |
| | Oppositionality, Between group, Posttreatment | Very high risk ● (CC, BP) | $n = 39$ $ES = .24$ $CI (\text{n.a.})$ | Clinical implication based on p-value | Parent ratings on DBRS |

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| | ODD/CS symptoms, Within whole group, Phase I | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 75$ $d = .5$ CI (n.a.) | I | Clinical implication based on p-value PSC-ODD/CD |
| | ODD symptoms, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 37$ $d = .7$ CI (n.a.) | I | Clinical implication based on p-value PSC-ODD/CD |
| Döpfner et al., 2004 | ODD symptoms, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (MED + PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 38$ $d = .4$ CI (n.a.) | U | Clinical implication based on p-value PSC-ODD/CD |
| Population: children with ADHD (6-10 years) | Behavior problems, Within whole group, Phase I | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 75$ $d = 1.0$ CI (n.a.) | I | Clinical implication based on p-value IPC-P |
| Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE. III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. IV: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE | Behavior problems, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 37$ $d = 1.0$ CI (n.a.) | I | Clinical implication based on p-value IPC-P |
| Comparison: no control group | Behavior problems, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (MED + PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 38$ $d = 1.1$ CI (n.a.) | I | Clinical implication based on p-value IPC-P |
| | Externalizing, Within whole group, Phase I | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 75$ $d = 1.0$ CI (n.a.) | I | Clinical implication based on p-value CBCL Externalizing Problems |

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| | Externalizing, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 37$ $d = 1.1$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL Externalizing |
| | Externalizing, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (MED + PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 38$ $d = .8$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL Externalizing |
| | ODD symptoms, Within group (no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 34$ $d = -.2$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value | FBB-SSV |
| Döpfner et al., 2014 | ODD symptoms, Within group (medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 32$ $d = -.11$ CI (n.a.) U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | FBB-SSV |
| Population: 6-10 year olds in 1.-4. Grade with nonverbal IQ ≥ 80 meeting the DSM-III-R or ICD-10 criteria for ADHD Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE: III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. FU: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE Comparison: no control | ODD symptoms, Within group (medication and no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 66$ $d = -.16$ CI (n.a.) U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | FBB-SSV |
| | Total child behavior, Within group (no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 34$ $d = .03$ CI (n.a.) U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; | CBCL |

| | | | clinical implication based on p-value | |
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| Total child behavior, Within group (medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 32$ $d = .01$ CI (n.a.) U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL |
| Total child behavior, Within group (medication and no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 66$ $d = .02$ CI (n.a.) U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL |
| Externalizing behavior, Within group (no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 34$ $d = .01$ CI (n.a.) U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL Externalizing |
| Externalizing behavior, Within group (medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 32$ $d = .03$ CI (n.a.) U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL Externalizing |

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| | <p>Externalizing behavior, Within group (medication and no medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 66$ $d = .02$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>CBCL Externalizing</p> |
| Verhaltensprobleme. Kliniker*innenurteil | | | | | |
| | <p>Behavior at school, Within group (no medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 25$ $d = .07$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>8-item scale constructed, measuring children's behavior at home; completed by child's therapist based on parent interview data</p> |
| Döpfner et al., 2014 | | | | | |
| <p>Population: 6-10 year olds in 1.-4. Grade with nonverbal IQ ≥ 80 meeting the DSM-III-R or ICD-10 criteria for ADHD Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE: III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. FU: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE Comparison: no control</p> | <p>Behavior at school, Within group (medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 28$ $d = .18$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>8-item scale constructed, measuring children's behavior at home; completed by child's therapist based on parent interview data</p> |
| | <p>Behavior at school, Within group (medication and no medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 53$ $d = .13$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>8-item scale constructed, measuring children's behavior at home; completed by child's therapist based on parent interview data</p> |
| | <p>Behavior at home,</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 34$ $d = .01$ CI (n.a.)</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly</p> | <p>8-item scale constructed, measuring children's</p> |

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| | Within group (no medication at FU), Post-FU | | U | between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | behavior at home; completed by child's therapist based on parent interview data |
| | Behavior at home, Within group (medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 32$ $d = -.01$ CI (n.a.) U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | 8-item scale constructed, measuring children's behavior at home; completed by child's therapist based on parent interview data |
| | Behavior at home, Within group (medication and no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 66$ $d = .00$ CI (n.a.) U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | 8-item scale constructed, measuring children's behavior at home; completed by child's therapist based on parent interview data |

Verhaltensprobleme. Lehrer*innenurteil

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| Döpfner, et al., 2004 Population: children with ADHD (6-10 years) Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE. III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. IV: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE Comparison: no control group | ODD/CS symptoms, Within whole group, Phase I | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 75$ $d = .7$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value | TSC-ODD |
| | ODD symptoms, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 37$ $d = .3$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value | TSC-ODD/CD |
| | ODD symptoms, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (MED + PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 38$ $d = 1.0$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | TSC-ODD/CD |

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| | Behavior problems, Within whole group, Phase I | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 75$ $d = 1.1$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | IPC-T |
| | Behavior problems, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 37$ $d = .9$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | IPC-T |
| | Behavior problems, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (MED + PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 38$ $d = 1.4$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | IPC-T |
| | Externalizing, Within whole group, Phase I | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 75$ $d = .9$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | TRF Externalizing Problems |
| | Externalizing, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 37$ $d = .5$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | TRF Externalizing |
| | Externalizing, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (MED + PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 38$ $d = 1.2$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | TRF Externalizing |
| Döpfner et al., 2014 | ODD symptoms, Within group (no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 25$ $d = -.16$ CI (n.a.) | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; | FBB-SSV |

| Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE: III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. FU: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE Comparison: no control | | | clinical implication based on p-value |
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| <p>ODD symptoms, Within group (medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 28$ $d = -.30$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value</p> <p>FBB-SSV</p> |
| <p>ODD symptoms, Within group (medication and no medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 53$ $d = -.21$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value</p> <p>FBB-SSV</p> |
| <p>Total child behavior, Within group (no medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 25$ $d = .14$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value</p> <p>TRF</p> |
| <p>Total child behavior, Within group (medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 28$ $d = -.36$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value</p> <p>TRF</p> |

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| <p>Total child behavior, Within group (medication and no medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 53$ $d = -.11$ CI (n.a.) U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>TRF</p> |
| <p>Externalizing behavior, Within group (no medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 25$ $d = .09$ CI (n.a.) U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>TRF Externalizing</p> |
| <p>Externalizing behavior, Within group (medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 28$ $d = -.29$ CI (n.a.) U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>TRF Externalizing</p> |
| <p>Externalizing behavior, Within group (medication and no medication at FU), Post-FU</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 53$ $d = -.11$ CI (n.a.) U</p> | <p>No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>TRF Externalizing</p> |

Internalisierende Symptome. Elternurteil

Babocsai et al., 2018

Population: children (7-11 years)

Intervention: Sommertherapiecamp (STC - Multimodal Intensive Group Therapy Program for Children With ADHD Applying a Reward System)
Comparison: treatment as usual

Internalizing symptoms, STC vs. TAU

Very high risk
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(SG, BP, BA, ID)

$n = 47$
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 $CI (n.a.)$

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Clinical implication based on p-value

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Döpfner et al., 2004

Population: children with ADHD (6-10 years)
Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE. III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. IV: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE
Comparison: no control group

Internalizing, Within whole group, Phase I

Very high risk
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(CC, BP, BA)

$n = 75$
 $d = .6$
 $CI (n.a.)$

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Clinical implication based on p-value

CBCL Internalizing Problems

Internalizing, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (PE/ BT)

Very high risk
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(CC, BP, BA)

$n = 37$
 $d = .5$
 $CI (n.a.)$

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Clinical implication based on p-value

CBCL Internalizing Problems

Internalizing, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (MED + PE/ BT)

Very high risk
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(CC, BP, BA)

$n = 38$
 $d = .6$
 $CI (n.a.)$

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Clinical implication based on p-value

CBCL Internalizing Problems

Döpfner et al., 2014

Population: 6-10 year olds in 1.-4. Grade with nonverbal IQ ≥ 80 meeting the DSM-III-R or ICD-10 criteria for ADHD
Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE. III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. FU: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE
Comparison: no control

Internalizing behavior, Within group (no medication at FU), Post-FU

Very high risk
●
(CC, BP, BA)

$n = 34$
 $d = .01$
 $CI (n.a.)$

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No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value

CBCL Internalizing

Internalizing behavior, Within group (medication at FU), Post-FU

Very high risk
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(CC, BP, BA)

$n = 32$
 $d = -.06$
 $CI (n.a.)$

No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up,

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| | Internalizing behavior, Within group (medication and no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 66$ $d = -.02$ CI (n.a.) | U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | CBCL Internalizing |

Internalisierende Symptome. Lehrer*innenurteil

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| Döpfner et al., 2004 | Internalizing, Within whole group, Phase I | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 75$ $d = .3$ CI (n.a.) | I | Clinical implication based on p-value | TRF Internalizing |
| Population: children with ADHD (6-10 years) Intervention: I: PE (multimodal). II: MED+PE or BT+PE. III: MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. IV: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE Comparison: no control group | Internalizing, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 37$ $d = .3$ CI (n.a.) | U | Clinical implication based on p-value | TRF Internalizing |
| | Internalizing, Within group, Phase 2 + 3 (MED + PE/ BT) | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 38$ $d = .6$ CI (n.a.) | I | Clinical implication based on p-value | TRF Internalizing |
| Döpfner et al., 2014 | Internalizing behavior, Within group (no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 25$ $d = .27$ CI (n.a.) | U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | TRF Internalizing |

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| MED+PE+BT or BT or BT+PE. FU: MED+PE+BT or BT or MED+PE Comparison: no control | Internalizing behavior, Within group (medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 28$ $d = -.08$ CI (n.a.) U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | TRF Internalizing |
| | Internalizing behavior, Within group (medication and no medication at FU), Post-FU | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 53$ $d = .08$ CI (n.a.) U | No remaining variables changed significantly between posttest and follow-up, indicating treatment effects were maintained; clinical implication based on p-value | TRF Internalizing |
| Organisationale Fähigkeiten. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| DuPaul et al., 2018 | Organization skills: task planning | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 130$ $d = -.4$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value of group x time interaction | Children's organizational skill scale (COSS) |
| Population: middle School Students with ADHD Intervention: Challenging Horizons Program Comparison: community care | Organization skills: organizing actions | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 130$ $d = -.58$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value of group x time interaction | Children's organizational skill scale (COSS) |
| Langeberg et al., 2017 | Task planning, HOPS vs. CHIEF | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274$ $d = -.05$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS) |
| Population: middle school students with ADHD Intervention: Homework, Organization and Planning Skills (HOPS) or Completing Homework by Improving | Task planning, HOPS vs. WLC | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274$ $d = -.79$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS) |

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| Efficiency and Focus (CHIEF) Comparison: HOPS/CHIEF/Waiting List | Task planning, CHIEF vs. WLC | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274$ $d = -.72$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS) |
| | Organized actions, HOPS vs. CHIEF | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274$ $d = -.68$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS) |
| | Organized actions, HOPS vs. WLC | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274$ $d = -1.14$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS) |
| | Organized actions, CHIEF vs. WLC | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274$ $d = -.46$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS) |
| | Material management, HOPS vs. CHIEF | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274$ $d = -.24$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS) |
| | Material management, HOPS vs. WLC | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274$ $d = -.81$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS) |
| | Material management, CHIEF vs. WLC | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274$ $d = -.57$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS) |
| | Organisationale Fähigkeiten. Beobachtung | | | | |
| Harrison et al., 2020 | Binder organization | Very high risk ● | $n = 55$ $parial \eta^2 = .23$ | Clinical implication based | Observation |

Population: students (11-15 years old) with ADHD
 Intervention: organization training, self-management, note-taking
 Comparison: accomodations (organization support, extended time, copy of teacher notes)

(BP, BA, ID, UM)

CI (n.a.)

on p-value of group x time effects

Organisationale Fähigkeiten. Lehrer*innenurteil

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| <p>Langeberg et al., 2017</p> <p>Population: middle school students with ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: Homework, Organization and Planning Skills (HOPS) or Completing Homework by Improving Efficiency and Focus (CHIEF)</p> <p>Comparison: HOPS/CHIEF/Waiting List</p> | <p>Task planning, HOPS vs. CHIEF</p> | <p>High risk ● (BP)</p> | <p>$n = 274$ $d = -.02$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p style="background-color: yellow; text-align: center;">U</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons</p> | <p>Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS)</p> |
| | <p>Task planning, HOPS vs. WLC</p> | <p>High risk ● (BP)</p> | <p>$n = 274$ $d = -.06$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p style="background-color: yellow; text-align: center;">U</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons</p> | <p>Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS)</p> |
| | <p>Task planning, CHIEF vs. WLC</p> | <p>High risk ● (BP)</p> | <p>$n = 274$ $d = -.09$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p style="background-color: yellow; text-align: center;">U</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons</p> | <p>Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS)</p> |
| | <p>Organized actions, HOPS vs. CHIEF</p> | <p>High risk ● (BP)</p> | <p>$n = 274$ $d = -.43$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p style="background-color: orange; text-align: center;">I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons</p> | <p>Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS)</p> |
| | <p>Organized actions, HOPS vs. WLC</p> | <p>High risk ● (BP)</p> | <p>$n = 274$ $d = -.55$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p style="background-color: orange; text-align: center;">I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons</p> | <p>Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS)</p> |
| | <p>Organized actions, CHIEF vs. WLC</p> | <p>High risk ● (BP)</p> | <p>$n = 274$ $d = -.09$ CI (n.a.)</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on significance of</p> | <p>Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS)</p> |

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| Material management, HOPS vs. CHIEF | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 274$ $d = -.3$ CI (n.a.) | U | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS) |
| Material management, HOPS vs. WLC | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 274$ $d = -.53$ CI (n.a.) | I | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS) |
| Material management, CHIEF vs. WLC | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 274$ $d = -.18$ CI (n.a.) | U | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Children's Organizational Skills Scale (COSS) |

Hausaufgabenprobleme. Elternurteil

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| DuPaul et al., 2018 | | | | | |
| Population: middle School Students with ADHD | | | | | |
| Intervention: Challenging Horizons Program | | | | | |
| Comparison: community care | | | | | |
| Homework problems | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 130$ $d = -.44$ CI (n.a.) | I | Clinical implication based on p-value of group x time interaction | Homework problems checklist (HPC) |
| Langeberg et al., 2017 | | | | | |
| Population: middle school students with ADHD | | | | | |
| Intervention: Homework, Organization and Planning Skills (HOPS) or Completing Homework by Improving | | | | | |
| Homework problems total, HOPS vs. CHIEF | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274$ $d = .21$ CI (n.a.) | U | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Homework problems checklist (HPC) |
| Homework problems total, HOPS vs. WLC | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274$ $d = 1.29$ CI (n.a.) | I | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Homework problems checklist (HPC) |

Efficiency and Focus
(CHIEF)
Comparison:
HOPS/CHIEF/Waiting
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| Homework problems total, CHIEF vs. WLC | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274$ $d = 1.08$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Homework problems checklist (HPC) |
| Homework completion behavior, HOPS vs. CHIEF | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274$ $d = -.19$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Homework problems checklist (HPC) |
| Homework completion behavior, HOPS vs. WLC | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274$ $d = -1.27$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Homework problems checklist (HPC) |
| Homework completion behavior, CHIEF vs. WLC | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274$ $d = -1.06$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Homework problems checklist (HPC) |
| Homework material management, HOPS vs. CHIEF | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274$ $d = .07$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Homework problems checklist (HPC) |
| Homework material management, HOPS vs. WLC | Very high risk ● (BP, ID) | $n = 274$ $d = -.87$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Homework problems checklist (HPC) |
| Homework material management, CHIEF vs. WLC | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274$ $d = -.94$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Homework problems checklist (HPC) |

Hausaufgabenprobleme. Lehrer*innenurteil

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| Langeberg et al., 2017 | Homework problems total, HOPS vs. CHIEF | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 274$ $d = -.1$ | Clinical implication based | Homework problems checklist (HPC) |
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| Population: middle school students with ADHD Intervention: Homework, Organization and Planning Skills (HOPS) or Completing Homework by Improving Efficiency and Focus (CHIEF) Comparison: HOPS/CHIEF/Waiting List | | | CI (n.a.) | on significance of pairwise comparisons | |
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| | Homework problems total, HOPS vs. WLC | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 274$ $d = -.15$ CI (n.a.) | U | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons |
| Homework problems total, CHIEF vs. WLC | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 274$ $d = -.05$ CI (n.a.) | U | Clinical implication based on significance of pairwise comparisons | Homework problems checklist (HPC) |

Andere funktionale Beeinträchtigungen

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| DuPaul et al., 2018 Population: middle School Students with ADHD Intervention: Challenging Horizons Program Comparison: community care | Academic problems | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 130$ $d = -.53$ CI (n.a.) | I | Parent-rated; Clinical implication based on p-value of group x time interaction | Adolescent academic problems checklist (AAPC) |
| | GPA, Last measurement point | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 130$ $d = .06$ CI (n.a.) | U | Clinical implication based on p-value of group x time interaction | n.a. |
| | Reading skills | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 130$ $d = .37$ CI (n.a.) | I | Investigator rated; Clinical implication based on p-value of group differences | Woodcock-Johnson achievement test |
| | Math skills | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 130$ $d = -.34$ CI (n.a.) | C | Investigator-rated; Clinical implication based on p-value of group differences | Woodcock-Johnson achievement test |
| | Writing skills | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 130$ $d = -.18$ CI (n.a.) | | Investigator-rated; Clinical implication based | Woodcock-Johnson achievement test |

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| | | | U | on p-value of group differences | |
| | Engagement (in science lesson) | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID, UM) | $n = 55$ $parial \eta^2 = .07$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value of group x time effects | Observation |
| | Engagement (in independent practice) | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID, UM) | $n = 55$ $parial \eta^2 = .07$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value of group x time effects | Observation |
| Harrison et al., 2020 | Disruption (in science lesson) | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, UM) | $n = 55$ $parial \eta^2 = .06$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value of group x time effects | Observation |
| Population: students (11-15 years old) with ADHD | Disruption (in independent practice) | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID, UM) | $n = 55$ $parial \eta^2 = .07$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value of group x time effects | Observation |
| Intervention: organization training, self-management, note-taking | Completion of notes (in science lesson) | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID, UM) | $n = 55$ $parial \eta^2 = .42$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value of group x time effects | Observation |
| Comparison: accomodations (organization support, extended time, copy of teacher notes) | Completion of notes (in independent practice) | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID, UM) | $n = 55$ $parial \eta^2 = .06$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value of group x time effects | Observation |
| | Accuracy of notes (in science lesson) | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID, UM) | $n = 55$ $parial \eta^2 = .51$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value of group x time effects | Observation |

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| | Accuracy of notes (in independent practice) | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, ID, UM) | $n = 55$ <i>parial</i> $\eta^2 = .1$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value of group x time effects | Observation |
| Langsamkeits-, exzessive Tagträumens- und Schläfrigkeits-Symptome (SCT) | | | | | |
| | Sluggish cognitive tempo (SCT) all, Group x time | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274^*$ $d = .410$ CI (n.a.) I | *n analysed not reported. Clinical implication based on p value | SCT includes symptoms of slowness, excessive daydreaming, and drowsiness |
| Smith et al., 2020 | Sluggish cognitive tempo (SCT) all, Group x time | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 274^*$ $d = .313$ CI (n.a.) U | *n analysed not reported. Clinical implication based on p value | SCT includes symptoms of slowness, excessive daydreaming, and drowsiness |
| Population: young adolescents (mean age not specified) diagnosed with ADHD Intervention: organizational skills and homework completion interventions Comparison: waitlist control group | High score of sluggish cognitive tempo (SCT), Group x time | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 203^*$ $d = .517$ CI (n.a.) I | *n analysed not reported, here 74% of total. Clinical implication based on p value | SCT includes symptoms of slowness, excessive daydreaming, and drowsiness |
| | High score of sluggish cognitive tempo (SCT), Group x time | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 149^*$ $d = .384$ CI (n.a.) U | *n analysed not reported, here 74% of total. Clinical implication based on p value | SCT includes symptoms of slowness, excessive daydreaming, and drowsiness |

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen. SG = sequence generation, CC = concealment, BP = blinding participants, BA = blinding assessors, ID = incomplete data, OR = outcome reporting, CE = carry over effects, SX = stopped early, UM = unvalidated measures, OI = other issue.

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1.3.4. Psychosoziale Interventionen bei Erwachsenen mit ADHS

1.3.4.2. Bei welchen Personen sollen psychosoziale Interventionen erwogen werden?

1.3.4.2. B

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Meta-Analysen

| Endpunktkategorien | MAs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|----------------------------------|-----|---|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome (KU) | 1 | 2 | Moderat |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität (KL) | 1 | 2 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (S) | 1 | 2 | |
| Soziale Funktionsfähigkeit (KL) | 1 | 4 | |
| Komorbide Symptome (KU) | 1 | 6 | |
| Klinischer Gesamteindruck (KL) | 1 | 2 | |

Anmerkung. MAs = Anzahl der Meta-Analysen, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: RCTs

| Endpunktkategorien | RCTs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|-----------------------------|------|---|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Kernsymptome (S) | 1 | 1 | Moderat |
| Depressive Symptome (S) | 1 | 1 | |
| Lebensqualität (S) | 1 | 1 | |
| Maladaptive Kognitionen (S) | 1 | 2 | |

Anmerkung. RCTs = Anzahl der randomisierten kontrollierten Studien, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: Meta-Analysen

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Aussagesicherheit (GRADE) | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Messinstrument |
|---|---------------------|---------------------------|---|----------------------------|--|
| ADHD Symptome. Kombiniertes Urteil | | | | | |
| Li et al., 2024 | Total ADHD Symptoms | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | n = 273, k = 6 SMD = -.43 CI (-.6 - -.27) | No information regarding P | RATE, K-SADS, BCS, CSS, ADHD-RS, and CAARS |
| Population: Adults with ADHD Intervention: CBT and Pharmacotherapy | | | | | |

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| (mostly MPH & ATX) combined Comparison: Pharmacotherapy only (mostly MPH & ATX) | Total ADHD Symptoms, Follow-up (3-9 months) | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = 282, k = 5$ $SMD = -.45$ $CI (-.7 - -.19)$ | No information regarding P | RATE, K-SADS, BCS, CSS, ADHD-RS, and CAARS |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität. Kliniker*innenurteil | | | | | |
| Li et al., 2024. | | | | | |
| Population: Adults with ADHD Intervention: CBT and Pharmacotherapy (mostly MPH & ATX) combined | Hyperactivity/Impulsivity | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R,IC) | $n = 193, k = 2$ $SMD = -.12$ $CI (-.38 - .14)$ | No information regarding P | BCS, K-SADS, ADHD-RS |
| Comparison: Pharmacotherapy (mostly MPH & ATX) only | Hyperactivity/Impulsivity, Follow-up (3-9 months) | Very low ⊕○○○ (R) | $n = 193, k = 2$ $SMD = -.12$ $CI (-.69 - .02)$ | No information regarding P | BCS, K-SADS, ADHD-RS |
| Aufmerksamkeit. Selbsturteil | | | | | |
| Li et al., 2024 | | | | | |
| Population: Adults with ADHD Intervention: CBT and Pharmacotherapy (mostly MPH & ATX) combined | Inattention | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = 290, k = 4$ $SMD = -0.52$ $CI (-.75 - -.29)$ | No information regarding P | CAARS-S, BCS |
| Comparison: Pharmacotherapy (mostly MPH & ATX) only | Inattention, Follow-up (3-9 months) | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R,IC) | $n = 290, k = 4$ $SMD = -.41$ $CI (-.76 - -.06)$ | No information regarding P | CAARS-S, BCS |
| Soziale Funktionsfähigkeit. Kliniker*innenurteil | | | | | |
| Li et al., 2024 | | | | | |
| Population: Adults with ADHD Intervention: CBT and Pharmacotherapy (mostly MPH & ATX) combined | Impaired social functioning | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = 149, k = 2$ $SMD = - 8.41$ $CI (-12.25 - - 4.57)$ | No information regarding P | RATE |
| Comparison: Pharmacotherapy (mostly MPH & ATX) only | Impaired social functioning, Follow-up (3-9 months) | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = 149, k = 2$ $SMD = -9.02$ $CI (-12.89 - - 5.15)$ | No information regarding P | RATE |

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| | | | CI (.94 - -.43) | | |
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| Depression, Follow-up (3-9 months) | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = 274, k = 3$ $SMD = -.78$ CI (-1.16 - -.39) | No information regarding P | | SDS, BDI |
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Klinischer Gesamteindruck. Kliniker*innenurteil

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| Li et al., 2024 | | | $n = 244, k = 3$ $SMD = -.76$ CI (-1.02 - -.5) | | |
| Population: Adults with ADHD Intervention: CBT and Pharmacotherapy (mostly MPH & ATX) combined Comparison: Pharmacotherapy (mostly MPH & ATX) only | Clinical Global Impression | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | | I | CGI |
| | Clinical Global Impression, Follow-up (3-9 months) | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = 193, k = 2$ $SMD = -.74$ CI (-1.06 - -.43) | | CGI |
| | | | | I | |

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen, k = Anzahl der inkludierten Primärstudien. R = risk of bias, IC = inconsistency, ID = indirectness, IP = imprecision, P = publication bias.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: RCTs

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Risk of Bias | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Messinstrument |
|--|--------------------------|---------------------------------|--|---------------------------|----------------|
| ADHD Kernsymptome. Selbsturteil | | | | | |
| Pan et al., 2024 | ADHD core symptom | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 98$ $d = .491$ CI (.088 - .892) | Group x time interaction. | ADHD-RS |
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| Depressive Symptome. Selbsturteil | | | | | |

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|--|---|---------------------------------|--|---------------------------|--|
| Pan et al., 2024 | | | | | |
| Population: Adults with ADHD Intervention: CBT + Medication Comparison: Medication only | Depressive Symptoms | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 98$ $d = .570$ CI (.164 - .973) | Group x time interaction. | SDS (Self-Rating Depression Scale) |
| Lebensqualität. Selbsturteil | | | | | |
| Pan et al., 2024 | | | | | |
| Population: Adults with ADHD Intervention: CBT + Medication Comparison: Medication only | Quality of Life | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 98$ $d = .433$ CI (-.827 - -.022) | Group x time interaction. | WHOQOL-BRIEF (World Health Organization Quality of Life-Brief Version) |
| Maladaptive Kognitionen. Selbsturteil | | | | | |
| Pan et al., 2024 | Maladaptive cognitions (Automatic Thoughts) | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 98$ $d = .387$ CI (-.014 - .786) | group x time interaction | ATQ (Automatic Thoughts Questionnaire) |
| Population: Adults with ADHD Intervention: CBT + Medication Comparison: Medication only | Maladaptive cognitions (Dysfunctional Attitudes) | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 98$ $d = .395$ CI (-.006 - .794) | group x time interaction | DAS (Dysfunctional Attitudes Scales) |

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen. SG = sequence generation, CC = concealment, BP = blinding participants, BA = blinding assessors, ID = incomplete data, OR = outcome reporting, CE = carry over effects, SX = stopped early, UM = unvalidated measures, OI = other issue.

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1.3.4.3. Welche psychosozialen Interventionen sollen bei Erwachsenen mit ADHS angewendet werden?

1.3.4.3. B

**Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Meta-Analysen
Kognitiv behaviorale Therapie (CBT, DBT, MBCT):**

| Endpunktkategorien | MAs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|----------------------------------|-----|----|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (S) | 5 | 11 | Schwach/sehr schwach |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (KL) | 4 | 9 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (S) | 2 | 3 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (KL) | 1 | 1 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (KU) | 1 | 1 | |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität (S) | 2 | 3 | |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität (KL) | 1 | 1 | |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität (KU) | 1 | 1 | |
| Klinischer Gesamteindruck (KL) | 2 | 3 | |
| Funktionalität (S) | 1 | 2 | |
| Selbstwertgefühl (U) | 2 | 8 | |
| Lebensqualität (U) | 2 | 10 | |
| Komorbiditäten (KU) | 1 | 5 | |
| Komorbiditäten (S) | 2 | 7 | |
| Komorbiditäten (KL) | 1 | 4 | |
| Komorbiditäten (U) | 1 | 30 | |

Anmerkung. MAs = Anzahl der Meta-Analysen, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsterurteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

**Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Meta-Analysen
Verschiedene psychosoziale Interventionen kombiniert:**

| Endpunktkategorien | MAs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|----------------------------------|-----|---|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (S) | 2 | 4 | Schwach/sehr schwach |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (KL) | 1 | 3 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (S) | 1 | 2 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (KL) | 1 | 2 | |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität (S) | 1 | 2 | |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität (KL) | 1 | 2 | |
| Klinischer Gesamteindruck (KL) | 1 | 2 | |
| Funktionalität (S) | 1 | 2 | |
| Lebensqualität (U) | 1 | 1 | |
| Komorbiditäten (KU) | 2 | 4 | |
| Komorbiditäten (S) | 1 | 3 | |
| Komorbiditäten (KL) | 1 | 3 | |

Anmerkung. MAs = Anzahl der Meta-Analysen, *m* = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: RCTs
Kognitiv behaviorale Therapie (CBT)

| Endpunktkategorien | RCTs | <i>m</i> | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|---|------|----------|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (S) | 5 | 8 | Schwach/sehr schwach |
| ADHD Symptome gesamt (KL) | 2 | 5 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (S) | 3 | 4 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (KL) | 2 | 5 | |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität (S) | 2 | 2 | |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität (KL) | 1 | 2 | |
| Klinischer Gesamteindruck (KL) | 1 | 3 | |
| Funktionalität. (S) | 2 | 2 | |
| Selbstwertgefühl (S) | 2 | 4 | |
| Lebensqualität (S) | 2 | 5 | |
| Wohlbefinden (U) | 1 | 1 | |
| Soziale Fähigkeiten | 2 | 2 | |
| ADHS Wissen (U) | 1 | 1 | |
| Organisationale und akademische Skills (S) | 3 | 11 | |
| Organisationale und akademische Skills (KL) | 2 | 3 | |
| Komorbiditäten (S) | 2 | 2 | |
| Komorbiditäten (U) | 3 | 10 | |

Anmerkung. RCTs = Anzahl der randomisierten kontrollierten Studien, *m* = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Summary of findings Tabelle: Meta-Analysen
Kognitiv behaviorale Therapie (CBT, DBT, MBCT):

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Aussagesicherheit (GRADE) | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Messinstrument |
|---|----------------------|---------------------------|---|--|----------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Selbsturteil | | | | | |
| Knouse et al., 2017 | ADHD symptoms | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (IC) | <i>n</i> = 896, <i>k</i> = 19 <i>g</i> = .65 CI (.44 - .86) | Controlled and open trials; treatment compared with active control group showed significantly smaller effect sizes (<i>g</i> = 0.35) than treatment with not active | n.a. |
| Population: adults with ADHD, medicated and unmedicated, > 18 years Intervention: cognitive behavioral | | | | | |

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| <p>treatment (CBT, DBT, MBCT, psychoeducation, OTMB, iCBT, group rehabilitation), individual or group therapy Comparison: active or passive control</p> | <p>ADHD symptoms, Pre-posttreatment</p> | <p>Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (IC)</p> | <p>$n = 658, k = 31$ $g = 1.00$ CI (.84 - 1.16)</p> | <p>control group ($g = 0.79$). Controlled and open trials; medication status significant moderator of treatment effect size (three studies treating unmedicated participants $g = 1.33$, six studies treating only medicated participants $g = 0.20$, 22 studies treating mixed medicated and unmedicated participants ($g = 0.89$).</p> | <p>n.a.</p> |
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Liu et al., 2023

Population: adults with ADHD, parallel stable medication, > 18 years

Intervention: cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT, MBCT, DBT, internet based CBT); individual, group or online setting

Comparison: treatment as usual, waitlist, active control (nondirective therapy or with no specific strategy intervention)

ADHD total symptoms

Very Low
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(R, IC)

$n = 2090, k = 26$
 $SMD = -.43$
CI (-.52 - -.34)

Trim and fill corrected value used; high quality of evidence in the studies

CAARS, BCSS, ADHS-RS, ASRS, BADDs

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| | ADHD core symptoms, CBT vs. control | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = \text{n.a.}, k = 20$ $SMD = .55$ $CI (-1.24 - 0.14)$ | RCTs | n.a. |
| | | | U | | |
| Ostinelli et al., 2025 | ADHD core symptoms, DBT vs. control | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = \text{n.a.}, k = 8$ $SMD = -.51$ $CI (-1.17 - .16)$ | RCTs | n.a. |
| Population: adults (aged ≥ 18 years) with a formal diagnosis of ADHD Intervention: CBT, DBT, Mindfulness, Psychoeducation, Relaxation therapy (at least four sessions for psychological therapies) Comparison: psychological placebo (sham), TAU, waitlist | | | U | | |
| | ADHD core symptoms, Mindfulness vs. control | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = 260, k = 7$ $SMD = -.08$ $CI (-.79 - .64)$ | RCTs | n.a. |
| | | | U | | |
| | ADHD core symptoms, Psychoeducation vs. Control | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = \text{n.a.}, k = 6$ $SMD = .14$ $CI (-.65 - .94)$ | RCTs | n.a. |
| | | | U | | |
| | ADHD core symptoms, Relaxation therapy vs. control | Low ⊕⊕○○ ® | $n = \text{n.a.}, k = 2$ $SMD = .86$ $CI (.07 - 1.65)$ | RCTs | n.a. |
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| Tourjman et al., 2022 | ADHD, CBT vs. control | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = \text{n.a.}, k = 7$ $SMD = .83$ $CI (.52 - 1.14)$ | Result of the three-meta-analyses. No N reported, only number of effect sizes ($n = 35$). | CAARS, ADHS-RS, CSS, BSC, RATE-S, BAS, ON-TOP |
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relaxation training and emotional support or group support

Young et al., 2020

Population: adults with ADHD, medicated and unmedicated, > 18 years

Intervention:

cognitive behavioural therapy, individual or group

Comparison:

waitlist, active control (psychoeducation, PMR)

ADHD symptoms, CBT vs. waiting list

Low
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(R, IC)

$n = 260, k = 5$
 $SMD = .76$
 $CI (.21 - 1.31)$



K-SADS, ADHD-CCS, ADHD-RS, ASRS, ADHD checklist

Knouse et al., 2017

Population: adults with ADHD, medicated and unmedicated, > 18 years

Intervention:

cognitive behavioral treatment (CBT, DBT, MBCT, psychoeducation, OTMB, iCBT, group rehabilitation), individual or group therapy

Comparison: active or passive control

ADHD symptoms

High
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$n = 444, k = 6$
 $g = .57$
 $CI (.25 - .89)$



Randomized vs. nonrandomized trials included, treatment compared with active control group showed significantly smaller effect sizes ($g = 0.20$) than treatment with not active control group ($g = 0.78$).

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ADHD symptoms, Pre- vs. posttreatment

High
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$n = n.a., k = 7$
 $g = 1.40$
 $CI (1.10 - 1.71)$



Randomized vs. nonrandomized trials included

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ADHS Symptome gesamt. Kliniker*innenurteil

Liu et al., 2023

Population: adults with ADHD, parallel stable medication, >18 years

Intervention: cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT, MBCT, DBT, internet-based CBT); individual and group setting or online therapy

Comparison: treatment as usual, waitlist, active control (nondirective therapy or with no specific strategy intervention)

ADHD total symptoms

Very low
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(R, IC)

$n = 1113, k = 10$
 $SMD = -.34$
 $CI (-.47 - -.22)$

Trim and fill corrected value used; high quality of evidence in the studies

CAARS, BCSS, ADHS-RS, AISRS

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Ostinelli et al., 2025

Population: adults (aged ≥18 years) with a formal diagnosis of ADHD

Intervention: CBT, DBT, Mindfulness, Psychoeducation, Relaxation therapy (at least four sessions for psychological therapies)

Comparison: psychological placebo (sham), TAU, waitlist

ADHD core symptoms, CBT vs. control

Moderate
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(R)

$n = n.a., k = 20$
 $SMD = .76$
 $CI (.26 - 1.26)$

n.a.

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ADHD core symptoms, DBT vs. control

Low
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(R, IP)

$n = n.a., k = 8$
 $SMD = .20$
 $CI (-.17 - .57)$

n.a.

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ADHD core symptoms, Mindfulness vs. control

Moderate
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(R)

$n = n.a., k = 7$
 $SMD = -.08$
 $CI (-.79 - .64)$

n.a.

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ADHD core symptoms, Psychoeducation vs. control

Moderate
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(R)

$n = n.a., k = 6$
 $SMD = .14$
 $CI (-.65 - .94)$

n.a.

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| | ADHD core symp-toms, Relaxation therapy vs. placebo | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, IP) | <i>n</i> = n.a., <i>k</i> = 2 <i>SMD</i> = -.24 CI (-1.01 - .53) | n.a. |
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Tourjman et. al., 2022

Population: adults with ADHD, > 21 years

Intervention: CBT, MBCT, internet therapy, meta-cognitive therapy (group or individual)

Comparison: waitlist, treatment as usual, relaxation training and emotional support or group support

| Aufmerksamkeit. Selbsturteil | | | | |
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| | ADHD, CBT vs. control | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | <i>n</i> = n.a., <i>k</i> = 4 <i>SMD</i> = .51 CI (.18 - .84) | Result of the three-meta-analysis. Number of effect sizes (<i>n</i> = 18). WRAADDS, CGI, AISRS |
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| Knouse et al., 2017 | Inattention | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (IC) | <i>n</i> = n.a., <i>k</i> = 11 <i>g</i> = .77 CI (.48 - 1.07) | Randomized vs. nonrandomized (controlled and open trials) included, medication allowed, treatment compared with active control group showed significantly smaller effect sizes (<i>g</i> = 0.26) than treatment with not active control group (<i>g</i> = 0.95). n.a. |
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| group therapy Comparison: active or passive control | Inattention, Pre- vs. posttreatment | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (IC) | $n = 396, k = 20$ $g = 1.16$ CI (.94 - 1.38) | Randomized vs. nonrandomized (controlled and open trials) included, medication allowed, studies excluded if participants received new medication. | n.a. |
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Liu et al., 2023

Population: adults with ADHD, parallel stable medication, >18 years

Intervention: cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT, MBCT, DBT, internet-based CBT); individual and group setting or online therapy

Comparison: treatment as usual, waitlist, active control (nondirective therapy or with no specific strategy intervention)

Inattention symptoms

Very low
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(R, IC)

$n = 1530, k = 18$
 $SMD = -.37$
CI (-.47 - -.27)

Trim and fill corrected value used; moderate quality of evidence in the studies.

CAARS, BCSS, ADHS-RS, AISRS

Aufmerksamkeit. Kliniker*innenurteil

Liu et al., 2023

Population: adults with ADHD, parallel stable medication, >18 years

Intervention: cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT, MBCT, DBT,

Inattention symptoms

Very low
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(R, IC)

$n = 990, k = 8$
 $SMD = -.27$
CI (-.40 - -.14)

Trim and fill corrected value used; moderate quality of evidence in the studies

CAARS, BCSS, ADHS-RS, AISRS

internet-based CBT); individual and group setting or online therapy
Comparison: treatment as usual, waitlist, active control (nondirective therapy or with no specific strategy intervention)

Aufmerksamkeit. Kombiniertes Urteil

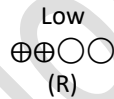
Tourjman et al., 2022

Population: adults with ADHD, > 21 years

Intervention: CBT, MBCT, internet therapy, meta-cognitive therapy (group or individual)

Comparison: waitlist, treatment as usual, relaxation training and emotional support or group support

Inattention CBT vs. control



$n = 13, k = 6$
 $SMD = .76$
 CI (.41 - 1.11)



Result of the three-meta-analysis. No N reported, only number of effect sizes (n=13)

CAARS, ADHD-SR, WRAADDS, BCS, CSS, AISRS-IN, BAS, ON-TOP, RATE-S, CGI

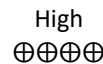
Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität. Selbsturteil

Knouse et al., 2017

Population: adults with ADHD, medicated and unmedicated, > 18 years

Intervention: cognitive behavioral treatment (CBT, DBT, MBCT, psychoeducation,

Hyperactivity/impulsivity



$n = n.a., k = 9$
 $g = .33$
 CI (.13 - .53)



Randomized vs. nonrandomized (controlled and open trials) included, treatment compared with active control group showed significantly smaller effect sizes ($g = 0.26$) than treatment with not active

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| OTMB, iCBT, group rehabilitation), individual or group therapy Comparison: active or passive control | | | | control group (g = 0.95). | |
| Hyperactivity/impulsivity, Pre-posttreatment | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = 338, k = 18$ $g = .68$ CI (.48 - .87) | I | Randomized vs. nonrandomized (controlled and open trials) included, treatment compared with active control group showed significantly smaller effect sizes ($g = 0.26$) than treatment with not active control group ($g = 0.95$). | n.a. |

Liu et al., 2023

Population: adults with ADHD, parallel stable medication, >18 years

Intervention: cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT, MBCT, DBT, internet-based CBT); individual and group setting or online therapy

Comparison: treatment as usual, waitlist, active control (nondirective therapy or with no specific strategy intervention)

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| Hyperactivity/impulsivity | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, IC) | $n = 854, k = 6$ $SMD = -.29$ CI (-.54 - -.05) | I | Moderate quality of evidence in the studies | CAARS, BCSS, ADHS-RS, AISRS |
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Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität. Kliniker*innenurteil

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|-------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|--|---|-----------------------------|
| Liu et al., 2023 | Hyperactivity/Impulsivity | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, IC) | $n = 854, k = 6$ $SMD = -.29$ CI (-.54 - -.05) | Moderate quality of evidence in studies | CAARS, BCSS, ADHS-RS, AISRS |
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parallel stable medication, >18 years

Intervention: cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT, MBCT, DBT, internet-based CBT); individual and group setting or online therapy

Comparison: treatment as usual, waitlist, active control (nondirective therapy or with no specific strategy intervention)

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Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität. Kombiniertes Urteil

Tourjman et al., 2022

Population: adults with ADHD, > 21 years

Intervention: CBT, MBCT, internet therapy, meta-cognitive therapy (group or individual)

Comparison: waitlist, treatment as usual, relaxation training and emotional support or group support

Hyperactivity/Impulsivity CBT vs. control

Moderate
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(R)

n = n.a., *k* = 7
SMD = .51
CI (.18 - .84)

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Result of the three-meta-analysis.

CAARS, ADHD-SR, WRAADDs, BCS, CSS, AISRS-IN, BAS, ON-TOP, RATE-S, CGI

Klinischer Gesamteindruck. Kliniker*innenurteil

Knouse et al., 2017

Population: adults with ADHD, medicated and unmedicated, > 18

CGI, Treatment vs. control

Low
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(IC)

n = n.a., *k* = 5
g = .51
CI (.13 - .88)

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Randomized vs. nonrandomized (controlled and open trials), treatment compared with active control

n.a.

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| years Intervention: cognitive behavioral treatment (CBT, DBT, MBCT, psychoeducation, OTMB, iCBT, group rehabilitation), individual or group therapy Comparison: active or passive control | | | | group significantly smaller effect sizes ($g = 0.13$) than treatment with not active control group ($g = 0.80$). | |
| | CGI, Pre-posttreatment | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = n.a., k = 7$ $g = 1.12$ CI (.79 - 1.43) | Randomized vs. nonrandomized (controlled and open trials), medication allowed, studies excluded if participants received new medication. | n.a. |

Liu et al., 2023

Population: adults with ADHD, parallel stable medication, >18 years

Intervention: cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT, MBCT, DBT, internet-based CBT); individual and group setting or online therapy

Comparison: treatment as usual, waitlist, active control (nondirective therapy or with no specific strategy intervention)

Clinical global impression (CGI)

Low
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(IC)

$n = 779, k = 7$
 $SMD = -.34$
CI (-.48 - -.19)

Trim and fill corrected value used; high quality of evidence in studies

n.a.

Funktionalität. Selbsturteil

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| Knouse et al., 2017 | Functioning | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = n.a., k = 10$ $g = .51$ CI (.23 - .79) | Randomized vs. nonrandomized (controlled and open trials), | n.a. |
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Population: adults with ADHD, medicated and unmedicated, > 18 years

Intervention: cognitive behavioral treatment (CBT, DBT, MBCT, psychoeducation, OTMB, iCBT, group rehabilitation), individual or group therapy

Comparison: active or passive control

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studies excluded if participants received new medication, randomization status only significant moderator of self-reported functioning, when effect size for nonrandomized study ($g = 1.29$, $n = 1$) was larger than for randomized studies ($g = .40$; $n = 9$).

Functioning, Pre-posttreatment

Low

 (IC)

$n = 389$, $k = 17$
 $g = .73$
 CI (.46 - 1.00)

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Randomized vs. nonrandomized (controlled and open trials), medication allowed, studies excluded if participants received new medication.

n.a.

Selbstwertgefühl. Unbekanntes Urteil


Liu et al., 2023

Population: adults with ADHD, parallel stable medication, >18 years

Intervention: cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT, MBCT, DBT, internet-based CBT); individual and group setting or online therapy

Comparison: treatment as

Self-esteem

Low

 (R)

$n = 337$, $k = 4$
 $SMD = 0.38$
 CI (.01 - .76)

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Moderate quality of evidence in studies

CAARS

usual, waitlist, active control (nondirective therapy or with no specific strategy intervention)

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| <p>López-Pinar et al., 2020</p> <p>Population: adults with ADHD and comorbid internalizing symptoms, medicated and unmedicated</p> <p>Intervention: non-pharmacological treatment (CBT, MBCT, NF, DBT, psychoeducation, cognitive training, hypnotherapy), individual or group</p> <p>Comparison: waitlist, treatment as usual, active control</p> | <p>Self-esteem, CBT, Between group</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 124, k = 2$ $SMD = .42$ $CI (-.33 - 1.17)$</p> <p>U</p> | <p>n.a.</p> |
| | <p>Self-esteem, CBT, Within group</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC)</p> | <p>$n = 180, k = 5$ $SMD = .62$ $CI (.31 - .92)$</p> <p>I</p> | <p>RCTs and uncontrolled single-group studies</p> <p>n.a.</p> |
| | <p>Self-esteem, CBT, Within group, Follow-up</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 60, k = 2$ $SMD = 1.04$ $CI (.45 - 1.64)$</p> <p>I</p> | <p>RCTs and uncontrolled single-group studies</p> <p>n.a.</p> |
| | <p>Self-esteem, DBT, Between group</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 341, k = 2$ $SMD = -.11$ $CI (-.28 - .06)$</p> <p>U</p> | <p>n.a.</p> |
| | <p>Self-esteem, DBT, Between group, Follow-up</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 243, k = 2$ $SMD = -.08$ $CI (-.31 - .14)$</p> <p>U</p> | <p>n.a.</p> |
| | <p>Self-esteem, DBT, Within group</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 171, k = 2$ $SMD = .27$ $CI (-.04 - .57)$</p> <p>U</p> | <p>RCTs and uncontrolled single-group studies</p> <p>n.a.</p> |
| | <p>Self-esteem, DBT, Within group, Follow-up</p> | <p>Low ⊕⊕○○ (R)</p> | <p>$n = 126, k = 2$ $SMD = .48$ $CI (.34 - .63)$</p> | <p>RCTs and uncontrolled single-group studies</p> <p>n.a.</p> |

Lebensqualität. Unbekanntes Urteil

Liu et al., 2023

Population: adults with ADHD, parallel stable medication, >18 years

Intervention: cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT, MBCT, DBT, internet-based CBT); individual and group setting or online therapy

Comparison: treatment as usual, waitlist, active control (nondirective therapy or with no specific strategy intervention)

Quality of Life

Low
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(R)

n = 654, *k* = 9
SMD = 0.36
CI (.13 - .59)

Moderate quality of evidence in studies

CAARS, BCSS, ADHD-RS

López-Pinar et al., 2020

Population: adults with ADHD and comorbid

internalizing symptoms, medicated and unmedicated

Intervention: non-pharmacological treatment (CBT, MBCT, NF, DBT, psychoeducation, cognitive training, hypnotherapy), individual or group

Comparison: waitlist, treatment

Quality of Life, CBT, Between group

Very low
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(R, IC, IP)

n = 152, *k* = 4
SMD = .07
CI (-.18 - .32)

n.a.

Quality of Life, CBT vs. TAU, Between group, Follow-up

Very low
⊕○○○
(R, IP)

n = 57, *k* = 1
SMD = .39
CI (.01 - .78)

n.a.

Quality of Life, CBT, Within group

Very low
⊕○○○
(R, IC, IP)

n = 75, *k* = 4
SMD = .28
CI (.09 - .48)

RCTs and uncontrolled single-group studies

n.a.

Quality of Life, CBT,

Very low

n = 25, *k* = 1

RCTs and uncontrolled

n.a.

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| as usual, active control | Within group, Follow-up | ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | <i>SMD</i> = .57 CI (.22 - .92) | single-group studies | | |
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| | Quality of Life, DBT vs. active control, Between group | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | <i>n</i> = 32, <i>k</i> = 1 <i>SMD</i> = .84 CI (.25 - 1.43) | | n.a. | |
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| | Quality of Life, DBT, Between group, Follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | <i>n</i> = 33, <i>k</i> = 1 <i>SMD</i> = .23 CI (-.30 - .76) | | n.a. | |
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| | Quality of Life, DBT, Within group | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | <i>n</i> = 60, <i>k</i> = 2 <i>SMD</i> = .61 CI (.06 - 1.16) | RCTs and uncontrolled single-group studies | n.a. | |
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| | Quality of Life, DBT, Within group, Follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | <i>n</i> = 52, <i>k</i> = 2 <i>SMD</i> = .40 CI (.17 - .64) | RCTs and uncontrolled single-group studies | n.a. | |
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| | Quality of Life, MBCT, Within group | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | <i>n</i> = 21, <i>k</i> = 1 <i>SMD</i> = 1.44 CI (.85 - 2.03) | RCTs and uncontrolled single-group studies | n.a. | |
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| Komorbiditäten. Kombiniertes Urteil | | | | | | |
| Guo et. al., 2022 | Population: adults with ADHD an comorbid depression, anxiety or emotional dysregulation, medicated and | Emotional dysregulation, CBT, Posttreatment | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R) | <i>n</i> = 750, <i>k</i> = 6 <i>SMD</i> = .26 CI (.06 - .45) | Self- and observer-rating, number of participants probably lower, n self-reported and partly no differentiation how many self- and observer ratings exactly | n.a. |
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| <p>unmedicated, > 18 years</p> <p>Intervention: cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT), mindfulness-based therapies (MBT), dialectical behavior therapy (DBT), cognitive therapy (CT), psychoeducation (PsyEd), neurofeedback (NFB), hypnotherapy (HT)</p> <p>Comparison: waitlist, treatment as usual, active control</p> | <p>Depression, CBT, Posttreatment</p> | <p>Low</p> <p>⊕⊕○○ (R)</p> | <p>$n = 706, k = 10$ $SMD = .42$ $CI (.19 - .66)$</p> <p>I</p> | <p>collected in a study possible.</p> <p>Authors state significant effect, but no significance-niveau. Number of participants probably lower, n self-reported and partly no differentiation how many self- and observer ratings exactly collected in a study possible.</p> | n.a. |
| | <p>Anxiety, CBT, Posttreatment</p> | <p>Low</p> <p>⊕⊕○○ (R)</p> | <p>$n = 495, k = 8$ $SMD = .33$ $CI (.15 - .50)$</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Self- and observer-rating, number of participants probably lower, n self-reported and partly no differentiation how many self- and observer ratings exactly collected in a study possible.</p> | n.a. |
| | <p>Depression, CBT, Follow-up</p> | <p>Very low</p> <p>⊕○○○ (R, IC)</p> | <p>$n = 235, k = 5$ $SMD = .59$ $CI (.04 - 1.15)$</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Self- and observer-rating, number of participants probably lower, n self-reported and partly no differentiation how many self- and observer ratings exactly collected in a study possible.</p> | n.a. |
| | <p>Anxiety, CBT, Follow-up</p> | <p>Low</p> <p>⊕⊕○○ (R)</p> | <p>$n = 235, k = 5$ $SMD = .47$</p> | <p>Self- and observer-rating,</p> | n.a. |

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| | | | CI (.12 - .82) | number of participants probably lower, n self-reported and partly no differentiation how many self- and observer ratings exactly collected in a study possible. | |
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Komorbiditäten. Selbsturteil

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| Guo et. al., 2022 | Emotional dysregulation, CBT, Posttreatment | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R) | $n = 707, k = 5$ $SMD = .30$ CI (.03 - .57) | Number of participants probably lower, n self-reported and partly no differentiation how many self- and observer ratings exactly collected in a study possible. | n.a. |
| Population: adults with ADHD an comorbid depression, anxiety or emotional dysregulation, medicated and unmedicated, > 18 years | | | | | |
| Intervention: cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT), mindfulness-based therapies (MBT), dialectical behavior therapy (DBT), cognitive therapy (CT), psychoeducation (PsyEd), neurofeedback (NFB), hypnotherapy (HT) | Depression, CBT, Posttreatment | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R) | $n = 646, k = 9$ $SMD = .30$ CI (.09 - .51) | Number of participants probably lower, n self-reported and partly no differentiation how many self- and observer ratings exactly collected in a study possible. | n.a. |
| Comparison: waitlist, treatment as usual, active control | Anxiety, CBT, Posttreatment | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R) | $n = 347, k = 6$ $SMD = .27$ CI (.08 - .47) | Number of participants probably lower, n self-reported and partly no differentiation how many self- and observer ratings exactly collected in a study possible. | n.a. |

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| | Emotional dysregulation, CBT, Follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = 59, k = 2$ $SMD = .85$ $CI (.41 - 1.30)$ | Number of participants probably lower, n self-reported and partly no differentiation how many self- and observer ratings exactly collected in a study possible. | n.a. |
| | Anxiety MBT, Posttreatment | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = 56, k = 1$ $SMD = .75$ $CI (.20 - 1.31)$ | Number of participants probably lower, n self-reported and partly no differentiation how many self- and observer ratings exactly collected in a study possible. | n.a. |
| Liu et al., 2023 | | | | | |
| Population: adults with ADHD, parallel stable medication, >18 years Intervention: cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT, MBCT, DBT, internet-based CBT); individual and group setting or online therapy Comparison: treatment as usual, waitlist, active control (nondirective therapy or with no specific strategy intervention) | Comorbid depression | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 1610, k = 19$ $SMD = -.24$ $CI (-.34 - -.14)$ | Trim and fill corrected value used; moderate quality of evidence in studies. | BCSS, K-SADS |
| | Comorbid anxiety | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 888, k = 13$ $SMD = -.52$ $CI (-.79 - -.26)$ | Moderate quality of evidence in studies. | BCSS, K-SADS |

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|---|--|--------------------------------------|---|--|------|
| <p>Guo et. al., 2022</p> <p>Population: adults with ADHD an comorbid depression, anxiety or emotional dysregulation, medicated and unmedicated, > 18 years</p> <p>Intervention: cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT), mindfulness-based therapies (MBT), dialectical behavior therapy (DBT), cognitive therapy (CT), psychoeducation (PsyEd), neurofeedback (NFB), hypnotherapy (HT)</p> <p>Comparison: waitlist, treatment as usual, active control</p> | <p>Depression, CBT, Posttreatment</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 59, k = 2$ $SMD = 1.03$ $CI (.54 - 1.51)$</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Number of participants probably lower, n self-reported and partly no differentiation how many self- and observer ratings exactly collected in a study possible.</p> | n.a. |
| | <p>Anxiety, CBT, Posttreatment</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 93, k = 3$ $SMD = .54$ $CI (.05 - 1.03)$</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Number of participants probably lower, n self-reported and partly no differentiation how many self- and observer ratings exactly collected in a study possible.</p> | n.a. |
| | <p>Depression, CBT, Follow-up</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 46, k = 1$ $SMD = .74$ $CI (.13 - 1.35)$</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Number of participants probably lower, n self-reported and partly no differentiation how many self- and observer ratings exactly collected in a study possible.</p> | n.a. |
| | <p>Anxiety, CBT, Follow-up</p> | <p>Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 46, k = 1$ $SMD = .76$ $CI (.15 - 1.37)$</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Number of participants probably lower, n self-reported and partly no differentiation how many self- and observer ratings exactly collected in a study possible.</p> | n.a. |

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| | Depression, CBT, Between group | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 344, k = 8$ $SMD = .27$ $CI (.02 - .52)$ | | n.a. |
| | Depression, CBT, Between group, Follow-up | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R) | $n = 131, k = 3$ $SMD = .52$ $CI (.24 - .80)$ | | n.a. |
| López-Pinar et. al., 2020 | Depression, CBT, Within group | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 363, k = 14$ $SMD = .54$ $CI (.35 - .72)$ | RCTs and uncontrolled single-group studies included. | n.a. |
| Population: adults with ADHD and comorbid internalizing symptoms, medicated and unmedicated | Depression, CBT, Within group, Follow-up | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R) | $n = 117, k = 5$ $SMD = .72$ $CI (.48 - .96)$ | RCTs and uncontrolled single-group studies included. | n.a. |
| Intervention: non-pharmacological treatment (CBT, MBCT, NF, DBT, psychoeducation, cognitive training, hypnotherapy), individual or group | Anxiety, CBT, Between group | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 325, k = 7$ $SMD = .31$ $CI (.01 - .62)$ | | n.a. |
| Comparison: waitlist, treatment as usual, active control | Anxiety, CBT, Between group, Follow-up | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R) | $n = 133, k = 3$ $SMD = .73$ $CI (.45 - 1.02)$ | | n.a. |
| | Anxiety, CBT, Within group | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 325, k = 12$ $SMD = .49$ $CI (.25 - .72)$ | RCTs and uncontrolled single-group studies included. | n.a. |
| | Anxiety, CBT, Within group, | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 117, k = 5$ $SMD = .74$ | RCTs and uncontrolled single-group | n.a. |

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| | Follow-up | | CI (.28 - 1.21) | studies included. | |
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| | Emotional dysregulation, CBT, Between group | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = 102, k = 2$ $SMD = .21$ CI (-.09 - .52) | | n.a. |
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| | Emotional dysregulation, CBT vs. TAU, Between group, Follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = 88, k = 2$ $SMD = .64$ CI (.30 - .98) | | n.a. |
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| | Emotional dysregulation, CBT, Within group | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = 51, k = 2$ $SMD = .38$ CI (.16 - .60) | RCTs and uncontrolled single-group studies included. | n.a. |
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| | Emotional dysregulation, CBT, Within group, Follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 39, k = 2$ $SMD = .73$ CI (.42 - 1.03) | RCTs and uncontrolled single-group studies included. | n.a. |
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| | Depression, DBT, Between group | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 282, k = 3$ $SMD = -.06$ CI (-.21 - .10) | | n.a. |
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| | Depression, DBT, Between group, Follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = 278, k = 3$ $SMD = -.04$ CI (-.23 - .14) | | n.a. |
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| | Depression, DBT, Within group | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R) | $n = 342, k = 6$ $SMD = .36$ CI (.24 - .48) | RCTs and uncontrolled single-group studies included. | n.a. |
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| Depression, DBT, Within group, Follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 221, k = 4$ $SMD = .33$ $CI (.13 - .53)$ I | RCTs and uncontrolled single-group studies included. | n.a. |
| Anxiety, DBT, Between group | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = 32, k = 1$ $SMD = .41$ $CI (-.14 - .96)$ U | | n.a. |
| Anxiety, DBT, Between group, Follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = 33, k = 1$ $SMD = .31$ $CI (-.24 - .86)$ U | | n.a. |
| Anxiety, DBT, Within group | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = 88, k = 2$ $SMD = .14$ $CI (-.02 - .30)$ U | RCTs and uncontrolled single-group studies included. | n.a. |
| Anxiety, DBT, Within group, Follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = 65, k = 2$ $SMD = .11$ $CI (-.11 - .33)$ U | RCTs and uncontrolled single-group studies included. | n.a. |
| Depression, MBCT, Between group | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 212, k = 3$ $SMD = .14$ $CI (-.24 - .52)$ U | | n.a. |
| Depression, MBCT, Between group, Follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 196, k = 2$ $SMD = .00$ $CI (-.60 - .06)$ U | | n.a. |
| Depression MBCT, Within group | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R) | $n = 171, k = 5$ $SMD = .33$ $CI (.17 - .50)$ | RCTs and uncontrolled single-group studies included. | n.a. |



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| Depression, MBCT, Within group, Follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 60, k = 2$ $SMD = .53$ $CI (-.46 - 1.52)$ | U | RCTs and uncontrolled single-group studies included. | n.a. |
| Anxiety, MBCT, Between group | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 212, k = 3$ $SMD = .43$ $CI (-.30 - 1.16)$ | U | | n.a. |
| Anxiety, MBCT, Between group, Follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 196, k = 2$ $SMD = .50$ $CI (-.47 - 1.47)$ | U | | n.a. |
| Anxiety, MBCT, Within group | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 171, k = 5$ $SMD = .64$ $CI (.32 - .96)$ | I | RCTs and uncontrolled single-group studies included. | n.a. |
| Anxiety, MBCT, Within group, Follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 60, k = 2$ $SMD = .59$ $CI (-.51 - 1.68)$ | U | RCTs and uncontrolled single-group studies included. | n.a. |
| Emotional dysregulation, MBCT vs. wait list, Between group | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = 52, k = 2$ $SMD = .46$ $CI (.15 - .75)$ | I | | n.a. |
| Emotional dysregulation, MBCT, Within group | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = 52, k = 2$ $SMD = .55$ $CI (.23 - .68)$ | | RCTs and uncontrolled single-group | n.a. |

studies included.

Anmerkung. *n* = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen, *k* = Anzahl der inkludierten Primärstudien. R = risk of bias, IC = inconsistency, ID = indirectness, IP = imprecision, P = publication bias.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: Meta-Analysen

Multiple psychosoziale Interventionen kombiniert:

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Aussagesicherheit (GRADE) | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Messinstrument |
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| ADHS Symptome. Selbsturteil | | | | | |
| Lopez-Pinar et. al., 2018 Population: adults with ADHD, > 18 years, medicated or unmedicated Intervention: psychosocial treatment specifically designed for ADHD (CBT, MBCT, Biofeedback, DBT) Comparison: active control (non-specific intervention), waitlist, treatment as usual | ADHD total symptoms, Treated and controls, Long-term | Very Low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 680, k = 12$ $SMD = .86$ CI (.66 – 1.07)  | RCTs + three uncontrolled single-group studies; 50% of treatment groups CBT and 25% DBT; MBCT, Biofeedback (BFB), or combination of CBT and DBT applied for 8.33%. Higher percentage of participants on medication predicted higher ES on between-groups and within-subject. | n.a. |
| | ADHD total symptoms, Between group, Long-term | Low ⊕⊕○○ (IC, IP) | $n = 513, k = 8$ $SMD = .40$ CI (-.05 - .85)  | Trim and fill cor-rected values | n.a. |
| | ADHD total symptoms, Within group, Long-term | Very Low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 409, k = 14$ $SMD = 1.09$ CI (.85 – 1.32) | RCTs and non RCTs | n.a. |

| ADHS Symptome. Kliniker*innenurteil | | | | | |
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| <p>Tourjman et. al., 2022</p> <p>Population: adults with ADHD, > 21 years</p> <p>Intervention: CBT, MBCT, internet therapy, meta-cognitive therapy (group or individual)</p> <p>Comparison: waitlist, treatment as usual, relaxation training and emotional support or group support</p> | <p>ADHD total symptoms, All interventions, Long-term</p> | <p>Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, P)</p> | <p>$n = 52, k = 7$ $SMD = .74$ $CI (.49 - .99)$</p> | <p>Result for adult population of the three-meta-analysis, No N reported, only number of effect sizes (n=52).</p> | <p>CAARS, ADHD-SR, BCS, WRAADDS, CSS, AISRS-IN, BAS, ON-TOP, RATE-S, CGI</p> |
| <p>Lopez-Pinar et. al., 2018</p> <p>Population: adults with ADHD, > 18 years, medicated or unmedicated</p> <p>Intervention: psychosocial treatment specifically designed for ADHD (CBT, MBCT, Biofeedback, DBT)</p> <p>Comparison: active control (non-specific intervention), waitlist, treatment as usual</p> | <p>ADHD total symptoms, All interventions, Long-term</p> | <p>Low ⊕⊕○○ (IC)</p> | <p>$n = 393, k = 4$ $SMD = .98$ $CI (.68 - 1.27)$</p> | | <p>n.a.</p> |
| | <p>ADHD total symptoms, Between group, Long-term</p> | <p>Very Low ⊕○○○ (IC, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 382, k = 5$ $SMD = .07$ $CI (-.39 - .53)$</p> | <p>Trim and fill corrected values</p> | <p>n.a.</p> |
| | <p>ADHD total symptoms, Within group, Long-term</p> | <p>High ⊕⊕⊕⊕</p> | <p>$n = 197, k = 5$ $SMD = 1.18$ $CI (.90 - 1.46)$</p> | | <p>n.a.</p> |
| Aufmerksamkeit. Selbsturteil | | | | | |
| <p>Lopez-Pinar et. al., 2018</p> | <p>Inattention, Between group, Long-term</p> | <p>Very Low ⊕○○○ (R, IC)</p> | <p>$n = 446, k = 7$ $SMD = .36$</p> | <p>Trim and fill corrected values used</p> | <p>n.a.</p> |

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| Population: adults with ADHD, > 18 years, medicated or unmedicated | | | | | I | |
| Intervention: psychosocial treatment specifically designed for ADHD (CBT, MBCT, Biofeedback, DBT) | Inattention, Within group, Long-term | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | <i>n</i> = 243, <i>k</i> = 8 <i>SMD</i> = 1.32 CI (.99 - 1.64) | Trim and fill corrected values used | | n.a. |
| Comparison: active control (non-specific intervention), waitlist, treatment as usual | | | | | I | |
| Aufmerksamkeit. Kliniker*innenurteil | | | | | | |
| Lopez-Pinar et. al., 2018 | | | | | | |
| Population: adults with ADHD, > 18 years, medicated or unmedicated | Inattention, Between group, Long-term | Very Low ⊕○○○ (IC, IP) | <i>n</i> = 282, <i>k</i> = 3 <i>SMD</i> = .14 CI (-.29 - .58) | | | n.a. |
| Intervention: psychosocial treatment specifically designed for ADHD (CBT, MBCT, Biofeedback, DBT) | | | | | | |
| Comparison: active control (non-specific intervention), waitlist, treatment as usual | Inattention, Within group, Long-term | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | <i>n</i> = 153, <i>k</i> = 3 <i>SMD</i> = .95 CI (.72 - 1.19) | Trim an fill corrected values used | | n.a. |
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| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität. Selbsturteil | | | | | | |
| Lopez-Pinar et. al., 2018 | | | | | | |
| Population: adults with ADHD, > 18 | Hyperactivity/Impulsivity, Between group, Long-term | Very Low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | <i>n</i> = 406, <i>k</i> = 6 <i>SMD</i> = .66 CI (.18 - 1.14) | Trim an fill corrected values used | | n.a. |
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| years, medicated or unmedicated | | | | | |
| Intervention: psychosocial treatment specifically designed for ADHD (CBT, MBCT, Biofeedback, DBT) | Hyperactivity/Impulsivity, Within group, Long-term | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, IC) | $n = 227, k = 7$ $SMD = .83$ CI (.59 - 1.08) | | n.a. |
| Comparison: active control (non-specific intervention), waitlist, treatment as usual | | | I | | |

Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität. Kliniker*innenurteil

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| Lopez-Pinar et. al., 2018 | Hyperactivity/Impulsivity, Between group, Long-term | Very Low ⊕○○○ (IC, IP) | $n = 291, k = 3$ $SMD = .16$ CI (-.27 - .59) | Trim an fill corrected values used | n.a. |
| Population: adults with ADHD, > 18 years, medicated or unmedicated | | | U | | |

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| Intervention: psychosocial treatment specifically designed for ADHD (CBT, MBCT, Biofeedback, DBT) | Hyperactivity/Impulsivity, Within group, Long-term | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = 149, k = 3$ $SMD = .96$ CI (.50 - 1.42) | Trim an fill corrected values used | n.a. |
| Comparison: active control (non-specific intervention), waitlist, treatment as usual | | | I | | |

Klinischer Gesamteindruck. Kliniker*innenurteil

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| Lopez-Pinar et. al., 2018 | CGI, Between group, Long-term | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (IC) | $n = 392, k = 5$ $SMD = .44$ CI (.14 - .74) | | n.a. |
| Population: adults with ADHD, > 18 years, medicated or unmedicated | | | I | | |

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| Intervention: psychosocial treatment specifically | CGI, Within group, Long-term | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = 194, k = 5$ $SMD = 1.20$ CI (.93 - 1.48) | | n.a. |
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designed for ADHD
(CBT, MBCT,
Biofeedback, DBT)
Comparison:
active control
(non-specific
intervention),
waitlist, treatment
as usual

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Funktionalität. Selbsturteil

**Lopez-Pinar et. al.,
2018**

**Global functioning,
Between group,
Long-term**

Low
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(R, IC)

n = 102, *k* = 3
SMD = .76
CI (.23 - 1.28)

n.a.

Population: adults
with ADHD, > 18
years, medicated
or unmedicated

Intervention:
psychosocial
treatment
specifically
designed for ADHD

(CBT, MBCT,
Biofeedback, DBT)

Comparison:
active control
(non-specific
intervention),
waitlist, treatment
as usual

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**Global functioning,
Between group,
Long-term**

Very Low
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(R, IC, IP)

n = 102, *k* = 4
SMD = .58
CI (.25 - .92)

RCTs and non
RCTs

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Lebensqualität. Unbekanntes Urteil

**Lopez-Pinar et. al.,
2018**

Population: adults
with ADHD, > 18
years, medicated
or unmedicated

Intervention:
psychosocial
treatment
specifically
designed for ADHD
(CBT, MBCT,
Biofeedback, DBT)

Comparison:
active control
(non-specific

**Quality of Life,
All interventions (CBT,
DBT, CT),
Between group**

Very Low
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(R, IP)

n = 217, *k* = 6
SMD = .17
CI (-.03 - .37)

Number of
sessions
negatively
predicted
efficacy on
within-group
QoL
(coefficient =
-0.06, 95% CI =
[-0.11, 0.01];
SE = 0.02; *p* <
.01).

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intervention),
waitlist, treatment
as usual

Komorbiditäten. Kombiniertes Urteil

Guo et. al., 2022

Population: Adults with ADHD an comorbid depression, anxiety or emotional dysregulation, medicated and unmedicated, > 18 years

Intervention: Non-pharmacological treatment (cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT), mindfulness-based therapies (MBT), dialectical behavior therapy (DBT), cognitive therapy (CT), psychoeducation (PsyEd), neurofeedback (NFB), hypnotherapy (HT))
Comparison: waitlist, treatment as usual, active control

**Anxiety,
Post-treatment**

Very Low
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(R, IC, IP)

$n = 819, k = 13$
 $SMD = .21$
 $CI (-.07 - .48)$

Follow-up: no significant effects

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**Depression,
Post-treatment**

Low
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(R)

$n = 1191, k = 17$
 $SMD = .39$
 $CI (.22 - .56)$

Follow-up: no significant effects

n.a.

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**Emotional dysregulation,
Post-treatment**

Very Low
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(R, P)

$n = 853, k = 7$
 $SMD = .21$
 $CI (.02 - .41)$

Heterogeneity of measurement, follow-up: no significant effects

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Lopez-Pinar et. al., 2018

Population: adults with ADHD, > 18 years, medicated or unmedicated
Intervention: psychosocial treatment specifically designed for ADHD

**Emotional dysregulation,
Between group all interventions (CBT, MBCT),
Follow-up**

Low
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(R)

$n = 208, k = 4$
 $SMD = .44$
 $CI (.28 - .61)$

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(CBT, MBCT, Biofeedback, DBT)
Comparison:
 active control
 (non-specific intervention),
 waitlist, treatment
 as usual

Komorbiditäten. Selbsturteil

Guo et. al., 2022

Population: Adults with ADHD an comorbid depression, anxiety or emotional dysregulation, medicated and unmedicated, > 18 years

Intervention: Non-pharmacological treatment (cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT), mindfulness-based therapies (MBT), dialectical behavior therapy (DBT), cognitive therapy (CT), psychoeducation (PsyEd), neurofeedback (NFB), hypnotherapy (HT)

Comparison:
 waitlist, treatment as usual, active control

Emotional dysregulation, Post-treatment

Low
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 (R)

$n = 810, k = 6$
 $SMD = .22$
 $CI (.01 - .44)$



Number of participants probably lower, n self-reported and partly no differentiation possible regarding number of exact self- and observer ratings collected in a study

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Depression, Post-treatment

Low
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 (R)

$n = 1131, k = 16$
 $SMD = .34$
 $CI (.18 - .50)$



Number of participants probably lower, n self-reported and partly no differentiation possible regarding number of exact self- and observer ratings collected in a study

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Anxiety, Post-treatment

Very Low
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 (R, IC)

$n = 671, k = 11$
 $SMD = .13$
 $CI (.18 - .45)$



Number of participants probably lower, n self-reported and partly no differentiation possible

n.a.

regarding number of exact self- and observer ratings collected in a study

Komorbiditäten. Kliniker*innenurteil

Guo et. al., 2022

Population: Adults with ADHD an comorbid depression, anxiety or emotional dysregulation, medicated and unmedicated, > 18 years

Emotional dysregulation, Post-treatment

Moderate
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(R)

$n = 661, k = 5$
 $SMD = .21$
 $CI (.16 - .59)$

Number of participants probably lower, n self-reported and partly no differentiation possible regarding number of exact self- and observer ratings collected in a study

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Intervention: Non-pharmacological treatment (cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT), mindfulness-based therapies (MBT), dialectical behavior therapy (DBT), cognitive therapy (CT), psychoeducation (PsyEd), neurofeedback (NFB), hypnotherapy (HT)

Depression, Post-treatment

Very Low
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(R, IP)

$n = 91, k = 2$
 $SMD = 1.03$
 $CI (.54 - 1.51)$

Number of participants probably lower, n self-reported and partly no differentiation possible regarding number of exact self- and observer ratings collected in a study

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Comparison: waitlist, treatment as usual, active control

Anxiety, Post-treatment

Low
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(R)

$n = 179, k = 3$
 $SMD = .54$
 $CI (.05 - 1.03)$

Number of participants probably lower, n self-reported and partly no differentiation possible regarding




n.a.

number of exact self- and observer ratings collected in a study

Anmerkung. *n* = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen, *k* = Anzahl der inkludierten Primärstudien. R = risk of bias, IC = inconsistency, ID = indirectness, IP = imprecision, P = publication bias.

**Summary of Findings Tabelle: RCTs
Kognitiv behaviorale Therapie (CPT):**

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Risk of Bias | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Mess-instrument |
|---|---|----------------------------------|--|--|---|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Selbsturteil | | | | | |
| Anastopoulos et al., 2021 | | | | | |
| <p>Population: college students with ADHD 18 - 30 years</p> <p>Intervention: ACCESS treatment immediately (cognitive-behavior therapy program delivered via group treatment and individual mentoring across two semesters)</p> <p>Comparison: Delayed Treatment Control (DTC): one-year delayed basis.</p> | ADHD total symptoms | High Risk ● (BP) | <i>n</i> = 250 <i>d</i> = .39 CI (.15 - .65) | Reductions in ADHD symptoms were evident at end of active phase and remained stable throughout maintenance phase of intervention | CAARS, Total ADHD scores |
| Cherkasova et al., 2020 | | | | | |
| <p>Population: adults with ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: CBT (12 manualized group sessions) accompanied by individual coaching + medication (long acting methylphenidate (Biphentin or Concerta) or amphetamine</p> | ADHD symptoms, Following treatment | High Risk ● (CC, BA, BP) | <i>n</i> = 88 <i>d</i> = .99 CI (n.a.) | | Barkley's Current ADHD Symptoms Scale (CSS) |
| | ADHD symptoms, 3 month follow-up | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | <i>n</i> = 88 <i>d</i> = .64 CI (n.a.) | | Barkley's Current ADHD Symptoms Scale (CSS) |

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| <p>medication (Adderall XR or Vyvanse)) Comparison: CBT (12 manualized group sessions) accompanied by individual coaching (without medication)</p> | <p>ADHD symptoms, 6 month follow-up</p> | <p>Very high risk  (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 88$ $d = .65$ CI (n.a.)</p> | <p>Barkley's Current ADHD Symptoms Scale (CSS)</p> | |
| <p>Gutman et al., 2020</p> | | | | | |
| <p>Population: adults with self-reported diagnosis of ADHD (20 - 55years), female Intervention: intervention based on five-part approach (Gutman & Szczepanski, 2005): helped participants to establish routines, organize personal physical environments, enhance time management skills, monitor and regulate internal and external sensory, develop effective stress management skills. 7 consecutive weeks consisted of individual 1-hr sessions that took place in home and community environments (e.g., work, school, grocery store) Comparison: no intervention or contact from research team during the 7-wk intervention</p> | <p>Total ADHD symptoms</p> | <p>Very high risk  (BP, BA, CE)</p> | <p>$n = 23$ $d = -2.17$ CI (n.a.)</p> | <p>Disbalance of medication status between intervention and control groups.</p> | <p>ASRS</p> |
| <p>Pan et al., 2022</p> | | | | | |
| <p>Population: adults with ADHD Intervention: BT Comparison: treatment as usual</p> | <p>Total ADHD symptoms</p> | <p>Very high risk  (BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 98$ $d = .34$ CI (.07 - .5.89)</p> | <p>Value for T2 (after the 12-week CBT-treatment). Follow-Up values also reported in study.</p> | <p>ADHD-RS</p> |

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| | Total ADHD symptoms | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 98$ $d = .31$ CI (-.37 - 10.73) | Value for T2 (after the 12-week CBT-treatment). Follow-Up values also reported in study. | CAARS-total |
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| Young et al., 2017 | | | | | |
| Population: adults with ADHD Intervention: CBT + Medication Comparison: medication only | ADHD symptoms | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 95$ $d = .55$ CI (n.a.) | | RATE-S |
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| ADHD Symptome gesamt. Kliniker*innenurteil | | | | | |
| Cherkasova et al., 2020 | | | | | |
| Population: Adults with ADHD Intervention: CBT (12 manualized group sessions) accompanied by individual coaching + medication (long acting MPH (Biphentin or Concerta) or amphetamine (Adderall XR or Vyvanse)) Comparison: CBT (12 manualized group sessions) accompanied by individual coaching (without medication) | ADHD symptoms, Following treatment | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 88$ $d = .64$ CI (n.a.) | | n.a. |
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| | ADHD symptoms, 3-month follow-up | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 88$ $d = .56$ CI (n.a.) | | n.a. |
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| | ADHD symptoms, 6 month follow-up | Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA) | $n = 88$ $d = -.14$ CI (n.a.) | | n.a. |
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| Lam et al., 2019 | | | | | |
| Population: Adults with ADHD Intervention: group CBT (+ MPH or + placebo) Comparison: individual clinical management (+ MPH or + placebo) | Total ADHD symptoms | High Risk ● (BP) | $n = 251$ $MD = -.50$ CI (-1.9 - .90) | Data incomplete due to loss at follow up, but authors state: nevertheless, psychosocial and clinical baseline characteristics of subsample assessed descriptively | CAARS-O:L |
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| | | | | Data incomplete due to loss at follow up, but authors state: nevertheless, psychosocial and clinical baseline characteristics of subsample assessed descriptively similar to baseline participants | CAARS-O:L |
| Decrease in total ADHD symptoms $\geq 30\%$ | High Risk ● (BP) | $n = 251$ $OR = 1.26$ $CI (.75 - 2.12)$ | U | | |
| Aufmerksamkeit. Selbsturteil | | | | | |
| Anastopoulos et al., 2021 | | | | | |
| Population: college students with ADHD 18 - 30 years Intervention: ACCESS treatment immediately (cognitive-behavior therapy program delivered via group treatment and individual mentoring across two semesters) Comparison: Delayed Treatment Control: one-year delayed basis. | Inattention Symptoms | High Risk ● (BP) | $n = 250$ $d = .50$ $CI (.25 - .76)$ | Reductions in ADHD symptoms were evident at end of active phase and remained stable throughout maintenance phase of intervention | CAARS |
| Pan et al., 2022 | | | | | |
| Population: Adults with ADHD Intervention: CBT Comparison: Treatment as usual | Inattention | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 98$ $d = .46$ $CI (.62 - 4.47)$ | Value for T2 (after the 12-week CBT-treatment). Follow-Up values also reported in the study. | ADHD-RS |

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| <p>Solanto et al., 2018</p> <p>Population: Adults with ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: group CBT (+ MPH or + placebo)</p> <p>Comparison: individual clinical management (+ MPH or + placebo)</p> | <p>Inattention/memory, Participants below age of 50</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 55$</p> <p>$MD = .48$</p> <p>CI (.70 - 9)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Effect size measure: difference between least square mean change scores</p> | CAARS-Self-IN |
| | <p>Inattention/memory, Participants above age of 50</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 26$</p> <p>$MD = 5.8$</p> <p>CI (-.30 - 12)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Effect size measure: difference between least square mean change scores</p> | CAARS-Self-IN |
| <p>Aufmerksamkeit. Kliniker*innenurteil</p> | | | | | |
| <p>Lam et al., 2019</p> <p>Population: adults with ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: manualized 12-week CBT</p> <p>Comparison: parallel support group</p> | <p>Inattention/memory problems</p> | <p>High Risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP)</p> | <p>$n = 251$</p> <p>$MD = -.70$</p> <p>CI (-2.2 - .80)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Data incomplete due to loss at follow up, but authors state: nevertheless, psychosocial and clinical baseline characteristics of subsample assessed descriptively similar to baseline participants</p> | CAARS-O:L |
| <p>Solanto et al., 2018</p> <p>Population: adults with ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: group CBT (+ MPH or + placebo)</p> <p>Comparison: individual clinical management (+ MPH or + placebo)</p> | <p>Inattention, Participants below age of 50</p> | <p>High Risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP)</p> | <p>$n = 55$</p> <p>$MD = 3.67$</p> <p>CI (1.48 - 5.86)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Effect size measure: difference between least square mean change scores</p> | AISRS-IN |
| | <p>Inattention, Participants above age of 50</p> | <p>High Risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP)</p> | <p>$n = 26$</p> <p>$MD = 1.1$</p> <p>CI (-2.1 - 4.3)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Effect size measure: difference between least square mean change scores</p> | AISRS-IN |
| | <p>Inattention/memory, Participants below age of 50</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 55$</p> <p>$MD = 5.19$</p> <p>CI (.30 - 10.1)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Effect size measure: difference between least square mean change scores</p> | CAARS-Obs-IN |

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| Inattention/memory, Participants above age of 50 | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 26$ $MD = 4.6$ $CI (-2.5 - 11.7)$ U | Effect size measure: difference between least square mean change scores | CAARS-Obs-IN |
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Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität. Selbsturteil

Anastopoulos et al., 2021

Population: college students with ADHD 18 - 30 years
Intervention: ACCESS treatment immediately (cognitive-behavior therapy program delivered via group treatment and individual mentoring across two semesters)
Comparison: Delayed Treatment Control (DTC): one-year delayed basis.

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| Hyperactive-impulsive symptoms | High Risk ● (BP) | $n = 250$ $d = .16$ $CI (-.09 - .41)$ U | | CAARS HI scores |
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Pan et al., 2022

Population: adults with ADHD
Intervention: CBT
Comparison: medication only

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| Impulsivity/hyperactivity | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 250$ $d = .14$ $CI (-.92 - 2.23)$ U | Value for T2 (after the 12-week CBT-treatment). Follow-up values reported in study. | ADHD-RS |
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Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität. Kliniker*innenurteil

Lam et al., 2019

Population: adults with ADHD
Intervention: manualized 12-week CBT
Comparison: parallel support group

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| Hyperactivity/impulsivity | High Risk ● (BP) | $n = 251$ $MD = -1.4$ $CI (-2.9 - .10)$ U | Data incomplete due to loss at follow up, but authors state: nevertheless, psychosocial and clinical baseline characteristics of subsample assessed descriptively | CAARS-O:L |
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| | Impulsivity and emotional lability | High Risk ● (BP) | $n = 251$ $MD = -.80$ $CI (-2.2 - .70)$ U | | CAARS-O:L |
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| | | | | Data incomplete due to loss at follow up, but authors state: nevertheless, psychosocial and clinical baseline characteristics of subsample assessed descriptively similar to baseline participants | |
| | CGI severity | High Risk ● (BP) | $n = 251$ $OR = 0.81$ $CI (0.51 - 1.28)$ U | | CAARS-O:L |
| Lam et al., 2019 | | | | | |
| Population: adults with ADHD | | | | | |
| Intervention: manualized 12-week CBT | | | | | |
| Comparison: parallel support group | | | | | |
| | CGI global change | High Risk ● (BP) | $n = 251$ $OR = 0.76$ $CI (0.48 - 1.21)$ U | Data incomplete due to loss at follow up, but authors state: nevertheless, psychosocial and clinical baseline characteristics of subsample assessed descriptively similar to baseline participants | CAARS-O:L |

CGI global assessment of effectiveness

High Risk
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(BP)

$n = 251$
 $OR = 1.63$
 $CI (1.03 - 2.59)$



Data incomplete due to loss at follow up, but authors state: nevertheless, psychosocial and clinical baseline characteristics of subsample assessed descriptively similar to baseline participants

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Funktionalität. Selbsturteil

Eddy et al., 2021

Population: emerging adults with ADHD attending college (18-30 years)

Intervention: ACCESS (CBT programm including: SEMESTER 1 (active phase) 8 weekly group sessions (90m each) + concurrently weekly individual mentoring sessions (30 min). SEMESTER 2 (maintenance phase)

Comparison: delayed treatment condition (DTC).

Daily life performance with ADHD

Very high risk
●
(BP, ID)

$n = 250$
 $d = 0.72$
 $CI (0.46 - 0.97)$



Participants received ACCRSS after 2 semesters

AIM-A Performance/Daily functioning

Gutman et al., 2020

Population: adults with self-reported diagnosis of ADHD (20 - 55years), female

Intervention: intervention based on five-part approach (Gutman & Szczepanski, 2005): helped participants to establish routines, organize personal physical

Performance

Very high risk
●
(BP, BA, CE)

$n = 23$
 $d = 3.04$
 $CI (n.a)$



No information regarding concealment, disbalance of medication status between intervention and control groups.

COPM

environments, enhance time management skills, monitor and regulate internal and external sensory, develop effective stress management skills. 7 consecutive weeks consisted of individual 1-hr sessions that took place in home and community environments (e.g., work, school, grocery store)

Comparison: no intervention or contact from research team during the 7-wk intervention

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| <p>Cherkasova et al., 2020</p> <p>Population: Adults with ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: CBT (12 manualized group sessions) accompanied by individual coaching + medication (long acting MPH (Biphentin or Concerta) or amphetamine (Adderall XR or Vyvanse))</p> <p>Comparison: CBT (12 manualized group sessions) accompanied by individual coaching (without medication)</p> | <p>Self-esteem, Following treatment</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 88$</p> <p>$d = 0.67$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>I</p> | | <p>Index of Self-Esteem (ISE)</p> |
| | <p>Self-esteem, 3 month follow-up</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 88$</p> <p>$d = 0.48$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | | <p>Index of Self-Esteem (ISE)</p> |
| | <p>Self-esteem, 6 month follow-up</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 88$</p> <p>$d = 0.61$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>I</p> | | <p>Index of Self-Esteem (ISE)</p> |
| <p>Pan et al., 2022</p> <p>Population: adults with ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: CBT</p> <p>Comparison: medication only</p> | <p>Self-esteem</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 98$</p> <p>$d = -0.16$</p> <p>CI (-2.33 - 0.83)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Value for T2 (after the 12-week CBT-treatment). Follow-up values reported in study.</p> | <p>SES</p> |

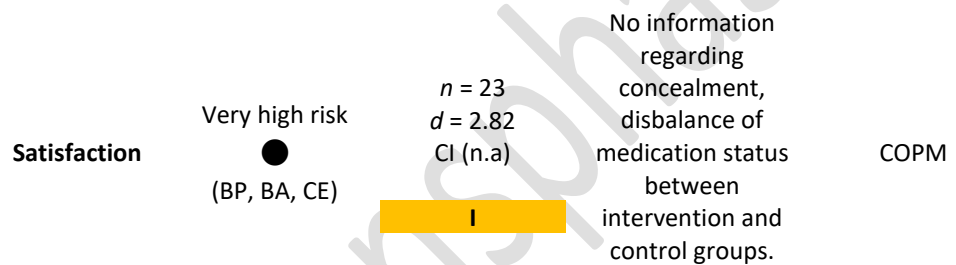
Gutman et al., 2020

Population: adults with self-reported diagnosis of ADHD (20 - 55years), female

Intervention:

intervention based on five-part approach (Gutman & Szczepanski, 2005): helped participants to establish routines, organize personal physical environments, enhance time management skills, monitor and regulate internal and external sensory, develop effective stress management skills. 7 consecutive weeks consisted of individual 1-hr sessions that took place in home and community environments (e.g., work, school, grocery store)

Comparison: no intervention or contact from research team during the 7-wk intervention

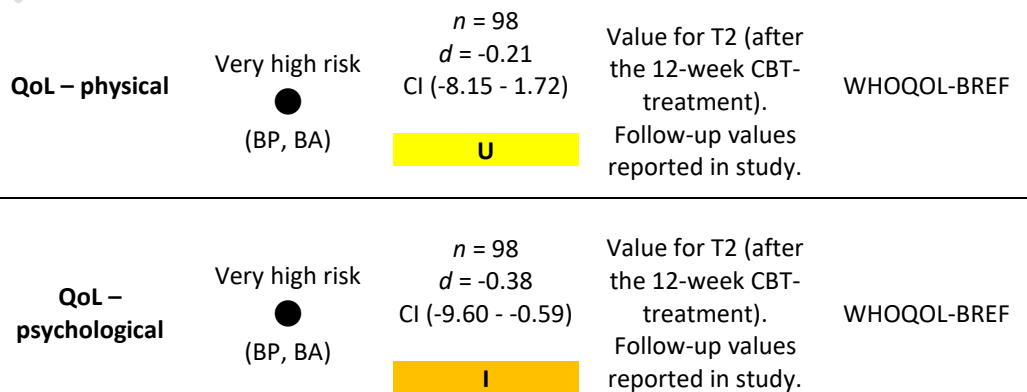


Pan et al., 2022

Population: adults with ADHD

Intervention: CBT

Comparison: medication only



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| QoL – social | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 98$ $d = -0.42$ CI (-11.34 - -1.28) | Value for T2 (after the 12-week CBT-treatment). Follow-up values reported in study. | WHOQOL-BREF |
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| QoL – environmental | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 98$ $d = -0.15$ CI (-6.07 - 2.36) | Value for T2 (after the 12-week CBT-treatment). Follow-up values reported in study. | WHOQOL-BREF |
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Wohlbefinden. Unbekanntes Urteil

Eddy et al., 2021

Population: emerging adults with ADHD attending college (18-30 years)

Intervention: ACCESS (CBT programm including: SEMESTER 1 (active phase) 8 weekly group sessions (90m each) + concurrently weekly individual mentoring sessions (30 min). SEMESTER 2 (maintenance phase)

Comparison: delayed treatment condition (DTC).

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| General well being | Very high risk ● (BP, ID) | $n = 250$ $d = 0.26$ CI (0.01 - 0.51) | Participants received ACCRSS after 2 semesters | AIM-A General Well Being |
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Soziale Fähigkeiten. Unbekanntes Urteil

Eddy et al., 2021

Population: emerging adults with ADHD attending college (18-30 years)

Intervention: ACCESS (CBT programm including: SEMESTER 1 (active phase) 8 weekly group sessions (90m each) + concurrently

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| Interpersonal relationships | Very high risk ● (BP, ID) | $n = 250$ $d = 0.12$ CI (-0.13 - 0.37) | Participants received ACCRSS after 2 semesters | AIM-A Relationships and Communications |
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weekly individual mentoring sessions (30 min). SEMESTER 2 (maintenance phase)

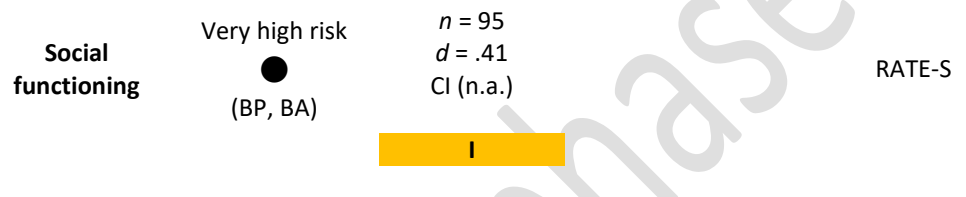
Comparison: delayed treatment condition (DTC).

Young et al., 2017

Population: adults with ADHD

Intervention: CBT + Medication

Comparison: medication only



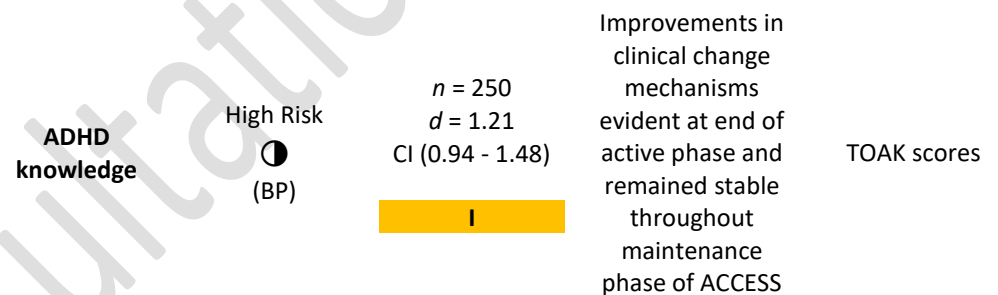
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Anastopoulos et al., 2021

Population: college students with ADHD 18 - 30 years

Intervention: ACCESS treatment immediately (cognitive-behavior therapy program delivered via group treatment and individual mentoring across two semesters)

Comparison: Delayed Treatment Control (DTC): one-year delayed basis.



Organisationale und akademische Fähigkeiten. Selbsturteil

Cherkasova et al., 2020

Population: Adults with ADHD

Organizational skills, Following treatment

Very high risk
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(CC, BP, BA)

$n = 88$
 $d = 1.02$
CI (n.a.)

Organization and Activation for Work (OAW)



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| <p>Intervention: CBT (12 manualized group sessions) accompanied by individual coaching + medication (long acting MPH (Biphentin or Concerta) or amphetamine (Adderall XR or Vyvanse))</p> <p>Comparison: CBT (12 manualized group sessions) accompanied by individual coaching (without medication)</p> | <p>Organizational skills, 3 month follow-up</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 88$ $d = 0.69$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Organization and Activation for Work (OAW)</p> |
| | <p>Organizational skills, 6 month follow-up</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 88$ $d = 0.53$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Organization and Activation for Work (OAW)</p> |
| <p>Eddy et al., 2021</p> <p>Population: emerging adults with ADHD attending college (18-30 years)</p> <p>Intervention: ACCESS (CBT programm including: SEMESTER 1 (active phase) 8 weekly group sessions (90m each) + concurrently weekly individual mentoring sessions (30 min). SEMESTER 2 (maintenance phase)</p> <p>Comparison: delayed treatment condition (DTC).</p> | <p>Academic skills and strategies - Motivation</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, ID)</p> | <p>$n = 250$ $d = 0.37$ CI (0.12 - 0.62)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Participants received ACCRSS after 2 semesters</p> <p>Learning and study strategies inventory 2 (LASSI-2)</p> |
| | <p>Academic skills and strategies – Time management</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, ID)</p> | <p>$n = 250$ $d = 0.48$ CI (0.23 - 0.73)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Participants received ACCRSS after 2 semesters</p> <p>Learning and study strategies inventory 2 (LASSI-2)</p> |
| | <p>Academic skills and strategies – Test strategies</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, ID)</p> | <p>$n = 250$ $d = 0.58$ CI (0.32 - 0.83)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Participants received ACCRSS after 2 semesters</p> <p>Learning and study strategies inventory 2 (LASSI-2)</p> |
| | <p>Academic skills and strategies – Study aids</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, ID)</p> | <p>$n = 250$ $d = 0.29$ CI (0.04 - 0.54)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Participants received ACCRSS after 2 semesters</p> <p>Learning and study strategies inventory 2 (LASSI-2)</p> |
| | <p>Grade point average (GPA)</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, ID)</p> | <p>$n = 250$ $d = 0.01$ CI (-0.24 - 0.26)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Participants received ACCRSS after 2 semesters</p> <p>Participants semester Grade Point Averages (GPA) ranging from 0.0 to 4.0</p> |

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| | Earned credits | Very high risk ● (BP, ID) | $n = 250$ $d = 0.05$ CI (-0.20 - 0.30) | Participants received ACCRSS after 2 semesters | Number of credits attempted per semester |
| Solanto et al., 2018 | Time management, organization & planning, Participants below age 50 | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 55$ $MD = -10.10$ CI (-20.20 - 0.06) | Effect size measure: "Difference between Least Square Mean Change scores"; blinded rater | ON-TOP |
| Population: adults with ADHD Intervention: group CBT (+ MPH or + placebo) Comparison: individual clinical management (+ MPH or + placebo) | Time management, organization & planning, Participants above age 50 | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 26$ $MD = -6.90$ CI (-21.40 - 7.60) | Effect size measure: "Difference between Least Square Mean Change scores"; blinded rater | ON-TOP |
| Organisationale und akademische Fähigkeiten. Kliniker*innenurteil | | | | | |
| Anastopoulos et al., 2021 | Use of behavioral strategies | High Risk ● (BP) | $n = 250$ $d = 0.81$ CI (0.56 - 1.07) | Improvements in clinical change mechanisms evident at end of active phase and remained stable throughout maintenance phase of ACCESS | SFS scores |
| Population: college students with ADHD 18 - 30 years Intervention: ACCESS treatment immediately (cognitive-behavior therapy program delivered via group treatment and individual mentoring across two semesters) Comparison: Delayed Treatment Control (DTC): one-year delayed basis. | Time management, organization & planning, Participants below age 50 | High Risk ● (BP) | $n = 55$ $MD = 2.89$ CI (1.40 - 4.40) | Effect size measure: "Difference between Least Square Mean Change scores"; blinded rater | AISRS-TMOP |
| Solanto et al., 2018 | Time management, organization & planning, Participants below age 50 | High Risk ● (BP) | $n = 55$ $MD = 2.89$ CI (1.40 - 4.40) | Effect size measure: "Difference between Least Square Mean Change scores"; blinded rater | AISRS-TMOP |
| Population: adults with ADHD Intervention: group CBT (+ MPH or + placebo) | | | | | |

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| Comparison: individual clinical management (+ MPH or + placebo) | Time management, organization & planning, Participants above age 50 | High Risk ● (BP) | $n = 26$ $MD = 0.90$ $CI (-1.30 - 3.10)$ U | Effect size measure: "Difference between Least Square Mean Change scores"; blinded rater | AISRS-IN |
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Komorbiditäten. Selbsturteil

Gutman et al., 2020

Population: adults with self-reported diagnosis of ADHD (20 - 55years), female

Intervention: intervention based on five-part approach (Gutman & Szczepanski, 2005): helped participants to establish routines, organize personal physical environments, enhance time management skills, monitor and regulate internal and external sensory, develop effective stress management skills. 7 consecutive weeks consisted of individual 1-hr sessions that took place in home and community environments (e.g., work, school, grocery store)

Comparison: no intervention or contact from research team during the 7-wk intervention

Perceived stress

Very high risk
●
(BP, BA, CE)

$n = 23$
 $d = -2.66$
 $CI (n.a.)$

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No information regarding concealment, disbalance of medication status between intervention and control groups.

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Lam et al., 2019

Population: adults with ADHD

Intervention: manualized 12-week CBT

Comparison: parallel Support group

Problems with self-concept

High Risk
●
(BP)

$n = 251$
 $MD = -.30$
 $CI (-1.3 - .70)$

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Data incomplete due to loss at follow-up, but authors state: nevertheless, psychosocial and clinical baseline characteristics of

CAARS-O:L

subsample
assessed
descriptively
similar to baseline
participants

Komorbiditäten. Unbekanntes Urteil

**Anastopoulos et al.,
2021**

Population: college
students with ADHD 18 -
30 years

Intervention: ACCESS
treatment immediately
(cognitive-behavior
therapy program
delivered via group
treatment and individual
mentoring across two
semesters)

Comparison: Delayed
Treatment Control
(DTC): one-year delayed
basis.

**Depression
symptoms**

High Risk
●
(BP)

$n = 250$
 $d = .24$
 $CI (-.01 - .49)$

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Although
emotional
functioning did
not improve,
clinically
interesting that
depression and
anxiety levels
seemed to
stabilize for
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participants, while
worsening for DTC
participants

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Anxiety

High Risk
●
(BP)

$n = 250$
 $d = .33$
 $CI (.08 - .58)$

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Although
emotional
functioning did
not improve,
clinically
interesting that
depression and
anxiety levels
seemed to
stabilize for
ACCESS
participants, while
worsening for DTC
participants

BAI scores

**Maladaptive
thinking**

High Risk
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(BP)

$n = 250$
 $d = .50$
 $CI (.25 - .75)$

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Improvements in
clinical change
mechanisms were
evident at end of
active phase and
remained stable
throughout
maintenance
phase of ACCESS

ACS-CV scores

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| <p>Pan et al., 2022</p> <p>Population: Adults with ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: CBT</p> <p>Comparison: Medication only</p> | Anxiety | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 98$ $d = .68$ CI (2.52 - 7.52) I | Value for T2 (after 12-week CBT-treatment). Follow-up values reported in study. | SAS |
| | State anxiety | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 98$ $d = .50$ CI (1.88 - 9.13) I | Value for T2 (after 12-week CBT-treatment). Follow-up values reported in study. | STAI |
| | Trait anxiety | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 98$ $d = .52$ CI (1.7 - 7.68) I | Value for T2 (after 12-week CBT-treatment). Follow-up values reported in study. | STAI |
| | Dysfunctional attitudes | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 98$ $d = .19$ CI (-3.07 - 11.52) U | Value for T2 (after 12-week CBT-treatment). Follow-up values reported in study. | DAS |
| | Thoughts | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 98$ $d = .22$ CI (-2.09 - 9.99) U | Value for T2 (after 12-week CBT-treatment). Follow-up values reported in study. | ATQ |
| <p>Young et al., 2017</p> <p>Population: Adults with ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: CBT + Medication</p> <p>Comparison: Medication only</p> | Emotional control | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 95$ $d = .32$ CI (n.a.) I | | RATE-S |
| | Antisocial scale | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 95$ $d = .50$ CI (n.a.) I | | RATE-S |

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen. SG = sequence generation, CC = concealment, BP = blinding participants, BA = blinding assessors, ID = incomplete data, OR = outcome reporting, CE = carry over effects, SX = stopped early, UM = unvalidated measures, OI = other issue.

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1.3.4.4. In welchem Format sollten psychosoziale Interventionen bei Erwachsenen mit ADHS angeboten werden?

1.3.4.4. A

**Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Meta-Analysen
Kognitiv behaviorale Therapie (CBT, DBT, MBCT):**

| Endpunktkategorien | MAs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|----------------------------------|-----|---|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (S) | 4 | 6 | Schwach/sehr schwach |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (KL) | 3 | 4 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (S) | 2 | 3 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (KL) | 1 | 1 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (KU) | 1 | 1 | |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität (S) | 2 | 3 | |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität (KL) | 1 | 1 | |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität (KU) | 1 | 1 | |
| Klinischer Gesamteindruck (KL) | 2 | 3 | |
| Funktionalität (S) | 1 | 2 | |
| Selbstwertgefühl (U) | 1 | 1 | |
| Lebensqualität (U) | 1 | 1 | |

Anmerkung. MAs = Anzahl der Meta-Analysen, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

**Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Meta-Analysen
Verschiedene psychosoziale Interventionen kombiniert:**

| Endpunktkategorien | MAs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|----------------------------------|-----|---|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (S) | 3 | 9 | Schwach/ sehr schwach |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (KL) | 2 | 8 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (S) | 1 | 2 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (KL) | 1 | 2 | |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität (S) | 1 | 2 | |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität (KL) | 1 | 2 | |
| Klinischer Gesamteindruck (KL) | 1 | 2 | |
| Funktionalität (S) | 1 | 2 | |

Anmerkung. MAs = Anzahl der Meta-Analysen, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

**Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: RCTs
Kognitiv behaviorale Therapie (CBT):**

| Endpunktkategorien | RCTs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|---------------------------|------|---|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (S) | 6 | 8 | Schwach/ sehr schwach |
| ADHD Symptome gesamt (KL) | 2 | 5 | |

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|---|---|----|
| Aufmerksamkeit (S) | 3 | 4 |
| Aufmerksamkeit (KL) | 2 | 5 |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität (S) | 2 | 2 |
| Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität (KL) | 1 | 2 |
| Klinischer Gesamteindruck (KL) | 1 | 3 |
| Funktionalität (S) | 2 | 2 |
| Selbstwertgefühl (S) | 2 | 4 |
| Lebensqualität (S) | 2 | 5 |
| Wohlbefinden (U) | 1 | 1 |
| Soziale Fähigkeiten | 2 | 2 |
| ADHS Wissen (U) | 1 | 1 |
| Organisationale und akademische Skills (S) | 3 | 11 |
| Organisationale und akademische Skills (KL) | 2 | 3 |
| Komorbiditäten (S) | 2 | 2 |
| Komorbiditäten (U) | 3 | 10 |

Anmerkung. RCTs = Anzahl der randomisierten kontrollierten Studien, *m* = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

**Summary of Findings Tabelle: Meta-Analysen
Kognitiv behaviorale Therapie (CBT, DBT, MBCT):**

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Aussagesicherheit (GRADE) | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Messinstrument |
|--|---|---------------------------|---|--|----------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Selbsturteil | | | | | |
| Knouse et al., 2017 | | | | Controlled and open trials; treatment compared with active control group showed significantly smaller effect sizes (<i>g</i> = 0.35) than treatment with not active control group (<i>g</i> = 0.79). | |
| Population: adults with ADHD, medicated and unmedicated, > 18 years Intervention: cognitive behavioral treatment (CBT, DBT, MBCT, psychoeducation, OTMB, iCBT, group rehabilitation), individual or group therapy Comparison: active or passive control | ADHD symptoms | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (IC) | <i>n</i> = 896, <i>k</i> = 19 <i>g</i> = .65 CI (.44 - .86) | | n.a. |
| | ADHD symptoms, Pre-posttreatment | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (IC) | <i>n</i> = 658, <i>k</i> = 31 <i>g</i> = 1.00 CI (.84 - 1.16) | Controlled and open trials; medication status significant moderator of treatment effect size (three studies treating | n.a. |

unmedicated participants $g = 1.33$, six studies treating only medicated participants $g = 0.20$, 22 studies treating mixed medicated and unmedicated participants ($g = 0.89$).

Liu et al., 2023

Population: adults with ADHD, parallel stable medication, > 18 years

Intervention: cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT, MBCT, DBT, internet based CBT); individual, group or online setting

Comparison: treatment as usual, waitlist, active control (nondirective therapy or with no specific strategy intervention)

ADHD total symptoms

Very Low
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(R, IC)

$n = 2090$, $k = 26$
 $SMD = -.43$
 $CI (-.52 - -.34)$

Trim and fill corrected value used; high quality of evidence in the studies

CAARS, BCSS, ADHS-RS, ASRS, BADDS



Tourjman et al., 2022

Population: adults with ADHD, > 21 years

Intervention: CBT, MBCT, internet therapy, meta-cognitive therapy (group or individual)

Comparison: waitlist, treatment as usual, relaxation training and emotional

ADHD, CBT vs. control

Moderate
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(R)

$n = n.a.$, $k = 7$
 $SMD = .83$
 $CI (.52 - 1.14)$

Result of the three-meta-analyses. No N reported, only number of effect sizes ($n=35$).

CAARS, ADHS-RS, CSS, BSC, RATE-S, BAS, ON-TOP



support or group support

Young et al., 2020

Population: adults with ADHD, medicated and unmedicated, > 18 years

Intervention: cognitive behavioural therapy, individual or group
Comparison: waitlist, active control (psychoeducation, PMR)

ADHD symptoms, CBT vs. waiting list

Low
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 (R, IC)

$n = 260, k = 5$
 $SMD = .76$
 $CI (.21 - 1.31)$

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K-SADS, ADHD-CCS, ADHD-RS, ASRS, ADHD checklist

ADHD symptoms, CBT vs. active control

Low
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 (R, IC)

$n = 260, k = 5$
 $SMD = .76$
 $CI (.21 - 1.31)$

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ADHD-RS, AISRS

ADHS Symptome gesamt. Kliniker*innenurteil

Knouse et. al., 2017

Population: adults with ADHD, medicated and unmedicated, > 18 years

Intervention: cognitive behavioral treatment (CBT, DBT, MBCT, psychoeducation, OTMB, iCBT, group rehabilitation), individual or group therapy
Comparison: active or passive control

ADHD symptoms

High
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$n = 444, k = 6$
 $g = .57$
 $CI (.25 - .89)$

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Randomized vs. nonrandomized trials included, treatment compared with active control group showed significantly smaller effect sizes ($g = 0.20$) than treatment with not active control group ($g = 0.78$).

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ADHD symptoms, Pre- vs. posttreatment

High
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$n = n.a., k = 7$
 $g = 1.40$
 $CI (1.10 - 1.71)$

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Randomized vs. nonrandomized trials included

n.a.

Liu et al., 2023

Population: adults with ADHD, parallel stable medication, >18 years

Intervention: cognitive

ADHD total symptoms

Very low
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 (R, IC)

$n = 1113, k = 10$
 $SMD = -.34$
 $CI (-.47 - -.22)$

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Trim and fill corrected value used; high quality of evidence in the studies

CAARS, BCSS, ADHS-RS, AISRS

behavioral therapy (CBT, MBCT, DBT, internet-based CBT); individual and group setting or online therapy
Comparison: treatment as usual, waitlist, active control (nondirective therapy or with no specific strategy intervention)

Tourjman et. al., 2022

Population: adults with ADHD, > 21 years

Intervention: CBT, MBCT, internet therapy, meta-cognitive therapy (group or individual)

Comparison: waitlist, treatment as usual, relaxation training and emotional support or group support

ADHD, CBT vs. control

Moderate
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 (R)

$n = \text{n.a.}, k = 4$
 $SMD = .51$
 $CI (.18 - .84)$



Result of the three-meta-analysis. Number of effect sizes ($n = 18$).

WRAADDs, CGI, AISRS

Aufmerksamkeit. Selbsturteil

Knouse et al., 2017

Population: adults with ADHD, medicated and unmedicated, > 18 years

Intervention: cognitive behavioral treatment (CBT, DBT, MBCT, psychoeducation, OTMB, iCBT, group

Inattention

Moderate
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 (IC)

$n = \text{n.a.}, k = 11$
 $g = .77$
 $CI (.48 - 1.07)$



Randomized vs. nonrandomized (controlled and open trials) included, medication allowed, treatment compared with active control group showed significantly smaller effect sizes ($g = 0.26$) than treatment with not active

n.a.

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|--|--------------------------|--|--|---|------|
| rehabilitation), individual or group therapy Comparison: active or passive control | | | | control group (g = 0.95). | |
| Inattention, Pre- vs. posttreatment | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (IC) | $n = 396, k = 20$ $g = 1.16$ CI (.94 - 1.38) | | Randomized vs. nonrandomized (controlled and open trials) included, medication allowed, studies excluded if participants received new medication. | n.a. |

Liu et al., 2023

Population: adults with ADHD, parallel stable medication, >18 years

Intervention: cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT, MBCT, DBT, internet-based CBT); individual and group setting or online therapy

Comparison: treatment as usual, waitlist, active control (nondirective therapy or with no specific strategy intervention)

Inattention symptoms

Very low
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(R, IC)

$n = 1530, k = 18$
 $SMD = -.37$
CI (-.47 - -.27)

Trim and fill corrected value used; moderate quality of evidence in the studies.

CAARS, BCSS, ADHS-RS, AISRS

Aufmerksamkeit. Kliniker*innenurteil

Liu et al., 2023

Population: adults with ADHD, parallel stable medication, >18 years

Intervention: cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT, MBCT, DBT, internet-based

Inattention symptoms

Very low
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(R, IC)

$n = 990, k = 8$
 $SMD = -.27$
CI (-.40 - .14)

Trim and fill corrected value used; moderate quality of evidence in the studies

CAARS, BCSS, ADHS-RS, AISRS

CBT); individual and group setting or online therapy
Comparison: treatment as usual, waitlist, active control (nondirective therapy or with no specific strategy intervention)

Aufmerksamkeit. Kombiniertes Urteil

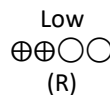
Tourjman et al., 2022

Population: adults with ADHD, > 21 years

Intervention: CBT, MBCT, internet therapy, meta-cognitive therapy (group or individual)

Comparison: waitlist, treatment as usual, relaxation training and emotional support or group support

**Inattention
CBT vs. control**



n = n.a., k = 6
SMD = .76
CI (.41 – 1.11)



Result of the three-meta-analysis. No N reported, only number of effect sizes (n = 13)

CAARS, ADHD-SR, WRAADDs, BCS, CSS, AISRS-IN, BAS, ON-TOP, RATE-S, CGI

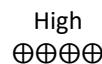
Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität. Selbsturteil

Knouse et al., 2017

Population: adults with ADHD, medicated and unmedicated, > 18 years

Intervention: cognitive behavioral treatment (CBT, DBT, MBCT, psychoeducation, OTMB, iCBT, group rehabilitation), individual or group therapy
Comparison:

Hyperactivity/impulsivity



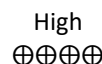
n = n.a., k = 9
g = .33
CI (.13 - .53)



Randomized vs. nonrandomized (controlled and open trials) included, treatment compared with active control group showed significantly smaller effect sizes (g = 0.26) than treatment with not active control group (g = 0.95).

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Hyperactivity/impulsivity, Pre-posttreatment



n = 338, k = 18
g = .68

Randomized vs. nonrandomized (controlled and

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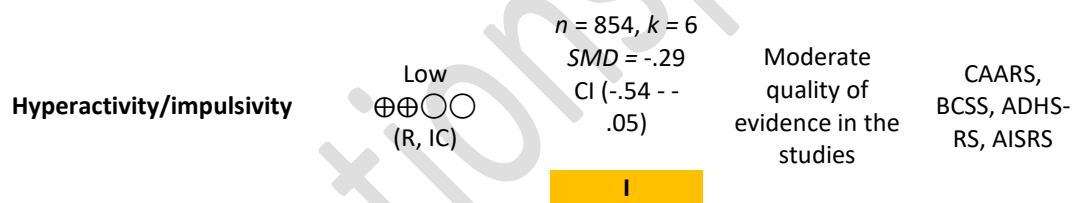
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| active or passive control | CI (.48 - .87) | open trials) included, treatment compared with active control group showed significantly smaller effect sizes (g = 0.26) than treatment with not active control group (g = 0.95). |
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Liu et al., 2023

Population: adults with ADHD, parallel stable medication, >18 years

Intervention: cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT, MBCT, DBT, internet-based CBT); individual and group setting or online therapy

Comparison: treatment as usual, waitlist, active control (nondirective therapy or with no specific strategy intervention)

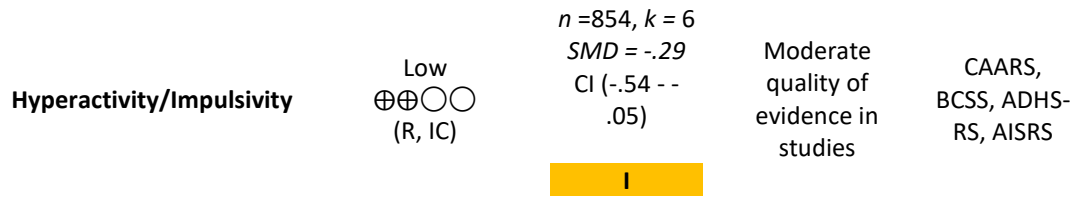


Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität. Kliniker*innenurteil

Liu et al., 2023

Population: adults with ADHD, parallel stable medication, >18 years

Intervention: cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT, MBCT, DBT, internet-based CBT); individual



and group setting or online therapy
Comparison: treatment as usual, waitlist, active control (nondirective therapy or with no specific strategy intervention)

Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität. Kombiniertes Urteil

Tourjman et al., 2022

Population: adults with ADHD, > 21 years

Intervention: CBT, MBCT, internet therapy, meta-cognitive therapy (group or individual)

Comparison: waitlist, treatment as usual, relaxation training and emotional support or group support

Hyperactivity/Impulsivity CBT vs. control

Moderate
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 (R)

$n = n.a., k = 7$
 $SMD = .51$
 $CI (.18 - .84)$

Result of the three-meta-analysis.

CAARS, ADHD-SR, WRAADDs, BCS, CSS, AISRS-IN, BAS, ON-TOP, RATE-S, CGI



Klinischer Gesamteindruck. Kliniker*innenurteil

Knouse et al., 2017

Population: adults with ADHD, medicated and unmedicated, > 18 years

Intervention: cognitive behavioral treatment (CBT, DBT, MBCT, psychoeducation, OTMB, iCBT, group rehabilitation), individual or group therapy

Comparison: active or passive control

CGI

Low
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 (IC)

$n = n.a., k = 5$
 $g = .51$
 $CI (.13 - .88)$

Randomized vs. nonrandomized (controlled and open trials), treatment compared with active control group significantly smaller effect sizes ($g = 0.13$) than treatment with not active control group ($g = 0.80$).

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CGI, Pre-posttreatment

High
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$n = n.a., k = 7$
 $g = 1.12$
 $CI (.79 - 1.43)$

Randomized vs. nonrandomized (controlled and open trials), medication

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| | | | | | allowed, studies excluded if participants received new medication. |
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Liu et al., 2023

Population: adults with ADHD, parallel stable medication, >18 years

Intervention: cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT, MBCT, DBT, internet-based CBT); individual and group setting or online therapy

Comparison: treatment as usual, waitlist, active control (nondirective therapy or with no specific strategy intervention)

Clinical global impression (CGI)

Low
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(IC)

$n = 779, k = 7$
 $SMD = -.34$
 $CI (-.48 - -.19)$



Trim and fill corrected value used; high quality of evidence in studies

n.a.

Funktionalität. Selbsturteil

Knouse et al., 2017

Population: adults with ADHD, medicated and unmedicated, > 18 years

Intervention: cognitive behavioral treatment (CBT, DBT, MBCT, psychoeducation, OTMB, iCBT, group rehabilitation), individual or group therapy

Comparison: active or passive control

Functioning

Moderate
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(R)

$n = n.a., k = 10$
 $g = .51$
 $CI (.23 - .79)$



Randomized vs. nonrandomized (controlled and open trials), studies excluded if participants received new medication, randomization status only significant moderator of self-reported functioning, when effect size for nonrandomized study ($g = 1.29, n = 1$) was larger than for randomized

n.a.

studies (g = .40; n=9).

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|---------------------------------------|---------------------|---|--|------|
| Functioning, Pre-posttreatment | Low ⊕⊕○○ (IC) | n = 389, k = 17 g = .73 CI (.46 - 1.00) | Randomized vs. nonrandomized (controlled and open trials), medication allowed, studies excluded if participants received new medication. | n.a. |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------|---|--|------|

Selbstwertgefühl. Unbekanntes Urteil

Liu et al., 2023

Population: adults with ADHD, parallel stable medication, >18 years

Intervention: cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT, MBCT, DBT, internet-based CBT); individual and group setting or online therapy

Comparison: treatment as usual, waitlist, active control (nondirective therapy or with no specific strategy intervention)

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|--------------------|--------------------|--|---|-------|
| Self-esteem | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R) | n = 337, k = 4 SMD = 0.38 CI (.01 - .76) | Moderate quality of evidence in studies | CAARS |
|--------------------|--------------------|--|---|-------|

Lebensqualität. Unbekanntes Urteil

Liu et al., 2023

Population: adults with ADHD, parallel stable medication, >18 years

Intervention: cognitive behavioral therapy (CBT, MBCT, DBT,

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|------------------------|--------------------|--|---|----------------------|
| Quality of Life | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R) | n = 654, k = 9 SMD = 0.36 CI (.13 - .59) | Moderate quality of evidence in studies | CAARS, BCSS, ADHD-RS |
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internet-based CBT); individual and group setting or online therapy
Comparison: treatment as usual, waitlist, active control (nondirective therapy or with no specific strategy intervention)

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen, k = Anzahl der inkludierten Primärstudien. R = risk of bias, IC = inconsistency, ID = indirectness, IP = imprecision, P = publication bias.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: Meta-Analysen

Multiple psychosoziale Interventionen kombiniert:

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Aussagesicherheit (GRADE) | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Messinstrument |
|------------------------------------|---|-----------------------------|---|--|----------------|
| ADHS Symptome. Selbsterteil | | | | | |
| Lopez-Pinar et. al., 2018 | ADHD total symptoms, Treated and controls, Long-term | Very Low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | n = 680, k = 12 SMD = .86 CI (.66 – 1.07) | RCTs + three uncontrolled single-group studies; 50% of treatment groups CBT and 25% DBT; MBCT, Biofeedback (BFB), or combination of CBT and DBT applied for 8.33%. Higher percentage of participants on medication predicted higher ES on between-groups and within-subject. | n.a. |
| | ADHD total symptoms, Between group, Long-term | Low ⊕⊕○○ (IC, IP) | n = 513, k = 8 SMD = .40 CI (-.05 - .85) | Trim and fill corrected values | n.a. |

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| | ADHD total symptoms, Within group, Long-term | Very Low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 409, k = 14$ $SMD = 1.09$ CI (.85 - 1.32) | RCTs and non RCTs | n.a. |
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| | ADHD core symptoms, CBT vs. control | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = n.a., k = 20$ $SMD = .55$ CI (-1.24 - 0.14) | RCTs | n.a. |
| | | | U | | |
| Ostinelli et al., 2025 | | | | | |
| Population: adults (aged ≥18 years) with a formal diagnosis of ADHD Intervention: CBT, DBT, Mindfulness, Psychoeducation, Relaxation therapy (at least four sessions for psychological therapies) Comparison: psychological placebo (sham), TAU, waitlist | ADHD core symptoms, DBT vs. control | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = n.a., k = 8$ $SMD = -.51$ CI (-1.17 - .16) | RCTs | n.a. |
| | | | U | | |
| | ADHD core symptoms, Mindfulness vs. control | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = 260, k = 7$ $SMD = -.08$ CI (-.79 - .64) | RCTs | n.a. |
| | | | U | | |
| | ADHD core symptoms, Psychoeducation vs. Control | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = n.a., k = 6$ $SMD = .14$ CI (-.65 - .94) | RCTs | n.a. |
| | | | U | | |
| | ADHD core symp-toms, Relaxation therapy vs. control | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R) | $n = n.a., k = 2$ $SMD = .86$ CI (.07 - 1.65) | RCTs | n.a. |
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| Tourjman et. al., 2022 | | | | | |
| Population: adults with ADHD, > 21 years Intervention: CBT, MBCT, internet therapy, meta-cognitive therapy | ADHD total symptoms, All interventions, Long-term | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, P) | $n = 52, k = 7$ $SMD = .74$ CI (.49 - .99) | Result for adult population of the three- meta-analysis, No N reported, only number of effect sizes (n=52). | CAARS, ADHD-SR, BCS, WRAADDS, CSS, AISRS- IN, BAS, ON- TOP, RATE- S, CGI |
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(group or individual)
Comparison:
 waitlist, treatment as usual, relaxation training and emotional support or group support

| ADHS Symptome. Kliniker*innenurteil | | | | | |
|--|--|------------------------------|--|-------------------------------|------|
| Lopez-Pinar et. al., 2018 Population: adults with ADHD, > 18 years, medicated or unmedicated Intervention: psychosocial treatment specifically designed for ADHD (CBT, MBCT, Biofeedback, DBT) Comparison: active control (non-specific intervention), waitlist, treatment as usual | ADHD total symptoms, All interventions, Long-term | Low ⊕⊕○○ (IC) | n = 393, k = 4 SMD = .98 CI (.68 - 1.27) | | n.a. |
| | ADHD total symptoms, Between group, Long-term | Very Low ⊕○○○ (IC, IP) | n = 382, k = 5 SMD = .07 CI (-.39 - .53) | Trim ad fill corrected values | n.a. |
| | ADHD total symptoms, Within group, Long-term | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | n = 197, k = 5 SMD = 1.18 CI (.90 - 1.46) | | n.a. |
| Ostinelli et al., 2025 Population: adults (aged ≥18 years) with a formal diagnosis of ADHD Intervention: CBT, DBT, Mindfulness, Psychoeducation, Relaxation therapy (at least four sessions for psychological therapies) Comparison: psychological placebo (sham), TAU, waitlist | ADHD core symptoms, CBT vs. control | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | n = n.a., k = 20 SMD = .76 CI (.26 - 1.26) | | n.a. |
| | ADHD core symptoms, DBT vs. control | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, IP) | n = n.a., k = 8 SMD = .20 CI (-.17 - .57) | | n.a. |
| | ADHD core symptoms, Mindfulness vs. control | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | n = n.a., k = 7 SMD = -.08 CI (-.79 - .64) | | n.a. |
| | ADHD core symptoms, Psychoeducation vs. control | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | n = n.a., k = 6 SMD = .14 CI (-.65 - .94) | | n.a. |

Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität. Selbsturteil

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| <p>Lopez-Pinar et. al., 2018</p> <p>Population: adults with ADHD, > 18 years, medicated or unmedicated</p> <p>Intervention: psychosocial treatment specifically designed for ADHD (CBT, MBCT, Biofeedback, DBT)</p> <p>Comparison: active control (non-specific intervention), waitlist, treatment as usual</p> | <p>Hyperactivity/Impulsivity, Between group, Long-term</p> | <p>Very Low</p> <p>⊕○○○</p> <p>(R, IC)</p> | <p>$n = 406, k = 6$</p> <p>$SMD = .66$</p> <p>CI (.18 – 1.14)</p> | <p>Trim an fill corrected values used</p> | n.a. |
| | <p>Hyperactivi-ty/Impulsivit, Within group, Long-term</p> | <p>Low</p> <p>⊕⊕○○</p> <p>(R, IC)</p> | <p>$n = 227, k = 7$</p> <p>$SMD = .83$</p> <p>CI (.59 – 1.08)</p> | <p>Trim an fill corrected values used</p> | n.a. |

Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität. Kliniker*innenurteil

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| <p>Lopez-Pinar et. al., 2018</p> <p>Population: adults with ADHD, > 18 years, medicated or unmedicated</p> <p>Intervention: psychosocial treatment specifically designed for ADHD (CBT, MBCT, Biofeedback, DBT)</p> <p>Comparison: active control (non-specific intervention), waitlist, treatment as usual</p> | <p>Hyperactivity/Impulsivity, Between group, Long-term</p> | <p>Very Low</p> <p>⊕○○○</p> <p>(IC, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 291, k = 3$</p> <p>$SMD = .16$</p> <p>CI (-.27 - .59)</p> | <p>Trim an fill corrected values used</p> | n.a. |
| | <p>Hyperactivi-ty/Impulsivity, Within group, Long-term</p> | <p>High</p> <p>⊕⊕⊕⊕</p> | <p>$n = 149, k = 3$</p> <p>$SMD = .96$</p> <p>CI (.50 - 1.42)</p> | <p>Trim an fill corrected values used</p> | n.a. |

Klinischer Gesamteindruck. Kliniker*innenurteil

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| <p>Lopez-Pinar et. al., 2018</p> <p>Population: adults with ADHD, > 18 years, medicated or unmedicated</p> <p>Intervention: psychosocial</p> | <p>CGI, Between group, Long-term</p> | <p>Moderate</p> <p>⊕⊕⊕○</p> <p>(IC)</p> | <p>$n = 392, k = 5$</p> <p>$SMD = .44$</p> <p>CI (.14 - .74)</p> | | n.a. |
| | <p>CGI, Within group, Long-term</p> | <p>High</p> <p>⊕⊕⊕⊕</p> | <p>$n = 194, k = 5$</p> <p>$SMD = 1.20$</p> | | n.a. |

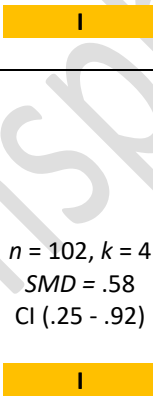
treatment specifically designed for ADHD (CBT, MBCT, Biofeedback, DBT)
Comparison: active control (non-specific intervention), waitlist, treatment as usual

CI (.93 - 1.48)



Funktionalität. Selbsturteil


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| Lopez-Pinar et al., 2018 | Global functioning, Between group, Long-term | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, IC) | $n = 102, k = 3$ $SMD = .76$ CI (.23 - 1.28) | n.a. |
| Population: adults with ADHD, > 18 years, medicated or unmedicated Intervention: psychosocial treatment specifically designed for ADHD (CBT, MBCT, Biofeedback, DBT) Comparison: active control (non-specific intervention), waitlist, treatment as usual | Global functioning, Between group, Long-term | Very Low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 102, k = 4$ $SMD = .58$ CI (.25 - .92) | RCTs and non RCTs |



Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen, k = Anzahl der inkludierten Primärstudien. R = risk of bias, IC = inconsistency, ID = indirectness, IP = imprecision, P = publication bias.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: RCTs
Kognitiv behaviorale Therapie (CPT):

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Risk of Bias | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Mess-instrument |
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| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Selbsturteil | | | | | |
| Anastopoulos et al., 2021 | ADHD total symptoms | High Risk ● (BP) | $n = 250$ $d = .39$ CI (.15 - .65) | Reductions in ADHD symptoms were evident at end of active phase and remained stable throughout maintenance phase of intervention | CAARS, Total ADHD scores |



therapy program delivered via group treatment and individual mentoring across two semesters)

Comparison: Delayed Treatment Control (DTC): one-year delayed basis.

Cherkasova et al., 2020

Population: adults with ADHD

Intervention: CBT (12 manualized group sessions) accompanied by individual coaching + medication (long acting methylphenidate (Biphentin or Concerta) or amphetamine medication (Adderall XR or Vyvanse))

Comparison: CBT (12 manualized group sessions) accompanied by individual coaching (without medication)

ADHD symptoms, Following treatment

High Risk
●
(CC, BA, BP)

n = 88
d = .99
CI (n.a.)



Barkley's Current ADHD Symptoms Scale (CSS)

ADHD symptoms, 3 month follow-up

Very high risk
●
(CC, BP, BA)

n = 88
d = .64
CI (n.a.)



Barkley's Current ADHD Symptoms Scale (CSS)

ADHD symptoms, 6 month follow-up

Very high risk
●
(CC, BP, BA)

n = 88
d = .65
CI (n.a.)



Barkley's Current ADHD Symptoms Scale (CSS)

Gutman et al., 2020

Population: adults with self-reported diagnosis of ADHD (20 - 55years), female

Intervention:

intervention based on five-part approach (Gutman & Szczepanski, 2005): helped participants to establish routines, organize personal physical environments, enhance time management skills, monitor and regulate internal and external sensory, develop effective stress management skills. 7 consecutive weeks consisted of individual 1-hr sessions that took place in home and community

Total ADHD symptoms

Very high risk
●
(BP, BA, CE)

n = 23
d = -2.17
CI (n.a.)



Disbalance of medication status between intervention and control groups.

ASRS

environments (e.g., work, school, grocery store)

Comparison: no intervention or contact from research team during the 7-wk intervention

Pan et al., 2022

Population: adults with ADHD
Intervention: CBT

Comparison: treatment as usual

Total ADHD symptoms

Very high risk
●
(BP, BA)

$n = 98$
 $d = .34$
CI (.07 - .589)

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Value for T2 (after the 12-week CBT-treatment). Follow-Up values also reported in study.

ADHD-RS

Pan et al., 2022

Population: adults with ADHD
Intervention: CBT + Medication

Comparison: treatment as usual

Total ADHD symptoms

Very high risk
●
(BP, BA)

$n = 98$
 $d = .31$
CI (-.37 - .10.73)

U

Value for T2 (after the 12-week CBT-treatment). Follow-Up values also reported in study.

CAARS-total

Young et al., 2017

Population: adults with ADHD
Intervention: CBT + Medication

Comparison: medication only

ADHD symptoms

Very high risk
●
(BP, BA)

$n = 95$
 $d = .55$
CI (n.a.)

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ADHD Symptome gesamt. Kliniker*innenurteil

Cherkasova et al., 2020

Population: Adults with ADHD

Intervention: CBT (12 manualized group sessions) accompanied by individual coaching + medication (long acting MPH (Biphentin or Concerta) or

ADHD symptoms, Following treatment

Very high risk
●
(CC, BP, BA)

$n = 88$
 $d = .64$
CI (n.a.)

I

n.a.

ADHD symptoms, 3-month follow-up

Very high risk
●
(CC, BP, BA)

$n = 88$
 $d = .56$
CI (n.a.)

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n.a.

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| <p>amphetamine (Adderall XR or Vyvanse)) Comparison: CBT (12 manualized group sessions) accompanied by individual coaching (without medication)</p> | <p>ADHD symptoms, 6 month follow-up</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 88$ $d = -.14$ CI (n.a.) U</p> | <p>n.a.</p> |
| <p>Lam et al., 2019 Population: Adults with ADHD Intervention: group CBT (+ MPH or + placebo) Comparison: individual clinical management (+ MPH or + placebo)</p> | <p>Total ADHD symptoms</p> | <p>High Risk ● (BP)</p> | <p>$n = 251$ $MD = -.50$ CI (-1.9 - .90) U</p> | <p>Data incomplete due to loss at follow up, but authors state: nevertheless, psychosocial and clinical baseline characteristics of subsample assessed descriptively similar to baseline participants CAARS-O:L</p> |
| <p>Lam et al., 2019 Population: Adults with ADHD Intervention: group CBT (+ MPH or + placebo) Comparison: individual clinical management (+ MPH or + placebo)</p> | <p>Decrease in total ADHD symptoms $\geq 30\%$</p> | <p>High Risk ● (BP)</p> | <p>$n = 251$ $OR = 1.26$ CI (.75 - 2.12) U</p> | <p>Data incomplete due to loss at follow up, but authors state: nevertheless, psychosocial and clinical baseline characteristics of subsample assessed descriptively similar to baseline participants CAARS-O:L</p> |
| Aufmerksamkeit. Selbsturteil | | | | |
| <p>Anastopoulos et al., 2021 Population: college students with ADHD 18 - 30 years Intervention: ACCESS treatment immediately (cognitive-behavior therapy program delivered via group treatment and individual mentoring across two semesters) Comparison: Delayed Treatment Control</p> | <p>Inattention Symptoms</p> | <p>High Risk ● (BP)</p> | <p>$n = 250$ $d = .50$ CI (.25 - .76) I</p> | <p>Reductions in ADHD symptoms were evident at end of active phase and remained stable throughout maintenance phase of intervention CAARS</p> |

(DTC): one-year delayed basis.

Pan et al., 2022

Population: Adults with ADHD
Intervention: CBT + Medication
Comparison: Treatment as usual

Inattention

Very high risk
 ●
 (BP, BA)

$n = 98$
 $d = .46$
 CI (.62 - 4.47)

I

Value for T2 (after the 12-week CBT-treatment). Follow-Up values also reported in the study.

ADHD-RS

Solanto et al., 2018

Population: Adults with ADHD
Intervention: group CBT (+ MPH or + placebo)
Comparison: individual clinical management (+ MPH or + placebo)

Inattention/memory, Participants below age of 50

Very high risk
 ●
 (BP, BA)

$n = 55$
 $MD = .48$
 CI (.70 - 9)

I

Effect size measure: difference between least square mean change scores

CAARS-Self-IN

Inattention/memory, Participants above age of 50

Very high risk
 ●
 (BP, BA)

$n = 26$
 $MD = 5.8$
 CI (-.30 - 12)

U

Effect size measure: difference between least square mean change scores

CAARS-Self-IN

Aufmerksamkeit. Kliniker*innenurteil

Lam et al., 2019

Population: adults with ADHD
Intervention: manualized 12-week CBT
Comparison: parallel support group

Inattention/memory problems

High Risk
 ●
 (BP)

$n = 251$
 $MD = -.70$
 CI (-2.2 - .80)

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Data incomplete due to loss at follow up, but authors state: nevertheless, psychosocial and clinical baseline characteristics of subsample assessed descriptively similar to baseline participants

CAARS-O:L

Solanto et al., 2018

Population: adults with ADHD
Intervention: group CBT (+ MPH or + placebo)

Inattention, Participants below age of 50

High Risk
 ●
 (BP)

$n = 55$
 $MD = 3.67$
 CI (1.48 - 5.86)

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Effect size measure: difference between least square mean change scores

AISRS-IN

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| Comparison: individual clinical management (+ MPH or + placebo) | Inattention, Participants above age of 50 | High Risk ● (BP) | $n = 26$ $MD = 1.1$ $CI (-2.1 - 4.3)$ U | Effect size measure: difference between least square mean change scores | AISRS-IN |
| | Inattention/memory, Participants below age of 50 | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 55$ $MD = 5.19$ $CI (.30 - 10.1)$ I | Effect size measure: difference between least square mean change scores | CAARS-Obs-IN |
| | Inattention/memory, Participants above age of 50 | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 26$ $MD = 4.6$ $CI (-2.5 - 11.7)$ U | Effect size measure: difference between least square mean change scores | CAARS-Obs-IN |

Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität. Selbsturteil

Anastopoulos et al., 2021

Population: college students with ADHD 18 - 30 years

Intervention: ACCESS treatment immediately (cognitive-behavior therapy program delivered via group treatment and individual mentoring across two semesters)

Comparison: Delayed Treatment Control (DTC): one-year delayed basis.

Hyperactive-impulsive symptoms

High Risk
●
(BP)

$n = 250$
 $d = .16$
 $CI (-.09 - .41)$
U

CAARS HI scores

Pan et al., 2022

Population: adults with ADHD

Intervention: CBT + Medication

Comparison: medication only

Impulsivity/hyperactivity

Very high risk
●
(BP, BA)

$n = 250$
 $d = .14$
 $CI (-.92 - 2.23)$
U

Value for T2 (after the 12-week CBT-treatment). Follow-up values reported in study.

ADHD-RS

Hyperaktivität/Impulsivität. Kliniker*innenurteil

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|---|---|------------------------|--|----------|--|-----------|
| Lam et al., 2019 | Hyperactivity/impulsivity | High Risk ● (BP) | n = 251 MD = -1.4 CI (-2.9 - .10) | U | Data incomplete due to loss at follow up, but authors state: nevertheless, psychosocial and clinical baseline characteristics of subsample assessed descriptively similar to baseline participants | CAARS-O:L |
| Population: adults with ADHD Intervention: manualized 12-week CBT Comparison: parallel support group | Impulsivity and emotional lability | High Risk ● (BP) | n = 251 MD = -.80 CI (-2.2 - .70) | U | Data incomplete due to loss at follow up, but authors state: nevertheless, psychosocial and clinical baseline characteristics of subsample assessed descriptively similar to baseline participants | CAARS-O:L |
| Klinischer Gesamteindruck. Kliniker*innenurteil → Ab hier auch Grading | | | | | | |
| Lam et al., 2019 | CGI severity | High Risk ● (BP) | n = 251 OR = 0.81 CI (0.51 - 1.28) | U | Data incomplete due to loss at follow up, but authors state: nevertheless, psychosocial and clinical baseline characteristics of subsample assessed descriptively similar to baseline participants | CAARS-O:L |
| Population: adults with ADHD Intervention: manualized 12-week CBT Comparison: parallel support group | CGI global change | High Risk ● (BP) | n = 251 OR = 0.76 CI (0.48 - 1.21) | U | Data incomplete due to loss at follow up, but authors state: nevertheless, psychosocial and clinical baseline characteristics of subsample assessed | CAARS-O:L |

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| | | | | descriptively similar to baseline participants |
| CGI global assessment of effectiveness | High Risk ● (BP) | $n = 251$ $OR = 1.63$ $CI (1.03 - 2.59)$ | I | Data incomplete due to loss at follow up, but authors state: nevertheless, psychosocial and clinical baseline characteristics of subsample assessed descriptively similar to baseline participants CAARS-O:L |

Funktionalität. Selbsterteil

Eddy et al., 2021

Population: emerging adults with ADHD attending college (18-30 years)

Intervention: ACCESS (CBT programm including: SEMESTER 1 (active phase) 8 weekly group sessions (90m each) + concurrently weekly individual mentoring sessions (30 min). SEMESTER 2 (maintenance phase)

Comparison: delayed treatment condition (DTC).

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| Daily life performance with ADHD | Very high risk ● (BP, ID) | $n = 250$ $d = 0.72$ $CI (0.46 - 0.97)$ | I | Participants received ACCRSS after 2 semesters AIM-A Performance/Daily functioning |
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Gutman et al., 2020

Population: adults with self-reported diagnosis of ADHD (20 - 55years), female

Intervention: intervention based on five-part approach (Gutman & Szczepanski, 2005): helped participants to establish

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|--------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|--|
| Performance | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, CE) | $n = 23$ $d = 3.04$ $CI (n.a)$ | I | No information regarding concealment, disbalance of medication status between intervention and control groups. COPM |
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routines, organize personal physical environments, enhance time management skills, monitor and regulate internal and external sensory, develop effective stress management skills. 7 consecutive weeks consisted of individual 1-hr sessions that took place in home and community environments (e.g., work, school, grocery store)

Comparison: no intervention or contact from research team during the 7-wk intervention

| Selbstwertgefühl. Selbsturteil | | | | | |
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| <p>Cherkasova et al., 2020</p> <p>Population: Adults with ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: CBT (12 manualized group sessions) accompanied by individual coaching + medication (long acting MPH (Biphentin or Concerta) or amphetamine (Adderall XR or Vyvanse))</p> <p>Comparison: CBT (12 manualized group sessions) accompanied by individual coaching (without medication)</p> | <p>Self-esteem, Following treatment</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 88$</p> <p>$d = 0.67$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>I</p> | | <p>Index of Self-Esteem (ISE)</p> |
| | <p>Self-esteem, 3 month follow-up</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 88$</p> <p>$d = 0.48$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | | <p>Index of Self-Esteem (ISE)</p> |
| | <p>Self-esteem, 6 month follow-up</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 88$</p> <p>$d = 0.61$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>I</p> | | <p>Index of Self-Esteem (ISE)</p> |
| <p>Pan et al., 2022</p> <p>Population: adults with ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: CBT</p> <p>Comparison: medication only</p> | <p>Self-esteem</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 98$</p> <p>$d = -0.16$</p> <p>CI (-2.33 - 0.83)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Value for T2 (after the 12-week CBT-treatment). Follow-up values reported in study.</p> | <p>SES</p> |
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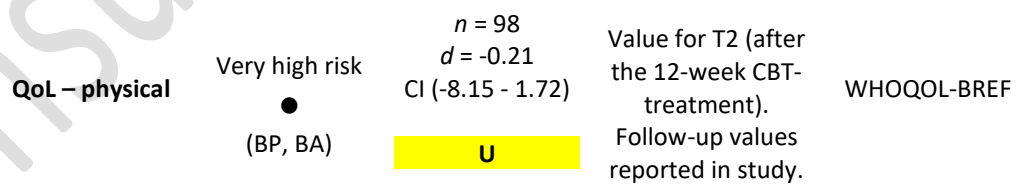
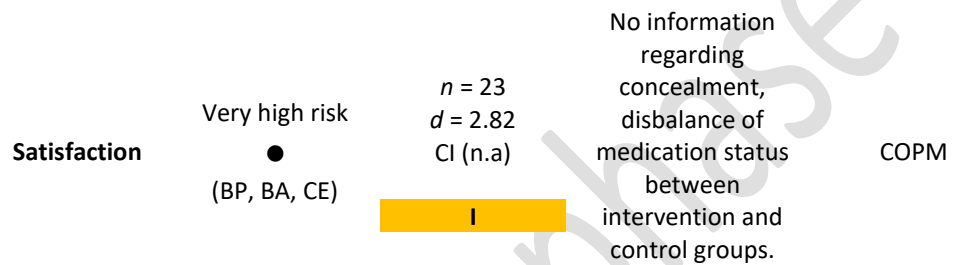
Gutman et al., 2020

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Intervention:

intervention based on five-part approach (Gutman & Szczepanski, 2005): helped participants to establish routines, organize personal physical environments, enhance time management skills, monitor and regulate internal and external sensory, develop effective stress management skills. 7 consecutive weeks consisted of individual 1-hr sessions that took place in home and community environments (e.g., work, school, grocery store)

Comparison: no intervention or contact from research team during the 7-wk intervention

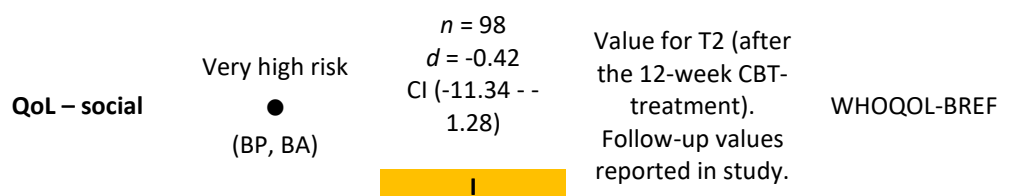
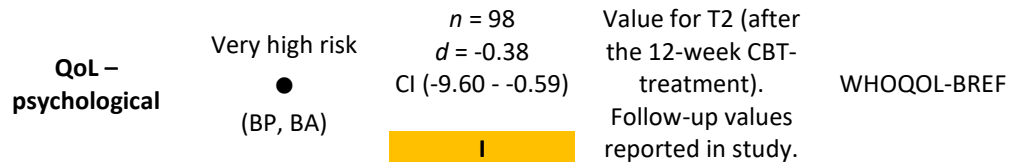


Pan et al., 2022

Population: adults with ADHD

Intervention: CBT

Comparison: medication only



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| QoL – environmental | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 98$ $d = -0.15$ CI (-6.07 - 2.36) | Value for T2 (after the 12-week CBT-treatment). Follow-up values reported in study. | WHOQOL-BREF |
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Wohlbefinden. Unbekanntes Urteil

Eddy et al., 2021

Population: emerging adults with ADHD attending college (18-30 years)

Intervention: ACCESS (CBT programm including: SEMESTER 1 (active phase) 8 weekly group sessions (90m each) + concurrently weekly individual mentoring sessions (30 min). SEMESTER 2 (maintenance phase)

Comparison: delayed treatment condition (DTC).

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|---------------------------|---------------------------------|---|--|--------------------------|
| General well being | Very high risk ● (BP, ID) | $n = 250$ $d = 0.26$ CI (0.01 - 0.51) | Participants received ACCRSS after 2 semesters | AIM-A General Well Being |
| I | | | | |

Soziale Fähigkeiten. Unbekanntes Urteil

Eddy et al., 2021

Population: emerging adults with ADHD attending college (18-30 years)

Intervention: ACCESS (CBT programm including: SEMESTER 1 (active phase) 8 weekly group sessions (90m each) + concurrently weekly individual mentoring sessions (30 min). SEMESTER 2 (maintenance phase)

Comparison: delayed treatment condition (DTC).

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|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Interpersonal relationships | Very high risk ● (BP, ID) | $n = 250$ $d = 0.12$ CI (-0.13 - 0.37) | Participants received ACCRSS after 2 semesters | AIM-A Relationships and Communications |
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Young et al., 2017

Population: adults with ADHD
Intervention: CBT + Medication
Comparison: medication only

Social functioning

Very high risk
 ●
 (BP, BA)

$n = 95$
 $d = .41$
 CI (n.a.)



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ADHS Wissen. Unbekanntes Urteil

Anastopoulos et al., 2021

Population: college students with ADHD 18 - 30 years
Intervention: ACCESS treatment immediately (cognitive-behavior therapy program delivered via group treatment and individual mentoring across two semesters)
Comparison: Delayed Treatment Control (DTC): one-year delayed basis.

ADHD knowledge

High Risk
 ●
 (BP)

$n = 250$
 $d = 1.21$
 CI (0.94 - 1.48)



Improvements in clinical change mechanisms evident at end of active phase and remained stable throughout maintenance phase of ACCESS

TOAK scores

Organisationale und akademische Fähigkeiten. Selbsturteil

Cherkasova et al., 2020

Population: Adults with ADHD
Intervention: CBT (12 manualized group sessions) accompanied by individual coaching + medication (long acting MPH (Biphentin or Concerta) or amphetamine (Adderall XR or Vyvanse))
Comparison: CBT (12 manualized group sessions) accompanied by individual coaching (without medication)

Organizational skills, Following treatment

Very high risk
 ●
 (CC, BP, BA)

$n = 88$
 $d = 1.02$
 CI (n.a.)



Organization and Activation for Work (OAW)

Organizational skills, 3 month follow-up

Very high risk
 ●
 (CC, BP, BA)

$n = 88$
 $d = 0.69$
 CI (n.a.)



Organization and Activation for Work (OAW)

Organizational skills, 6 month follow-up

Very high risk
 ●
 (CC, BP, BA)

$n = 88$
 $d = 0.53$
 CI (n.a.)



Organization and Activation for Work (OAW)

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|--|---|--|---|---|---|
| <p>Eddy et al., 2021</p> <p>Population: emerging adults with ADHD attending college (18-30 years)</p> <p>Intervention: ACCESS (CBT programm including: SEMESTER 1 (active phase) 8 weekly group sessions (90m each) + concurrently weekly individual mentoring sessions (30 min). SEMESTER 2 (maintenance phase)</p> <p>Comparison: delayed treatment condition (DTC).</p> | <p>Academic skills and strategies - Motivation</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, ID)</p> | <p>$n = 250$</p> <p>$d = 0.37$</p> <p>CI (0.12 - 0.62)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Participants received ACCRSS after 2 semesters</p> | <p>Learning and study strategies inventory 2 (LASSI-2)</p> |
| | <p>Academic skills and strategies - Time management</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, ID)</p> | <p>$n = 250$</p> <p>$d = 0.48$</p> <p>CI (0.23 - 0.73)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Participants received ACCRSS after 2 semesters</p> | <p>Learning and study strategies inventory 2 (LASSI-2)</p> |
| | <p>Academic skills and strategies - Test strategies</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, ID)</p> | <p>$n = 250$</p> <p>$d = 0.58$</p> <p>CI (0.32 - 0.83)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Participants received ACCRSS after 2 semesters</p> | <p>Learning and study strategies inventory 2 (LASSI-2)</p> |
| | <p>Academic skills and strategies - Study aids</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, ID)</p> | <p>$n = 250$</p> <p>$d = 0.29$</p> <p>CI (0.04 - 0.54)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Participants received ACCRSS after 2 semesters</p> | <p>Learning and study strategies inventory 2 (LASSI-2)</p> |
| | <p>Grade point average (GPA)</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, ID)</p> | <p>$n = 250$</p> <p>$d = 0.01$</p> <p>CI (-0.24 - 0.26)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Participants received ACCRSS after 2 semesters</p> | <p>Participants semester Grade Point Averages (GPA) ranging from 0.0 to 4.0</p> |
| | <p>Earned credits</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, ID)</p> | <p>$n = 250$</p> <p>$d = 0.05$</p> <p>CI (-0.20 - 0.30)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Participants received ACCRSS after 2 semesters</p> | <p>Number of credits attempted per semester</p> |
| <p>Solanto et al., 2018</p> <p>Population: adults with ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: group CBT (+ MPH or + placebo)</p> <p>Comparison: individual clinical management (+ MPH or + placebo)</p> | <p>Time management, organization & planning, Participants below age 50</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 55$</p> <p>$MD = -10.10$</p> <p>CI (-20.20 - 0.06)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Effect size measure: "Difference between Least Square Mean Change scores"; blinded rater</p> | <p>ON-TOP</p> |
| | <p>Time management, organization & planning, Participants above age 50</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 26$</p> <p>$MD = -6.90$</p> <p>CI (-21.40 - 7.60)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Effect size measure: "Difference between Least Square Mean Change scores"; blinded rater</p> | <p>ON-TOP</p> |

Organisationale und akademische Fähigkeiten. Kliniker*innenurteil

Anastopoulos et al., 2021

Population: college students with ADHD 18 - 30 years

Intervention: ACCESS treatment immediately (cognitive-behavior therapy program delivered via group treatment and individual mentoring across two semesters)

Comparison: Delayed Treatment Control (DTC): one-year delayed basis.

Use of behavioral strategies

High Risk
● (BP)

n = 250
d = 0.81
CI (0.56 - 1.07)

I

Improvements in clinical change mechanisms evident at end of active phase and remained stable throughout maintenance phase of ACCESS

SFS scores

Solanto et al., 2018

Population: adults with ADHD

Intervention: group CBT (+ MPH or + placebo)

Comparison: individual clinical management (+ MPH or + placebo)

Time management, organization & planning, Participants below age 50

High Risk
● (BP)

n = 55
MD = 2.89
CI (1.40 - 4.40)

I

Effect size measure: "Difference between Least Square Mean Change scores"; blinded rater

AISRS-TMOP

Time management, organization & planning, Participants above age 50

High Risk
● (BP)

n = 26
MD = 0.90
CI (-1.30 - 3.10)

U

Effect size measure: "Difference between Least Square Mean Change scores"; blinded rater

AISRS-IN

Komorbiditäten. Selbsturteil

Gutman et al., 2020

Population: adults with self-reported diagnosis of ADHD (20 - 55years), female

Intervention: intervention based on five-part approach (Gutman & Szczepanski, 2005): helped participants to establish routines, organize personal physical environments, enhance time management skills, monitor and regulate internal and external sensory, develop

Perceived stress

Very high risk
● (BP, BA, CE)

n = 23
d = -2.66
CI (n.a.)

I

No information regarding concealment, disbalance of medication status between intervention and control groups.

PSS

effective stress management skills. 7 consecutive weeks consisted of individual 1-hr sessions that took place in home and community environments (e.g., work, school, grocery store)

Comparison: no intervention or contact from research team during the 7-wk intervention

Lam et al., 2019

Population: adults with ADHD
Intervention: manualized 12-week CBT

Problems with self-concept

High Risk
● (BP)

$n = 251$
 $MD = -.30$
 $CI (-1.3 - .70)$

U

Comparison: parallel Support group

Data incomplete due to loss at follow-up, but authors state: nevertheless, psychosocial and clinical baseline characteristics of subsample assessed descriptively similar to baseline participants

CAARS-O:L

Komorbiditäten. Unbekanntes Urteil

Anastopoulos et al., 2021

Population: college students with ADHD 18 - 30 years

Depression symptoms

High Risk
● (BP)

$n = 250$
 $d = .24$
 $CI (-.01 - .49)$

U

Intervention: ACCESS treatment immediately (cognitive-behavior therapy program delivered via group treatment and individual mentoring across two semesters)

Comparison: Delayed Treatment Control (DTC): one-year delayed basis.

Although emotional functioning did not improve, clinically interesting that depression and anxiety levels seemed to stabilize for ACCESS participants, while worsening for DTC participants

BDI-II

Anxiety

High Risk
● (BP)

$n = 250$
 $d = .33$
 $CI (.08 - .58)$

I

Although emotional functioning did not improve, clinically interesting that depression and anxiety levels

BAI scores

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|--|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|---|---------------|
| | | | | seemed to stabilize for ACCESS participants, while worsening for DTC participants | |
| | | | | Improvements in clinical change mechanisms were evident at end of active phase and remained stable throughout maintenance phase of ACCESS | ACS-CV scores |
| | Maladaptive thinking | High Risk ● (BP) | $n = 250$ $d = .50$ CI (.25 - .75) I | | |
| | Anxiety | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 98$ $d = .68$ CI (2.52 - 7.52) I | Value for T2 (after 12-week CBT-treatment). Follow-up values reported in study. | SAS |
| | State anxiety | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 98$ $d = .50$ CI (1.88 - 9.13) I | Value for T2 (after 12-week CBT-treatment). Follow-up values reported in study. | STAI |
| Pan et al., 2022 | | | | | |
| Population: Adults with ADHD Intervention: CBT + Medication Comparison: Medication only | Trait anxiety | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 98$ $d = .52$ CI (1.7 - 7.68) I | Value for T2 (after 12-week CBT-treatment). Follow-up values reported in study. | STAI |
| | Dysfunctional attitudes | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 98$ $d = .19$ CI (-3.07 - 11.52) U | Value for T2 (after 12-week CBT-treatment). Follow-up values reported in study. | DAS |
| | Thoughts | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 98$ $d = .22$ CI (-2.09 - 9.99) U | Value for T2 (after 12-week CBT-treatment). Follow-up values reported in study. | ATQ |

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|---|--------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|--------|
| Young et al., 2017 Population: Adults with ADHD Intervention: CBT + Medication Comparison: Medication only | Emotional control | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 95$ $d = .32$ CI (n.a.) | RATE-S |
| | | | | |
| | Antisocial scale | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 95$ $d = .50$ CI (n.a.) | RATE-S |
| | | | | |

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen. SG = sequence generation, CC = concealment, BP = blinding participants, BA = blinding assessors, ID = incomplete data, OR = outcome reporting, CE = carry over effects, SX = stopped early, UM = unvalidated measures, OI = other issue.

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1.4 Weitere non-pharmakologische Interventionen

1.4.1 Digitale Interventionen

1.4.1.1. Welchen Stellenwert haben digitale Interventionen in der Behandlung von ADHS?

1.4.1.1. A

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Meta-Analysen

| Endpunktkategorien | MAs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|-----------------------------------|-----|----|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (KU) | 4 | 4 | Sehr schwach/schwach |
| Aufmerksamkeit (KU) | 3 | 4 | |
| Hyperaktivität/ Impulsivität (KU) | 3 | 4 | |
| Exekutive Funktionen (E) | 1 | 7 | |
| Exekutive Funktionen (L) | 3 | 11 | |

Anmerkung. MAs = Anzahl der Meta-Analysen, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: Meta-Analysen

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Aussagesicherheit (GRADE) | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Messinstrument |
|--|---|-----------------------------|---|--|--|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Kombiniertes Urteil | | | | | |
| Westswood et al., 2023 | ADHD Total symptoms, Children/adolescents | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | n = 587, k = 13 SMD = .11 CI (-.02 - .24) U | Publication bias not assessed. Forest plot not reported | CRS-R, CPRS-R/T, Conners 3AI, ADHD-RS, DBD-RS, CTRS-R, EDAH (parent), SNAP-IV. |
| Hamada et al., 2025 | ADHD total symptoms | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | n = 682, k = 8 SMD = -.06 CI (-.21 - .09) U | Subgroup: Only standard games without addition NF or Physical exercise/VR or social element. | ADHD-RS, DBDRS, Conners' Rating Scale (parents and teachers) |

games without anti-ADHD components)

Liu et al., 2024

Population: Children, adolescents and adults with ADHD
 Intervention: Computerized Cognitive Training (CCT), Game-based training (GBT), internet-based training (IBT, based on CBT/psychoeducation), chatbots, brain-computer interfaces.
 Comparison: Medication, TAU, other active control groups, Waitlist

Total ADHD symptoms, CCT vs. control

Very low
 ⊕○○○
 (R, IC, IP, P)

$n = 84, k = 3$
 $SMD = -0.79$
 CI (-1.71 - 0.13)

U

No information regarding RoB, no publication bias analysis done.

ADHD-RS, CAARS, SWAN, SNAP-IV, Conners-3

Ren et al., 2023

Population: Children (5 to 16 years) with ADHD
 Intervention: Cognitive intervention studies using digital game-based games
 Comparison: Active control, passive control, both active and passive control groups (only RCT studies)

Behavior and symptoms

Moderate
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 (R)

$n = 654, k = 9$
 $g = .30$
 CI (.20 - .40)

I

No forest plots reported. No information about point estimated variability, overlapping and consistent direction.

ADHD Symptoms (DSM-IV), the Conners Rating Scale, ADHD-RS, BRIEF, WFIRS-P, SNAP-IV, DBDRS, SPSRQ-C, PedsQL, HSQ, Purpose-designed symptom frequency questionnaires, IRS, CGI-I

Aufmerksamkeit. Kombiniertes Urteil

Westwood et al., 2023

Population: Children/adolescents with ADHD.
 Intervention: Fully computer-based procedures with an adaptive component (CCT; alone, not in combination or adjunct to TAU)

Inattention, Children/adolescents

Very low
 ⊕○○○
 (R, IP)

$n = 587, k = 13$
 $SMD = .15$
 CI (-.02 - .31)

U

Publication bias not assessed. Forest plot not reported

CRS-R, CPRS-R/T, Conners 3AI, ADHD-RS, DBD-RS, CTRS-R, EDAH (parent), SNAP-IV.

Comparison: Semi-active (non-adaptive CCT), non-active (treatment as usual [TAU], wait list control [WLC]), or placebo pill (only RCTs)

Hamada et al., 2025

Population: Children or adolescents (under 18) with ADHD symptoms (subclinical ADHD participants were also eligible)
 Intervention: Computer games delivered through digital devices (such as PCs, tablets).
 Comparison: Wait-list, treatment as usual (TAU), and sham interventions (e.g., games without anti-ADHD components)

Inattention

Very low
 ⊕○○○
 (R, IP)

$n = 665, k = 7$
 $SMD = -.07$
 $CI (-.22 - .08)$

U

Subgroup: Only standard games without addition NF or Physical exercise/VR or social element.

ADHD-RS, DBDRS, Conners' Rating Scale (parents and teachers)

Liu et al., 2024

Population: Children, adolescents and adults with ADHD
 Intervention: Computerized Cognitive Training (CCT), Game-based training (GBT), internet-based training (IBT, based on CBT/psychoeducation), chatbots, brain-computer interfaces.
 Comparison: Medication, TAU, other active control groups, Waitlist

Inattention, CCT vs. control

Low
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 (R, P)

$n = 180, k = 3$
 $SMD = -0.50$
 $CI (-0.92 - -0.08)$

I

No information regarding RoB. No publication bias analysis done.

ADHD-RS, CAARS, SWAN, SNAP-IV, Conners-3

Inattention, GBT vs. control

Low
 ⊕⊕○○
 (R, P)

$n = 287, k = 3$
 $SMD = -0.44$
 $CI (-0.73 - -0.16)$

I

No information regarding RoB neither publ. Bias analysis. "Game-based training" is basically defined the same as CCT, but with different difficulty levels!

ADHD-RS, CAARS, SWAN, SNAP-IV, Conners-3

Hyperaktivität/ Impulsivität (Kombiniertes Urteil)

Westswood et al.,
2023

Population:
Children/adolescents
with ADHD.
Intervention: Fully
computer-based
procedures with an
adaptive component
(CCT; alone, not in
combination or
adjunct to TAU)
Comparison: Semi-
active (non-adaptive
CCT), non-active
(treatment as usual
[TAU], wait list control
[WLC]), or placebo pill
(only RCTs)

Hyperactivity

Very low
⊕○○○
(R, IP)

$n = 587, k = 13$
 $SMD = .12$
 $CI (-.05 - .28)$

U

Publication bias not
assessed. Forest
plot not reported

CRS-R, CPRS-
R/T, Conners
3AI, ADHD-RS,
DBD-RS, CTRS-
R, EDAAH
(parent), SNAP-
IV.

Hamada et al., 2025

Population: Children
or adolescents (under
18) with ADHD
symptoms (subclinical
ADHD participants
were also eligible)
Intervention:
Computer games
delivered through
digital devices (such
as PCs, tablets).
Comparison: Wait-list,
treatment as usual
(TAU), and sham
interventions (e.g.,
games without anti-
ADHD components)

**Hyperactivity/Im
pulsivity**

Very low
⊕○○○
(R, IP)

$n = 667, k = 7$
 $SMD = -.06$
 $CI (-.21 - .09)$

U

Subgroup: Only
standard games
without addition NF
or Physical
exercise/VR or
social element.

ADHD-RS,
DBDRS,
Conners' Rating
Scale (parents
and teachers)

Liu et al., 2024

Population: Children,
adolescents and
adults with ADHD

**Hyp./Imp.,
CCT vs. control**

Very low
⊕○○○
(R, IC, IP, P)

$n = 180, k = 3$
 $SMD = -0.45$
 $CI (-1.04 - 0.13)$

U

No information
regarding RoB
neither publ. Bias
analysis.

ADHD-RS,
CAARS, SWAN,
SNAP-IV,
Conners-3

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|--|--|--|--|--|---|
| <p>Intervention: Computerized Cognitive Training (CCT), Game-based training (GBT), internet-based training (IBT, based on CBT/psychoeducation), chatbots, brain-computer interfaces.</p> <p>Comparison: Medication, TAU, other active control groups, Waitlist</p> | <p>Hyp./Imp., GBT vs. control</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R,IP,P)</p> | <p>$n = 287, k = 4$ $SMD = -0.21$ $CI (-0.45 - 0.02)$</p> | <p>No information regarding RoB neither publ. Bias analysis. "Game-based training" is basically defined the same as CCT, but with different difficulty levels!</p> | <p>ADHD-RS, CAARS, SWAN, SNAP-IV, Conners-3</p> |
| Exekutive Funktionen. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| <p>Lee et al., 2025</p> <p>Population: Children or adolescents (under 18 years) with ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: Medication + Game-based digital interventions: utilized serious games with mission-guided tasks aimed at improving cognitive function: computer assisted therapy (75%), and mobile/tablet applications (25%)</p> <p>Comparison: Control group not defined (only RCT)</p> | <p>Cognitive responses. Working Memory</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 481, k = 4$ $MD = -.83$ $CI (-2.45 - .78)$</p> | <p>No information about randomization, no information about publication bias</p> | <p>P-BRIEF Working memory</p> |
| | <p>Behavioral responses. Inhibition</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R,IP)</p> | <p>$n = 481, k = 4$ $MD = .27$ $CI (-1.44 - 1.98)$</p> | <p>No information about randomization, no information about publication bias</p> | <p>P-BRIEF Inhibit</p> |
| | <p>Cognitive responses. Initiate</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 131, k = 2$ $MD = 1.05$ $CI (-2.14 - 4.23)$</p> | <p>No information about randomization, no information about publication bias</p> | <p>P-BRIEF-Initiate</p> |
| | <p>Cognitive responses. Plan/Organize</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 131, k = 2$ $MD = -.53$ $CI (-3.33 - 2.26)$</p> | <p>No information about randomization, no information about publication bias</p> | <p>P-BRIEF-Plan/Organize</p> |
| | <p>Cognitive responses. Organization of materials</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 131, k = 2$ $MD = -.87$ $CI (-4.24 - 2.50)$</p> | <p>No information about randomization, no information about publication bias</p> | <p>P-BRIEF Organize</p> |

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| | Behavioral responses. Self-Monitoring | Low ⊕⊕○○ (IP) | $n = 131, k = 2$ $MD = 1.78$ $CI (-.92 - 4.48)$ U | No information about randomization, no information about publication bias | P-BRIEF Monitor |
| | Affective results. Shifting | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 160, k = 3$ $MD = .42$ $CI (-2.84 - 3.68)$ U | No information about randomization, no information about publication bias | P-BRIEF Shifting scale |
| Exekutive Funktionen. Lehrer*innenurteil | | | | | |
| | Working memory | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = 348, k = 8$ $g = .47$ $CI (.07 - .86)$ I | No forest plots reported. No information about point estimated variability, overlapping and consistent direction. | Color span backward, CANTAB, the List Sorting Working Memory Test, Corsi Block Tapping Task-backward, The span-board task |
| Ren et al., 2023 | | | | | |
| Population: Children (5 to 16 years) with ADHD Intervention: Cognitive intervention studies using digital game-based games Comparison: Active control, passive control, both active and passive control groups (only RCT studies) | Inhibition | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = 309, k = 7$ $g = .27$ $CI (.06 - .48)$ I | No forest plots reported. No information about point estimated variability, overlapping and consistent direction. | Simon Task, Stop signal task (SST), Flanker Test, Stroop •Stop Signal Reaction Time, Go/Nogo task |
| | Cognitive flexibility | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, IP) | $n = 112, k = 2$ $g = .21$ $CI (-1.77 - 2.20)$ U | No forest plots reported. No information about point estimated variability, overlapping and consistent direction. | Flanker Task, Trail Making Task |
| | Planning | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, IP) | $n = 68, k = 2$ $g = .01$ $CI (-3.14 - 3.16)$ U | No forest plots reported. No information about point estimated variability, overlapping and consistent | CANTAB (Stockings of Cambridge) |

direction.

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| | Attention abilities | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = 441, k = 4$ $g = .29$ CI (.18 - .41) | I | No forest plots reported. No information about point estimated variability, overlapping and consistent direction. | CANTAB , IED, Test of Variables of Attention, Tonic alertness, Phasic alertness, Selective attention, Vigilance, Divided attention, Flexibility |
| Westswood et al., 2023 | Neuropsychological results. Interference inhibition, Children/adolescents | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 326, k = 7$ $SMD = -.05$ CI (-.40 - .31) | U | Publication bias not assessed. Forest plot not reported | NIH-Flanker Attentional Network Task, Stroop Colour & Word Test, D-KEFS Color Word, Interference Condition Trials, Incongruent Trials, Day-Night Stroop task |
| Population: Children/adolescents with ADHD. Intervention: Fully computer-based procedures with an adaptive component (CCT; alone, not in combination or adjunct to TAU) Comparison: Semi-active (non-adaptive CCT), non-active (treatment as usual [TAU], wait list control [WLC]), or placebo pill (only RCTs) | Neuropsychological results. Motor inhibition, Children/adolescents | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = 692, k = 12$ $SMD = .18$ CI (-.02 - .39) | U | Publication bias not assessed. Forest plot not reported | Conners' CPT-II, CANTAB Stop Task, CPT, A-X CPT, NIH-GNG, |
| | Neuropsychological results. Attention, Children/adolescents | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = 701, k = 14$ $SMD = .10$ CI (-.10 - .30) | U | Publication bias not assessed. Forest plot not reported | Conners' CPT-II, CPT, GNG Task, CANTAB-Rapid Visual Information Processing, A-X CPT, D2 Test of Attention, SA-DOTS-02K, TAP Battery |

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|-------------------------|---|--|---|---|---|
| | | | | | Vigilance Task, Oddball |
| | | | | | Raven's progressive matrices, WAIS-III Matrix Reasoning subtest, Raven coloured progressive matrices, Ravens Standard Progressive Matrices, Raven's Matrix, |
| | Neuropsychological results. Non-verbal reasoning, Children/adolescents | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = 268, k = 5$ $SMD = .05$ $CI (-.19 - .29)$ | Publication bias not assessed. Forest plot not reported | |
| | | | U | | |
| | Neuropsychological results. Processing speed, Children/adolescents | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = 302, k = 6$ $SMD = -.15$ $CI (-.38 - .08)$ | Publication bias not assessed. Forest plot not reported | 5 Choice RTI, GNG CPT, IntegNeuro - Choice RT, Vigilance, SA-DOTS-02K |
| | | | U | | |
| Lee et al., 2025 | Population: Children or adolescents (under 18 years) with ADHD Intervention: Medication + Game-based digital interventions: utilized serious games with mission-guided tasks aimed at improving cognitive function: computer assisted therapy (75%), and mobile/tablet applications (25%) Comparison: Control group not defined (only RCT) | Cognitive responses. Visuospatial short-term memory | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (IP) | $n = 90, k = 2$ $MD = 1.67$ $CI (.66 - 2.67)$ | No information about randomization, no information about publication bias |
| | | | C | | Corsi block tapping task (CBTT) forward |

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen, k = Anzahl der inkludierten Primärstudien. R = risk of bias, IC = inconsistency, ID = indirectness, IP = imprecision, P = publication bias.

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1.4.1.1. B

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Primärstudien

| Endpunkt | PS | m | Gesamt |
|---|----|---|-----------------------|
| Elternt raining | | | |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (E) | 1 | 3 | Schwach/ sehr schwach |
| Gesamtwert ADHS- und Verhaltenssymptome (E) | 1 | 3 | |
| Funktionelle Beeinträchtigung (E) | 1 | 3 | |
| Erziehungsverhalten (S) | 1 | 6 | |
| Lehrer*innentraining | | | |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (E) | 1 | 1 | Schwach/ sehr schwach |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (L) | 1 | 1 | |
| Funktionelle Beeinträchtigung (E) | 1 | 1 | |
| Funktionelle Beeinträchtigung (L) | 1 | 1 | |

Anmerkung. PS = Anzahl der Primärstudien, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Summary of findings Tabelle: Primärstudien

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Risk of Bias | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Mess-instrument |
|--|------------------------|---------------------------------|--|---|---|
| Elternt raining | | | | | |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| Döpfner et al., 2025 | | | | | |
| Population: Children aged 4–11 years with attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) with or without oppositional defiant disorder (ODD) Intervention: Mobile-based self-directed digital Parent Management Training for parents of children with ADHD (hiToco®, based on CBT, with multiple different modules) + TAU. 16 weeks Comparison: TAU alone | ADHD symptoms, Week 8 | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | n = 65 d = .02 CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p value. ITT done | Symptom Checklist-Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder (SCL-ADHD) |
| | ADHD symptoms, Week 12 | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | n = 65 d = .59 CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p value. ITT done | Symptom Checklist-Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder (SCL-ADHD) |
| | ADHD symptoms, Week 16 | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | n = 65 d = .37 CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p value. ITT done | Symptom Checklist-Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder (SCL-ADHD) |

Gesamtwert ADHS- und Verhaltenssymptome. Elternurteil

Döpfner et al., 2025

Population: Children aged 4–11 years with attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) with or without oppositional defiant disorder (ODD)

Intervention: Mobile-based self-directed digital Parent

Management Training for parents of children with ADHD (hiToco[®], based on CBT, with multiple different modules) + TAU. 16 weeks

Comparison: TAU alone

ADHD + ODD symptoms, Week 8

Very high risk
●
(BP, BA)

$n = 65$
 $d = .15$
CI (n.a.)

U

Clinical implication based on p value. ITT done

SCL-ADHD - Part A and SCL-ODD - Part A

ADHD + ODD symptoms, Week 12

Very high risk
●
(BP, BA)

$n = 65$
 $d = .74$
CI (n.a.)

I

Clinical implication based on p value. ITT done

SCL-ADHD - Part A and SCL-ODD - Part A

ADHD + ODD symptoms, Week 16

Very high risk
●
(BP, BA)

$n = 65$
 $d = .37$
CI (n.a.)

I

Clinical implication based on p value. ITT done

SCL-ADHD - Part A and SCL-ODD - Part A

Funktionelle Beeinträchtigung. Elternurteil

Döpfner et al., 2025

Population: Children aged 4–11 years with attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) with or without oppositional defiant disorder (ODD)

Intervention: Mobile-based self-directed digital Parent

Management Training for parents of children with ADHD (hiToco[®], based on CBT, with multiple different modules) + TAU. 16 weeks

Comparison: TAU alone

Functional impairment, Week 8

Very high risk
●
(BP, BA)

$n = 65$
 $d = .46$
CI (n.a.)

I

Clinical implication based on p value. ITT done

Five items of the SCL-ADHD (part F)

Functional impairment, Week 12

Very high risk
●
(BP, BA)

$n = 65$
 $d = .84$
CI (n.a.)

I

Clinical implication based on p value. ITT done

Five items of the SCL-ADHD (part F)

Functional impairment, Week 16

Very high risk
●
(BP, BA)

$n = 65$
 $d = .28$
CI (n.a.)

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Clinical implication based on p value. ITT done

Five items of the SCL-ADHD (part F)

Erziehungsverhalten. Selbsturteil

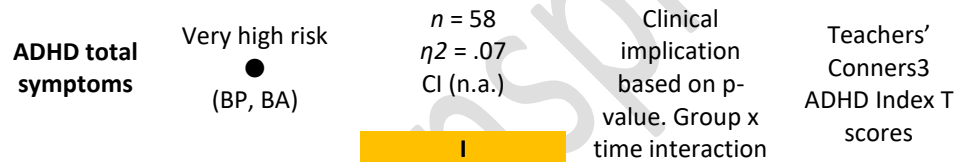
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|--|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|---|---|---|
| | Positive parenting, Week 8 | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 65$ $d = -.45$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p value. ITT done | Fragebogen zum positiven und negativen Erziehungsverhalten (FPNE) |
| Döpfner et al., 2025 Population: Children aged 4–11 years with attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) with or without oppositional defiant disorder (ODD) Intervention: Mobile-based self-directed digital Parent Management Training for parents of children with ADHD (hiToco®, based on CBT, with multiple different modules) + TAU. 16 weeks Comparison: TAU alone | Positive parenting, Week 12 | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 65$ $d = -.68$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p value. ITT done | Fragebogen zum positiven und negativen Erziehungsverhalten (FPNE) |
| | Positive parenting, Week 16 | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 65$ $d = -.74$ (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p value. ITT done | Fragebogen zum positiven und negativen Erziehungsverhalten (FPNE) |
| | Negative parenting, Week 8 | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 65$ $d = .47$ (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p value. ITT done | Fragebogen zum positiven und negativen Erziehungsverhalten (FPNE) |
| | Negative parenting, Week 12 | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 65$ $d = .63$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p value. ITT done | Fragebogen zum positiven und negativen Erziehungsverhalten (FPNE) |
| | Negative parenting, Week 16 | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 65$ $d = .49$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p value. ITT done | Fragebogen zum positiven und negativen Erziehungsverhalten (FPNE) |
| | ADHD total symptoms | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 58$ $\eta^2 = .01$ CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value. Group x time interaction | Parent's Conners3 ADHD Index T scores |
| Lehrer*innentraining | | | | | |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| Corkum et al., 2019 | | | | | |
| Population: Dyad Teacher/ child from Grades 1 to 6 in a participating public school previously diagnosed with ADHD Intervention: Web-Based Intervention for Teachers (6-week | | | | | |

program). PowerPoint presentations and supporting documents, targeting psychoeducation & teaching methods specialized for children with ADHD
 Comparison: Waitlist

ADHS-Symptome gesamt. Lehrer*innenurteil

Corkum et al., 2019

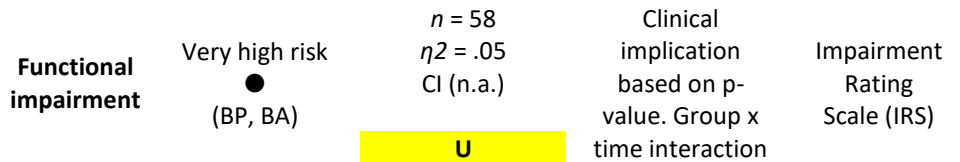
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 Intervention: Web-Based Intervention for Teachers (6-week program). PowerPoint presentations and supporting documents, targeting psychoeducation & teaching methods specialized for children with ADHD
 Comparison: Waitlist



Funktionelle Beeinträchtigung. Elternurteil

Corkum et al., 2019

Population: Dyad Teacher/ child from Grades 1 to 6 in a participating public school previously diagnosed with ADHD
 Intervention: Web-Based Intervention for Teachers (6-week program). PowerPoint presentations and supporting documents, targeting psychoeducation & teaching methods specialized for children with ADHD
 Comparison: Waitlist



Corkum et al., 2019

Population: Dyad Teacher/ child from Grades 1 to 6 in a participating public school previously diagnosed with ADHD
Intervention: Web-Based Intervention for Teachers (6-week program). PowerPoint presentations and supporting documents, targeting psychoeducation & teaching methods specialized for children with ADHD
Comparison: Waitlist

Functional impairment

Very high risk
 ●
 (BP, BA)

$n = 58$
 $\eta^2 = .06$
 CI (n.a.)



Clinical implication based on p-value. Group x time interaction

Impairment Rating Scale (IRS)

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen. SG = sequence generation, CC = concealment, BP = blinding participants, BA = blinding assessors, ID = incomplete data, OR = outcome reporting, CE = carry over effects, SX = stopped early, UM = unvalidated measures, OI = other issue.

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1.4.1.1. C

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Meta-Analysen

| Endpunktkategorien | MAs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|---------------------------|-----|---|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (KU) | 1 | 1 | Schwach/ sehr schwach |

Anmerkung. MAs = Anzahl der Meta-Analysen, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Primärstudien

| Endpunkt | RCTs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|-----------------------------------|------|---|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (S) | 3 | 4 | Schwach/ sehr schwach |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (KL) | 2 | 2 | |
| Hyperaktivität (KL) | 2 | 2 | |
| Hyperaktivität (S) | 1 | 1 | |
| Impulsivität (KL) | 2 | 2 | |
| Impulsivität (S) | 1 | 1 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (KL) | 1 | 1 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (S) | 1 | 1 | |
| Funktionelle Beeinträchtigung (S) | 1 | 2 | |
| Lebensqualität (S) | 4 | 9 | |
| Klinischer Gesamteindruck (KL) | 1 | 1 | |

Anmerkung. RCTs = Anzahl der randomisierten kontrollierten Studien, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: Meta-Analysen

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Aussagesicherheit (GRADE) | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Messinstrument |
|---------------------------|----------|---------------------------|--------------|------------|----------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (KU) | | | | | |

Liu, et al., 2024

Population: (Children, adolescents and adults with ADHD
 Intervention: TAU + internet-based cognitive behavioral therapy (iCBT, based on CBT/ psycho-education): self-guided and

Total ADHD symptoms, IBT vs. control

Low
 ⊕⊕○○
 (R, P)

n = 273, k = 3
 SMD = -0.49
 CI (-0.73 - -0.25)

I

No information regarding publication bias analysis done.

ADHD-RS, CAARS, SWAN, SNAP-IV, Conners-3

group-guided
CBT modules
Comparison:
Medication,
TAU, other
active control
groups, Waitlist

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen, k = Anzahl der inkludierten Primärstudien. R = risk of bias, IC = inconsistency, ID = indirectness, IP = imprecision, P = publication bias.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: RCTs

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Risk of Bias | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Mess-instrument |
|---|---|---------------------------------|---|---|------------------|
| ADHS-Symptome gesamt. Selbsturteil | | | | | |
| D'Amelio et al., 2025 Population: Adults (18 - 65) with confirmed ADHD Intervention: "Attaxis", a fully self-guided online Programm (PC) based on CBT and mindfulness principles + TAU (3 months) Comparison: TAU alone | ADHD total symptoms, 3 months, Pre-post | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 337$ $d = .85$ CI (.62 - 1.08) | | ASRS total score |
| | ADHD total symptoms, 6 months, Pre-follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 337$ $d = .61$ CI (.39 - .83) | | ASRS total score |
| Schuurmans et al., 2024 Population: Adults with ADHD Intervention: TAU + "ORIKO" (App based on CBT, MBCT, DBT, social skills training and peer-support) Comparison: TAU + Waitlist control | ADHD total symptoms | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 220$ $d = .58$ CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value. | ASRS |
| Selaskowski et al., 2023 Population: Adults with ADHD | ADHD total symptoms | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 34$ ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value. Both groups showed | ADHS-SB |

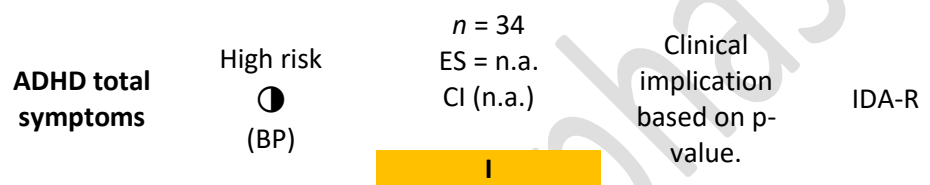
Intervention: Chatbot based self-guided psychoeducation (3weeks)
 Comparison: App based self-guided psychoeducation (3weeks)

significant improvement over time.

ADHS Symptome gesamt. Kliniker*innenurteil

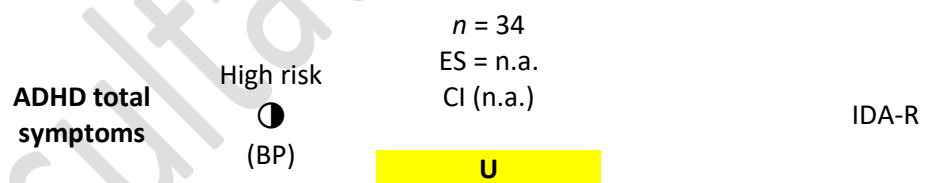
Selaskowski et al., 2022

Population: Adults with ADHD
 Intervention: App-supported group-psychoeducation
 Comparison: pen and paper (brochure) supported group-psychoeducation



Selaskowski et al., 2023

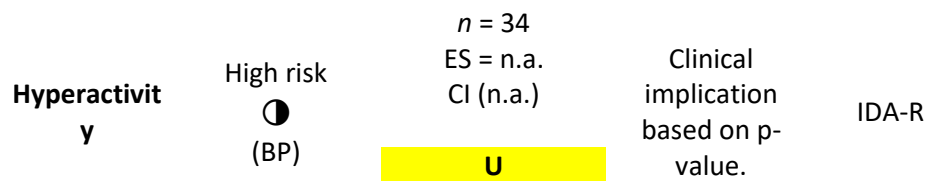
Population: Adults with ADHD
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 Comparison: App based self-guided psychoeducation (3weeks)



Hyperaktivität. Kliniker*innenurteil

Selaskowski et al., 2022

Population: Adults with ADHD
 Intervention: App-supported group-psychoeducation
 Comparison: pen and paper (brochure)



supported group-
psychoeducation

Selaskowski et al.,
2023

Population: Adults
with ADHD
Intervention: Chatbot
based self-guided
psychoeducation
(3weeks)
Comparison: App
based self-guided
psychoeducation
(3weeks)

Hyperactivit
y

High risk
●
(BP)

n = 34
ES = n.a.
CI (n.a.)

U

Clinical
implication
based on p-
value. Both
groups
showed
significant
improvement
over time.

IDA-R

Hyperaktivität. Selbsturteil

Selaskowski et al.,
2023

Population: Adults
with ADHD
Intervention: Chatbot
based self-guided
psychoeducation
(3weeks)
Comparison: App
based self-guided
psychoeducation
(3weeks)

Hyperactivit
y

Very high
risk
●
(BP, BA)

n = 34
ES = n.a.
CI (n.a.)

U

Clinical
implication
based on p-
value. Both
groups
showed
significant
improvement
over time.

ADHS-SB

Impulsivität. Kliniker*innenurteil

Selaskowski et al.,
2022

Population: Adults
with ADHD
Intervention: App-
supported group-
psychoeducation
Comparison: pen and
paper (brochure)
supported group-
psychoeducation

Impulsivity

High risk
●
(BP)

n = 34
ES = n.a.
CI (n.a.)

I

Clinical
implication
based on p-
value.

IDA-R

Selaskowski et al.,
2023

Impulsivity

High risk
●

n = 34
ES = n.a.
CI (n.a.)

Clinical
implication
based on p-

IDA-R

| | | | |
|--|------|----------|--|
| Population: Adults with ADHD Intervention: Chatbot based self-guided psychoeducation (3weeks) Comparison: App based self-guided psychoeducation (3weeks) | (BP) | U | value. Both groups showed significant improvement over time. |
|--|------|----------|--|

Impulsivität. Selbsturteil

| | | | | |
|--|-------------|---------------------------------|--|--|
| Selaskowski et al., 2023 | | | | |
| Population: Adults with ADHD Intervention: Chatbot based self-guided psychoeducation (3weeks) Comparison: App based self-guided psychoeducation (3weeks) | Impulsivity | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | n = 34 ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value. Both groups showed significant improvement over time. |
| | | | | ADHS-SB |

Aufmerksamkeit. Kliniker*innenurteil

| | | | | |
|--|-------------|------------------------|--|--|
| Selaskowski et al., 2023 | | | | |
| Population: Adults with ADHD Intervention: Chatbot based self-guided psychoeducation (3weeks) Comparison: App based self-guided psychoeducation (3weeks) | Inattention | High risk ● (BP) | n = 34 ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value. Both groups showed significant improvement over time. |
| | | | | IDA-R |

Aufmerksamkeit. Selbsturteil

| | | | | |
|------------------------------|-------------|---------------------------------|--|---|
| Selaskowski et al., 2023 | | | | |
| Population: Adults with ADHD | Inattention | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | n = 34 ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value. Both groups showed |
| | | | | ADHS-SB |

Intervention: Chatbot based self-guided psychoeducation (3weeks)
 Comparison: App based self-guided psychoeducation (3weeks)

significant improvement over time.





Funktionelle Beeinträchtigung. Selbsturteil

| | | | | |
|--|--|---------------------------------|--|---|
| D'Amelio et al., 2025 | Functional impairment, 3 months, Pre-post | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 337$ $d = .61$ CI (.38 - .84) | Work and Social Adjustment Scale (WSAS) |
| Population: Adults (18 - 65) with confirmed ADHD | | | | |
| Intervention: "Attexis", a fully self-guided online Programm (PC) based on CBT and mindfulness principles + TAU (3 months) | Functional impairment, 6 months, Pre-follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 337$ $d = .47$ CI (.24 - .70) | Work and Social Adjustment Scale (WSAS) |
| Comparison: TAU alone | | | | |

Lebensqualität. Selbsturteil

| | | | | |
|--|--|---------------------------------|--|---------|
| D'Amelio et al., 2025 | Quality of life, 3 months, Pre-post | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 337$ $d = .44$ CI (.22 - .66) | AQoL-8D |
| Population: Adults (18 - 65) with confirmed ADHD | | | | |
| Intervention: "Attexis", a fully self-guided online Programm (PC) based on CBT and mindfulness principles + TAU (3 months) | Quality of life, 6 months, Pre-follow-up | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 337$ $d = .47$ CI (.26 - .69) | AQoL-8D |
| Comparison: TAU alone | | | | |

| | | | | |
|---|---------------------------|---------------------------------|--|--|
| Kenter et al., 2023 | Quality of Life, pre-post | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 120$ $d = .53$ CI (.34 - .83) | Adult ADHD Quality of Life Measure (AAQoL) |
| Population: Adults (≥ 18) with self-reported ADHD diagnosis | | | | |

| | | | | | |
|---|--|--|--|---|---|
| <p>Intervention: "MyADHD"</p> <p>intervention: short-term, structured self-guided intervention with modified elements from CBT, DBT, and GMT.</p> <p>Accessible on smartphones, tablets, laptops, and personal computers</p> <p>Comparison: online psychoeducation module</p> | <p>Quality of Life, Pre-follow-up</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 120$ $d = .52$ CI (.32 - .84)</p>  | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value.</p> | <p>Adult ADHD Quality of Life Measure (AAQoL)</p> |
| <p>Schuurmans et al., 2024</p> | <p>QoL</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 220$ $d = 0.54$ CI (n.a.)</p>  | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value.</p> | <p>AAQoL</p> |
| <p>Selaskowski et al., 2023</p> | <p>QoL: physical health</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 34$ ES = n.a. CI (n.a.)</p>  | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value. Both groups showed significant improvement over time.</p> | <p>WHOQOL</p> |
| <p>Population: Adults with ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: Chatbot based self-guided psychoeducation (3weeks)</p> <p>Comparison: App based self-guided psychoeducation (3weeks)</p> | <p>QoL: psychological health</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 34$ ES = n.a. CI (n.a.)</p>  | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value.</p> | <p>WHOQOL</p> |
| | <p>QoL: social relationships</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 34$ ES = n.a. CI (n.a.)</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value.</p> | <p>WHOQOL</p> |

| | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------|--|
| | | | C | |
| QoL: environmental factors | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 34$ ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) | U | Clinical implication based on p-value. WHOQOL |

Klinischer Gesamteindruck. Kliniker*innenurteil

Schuurmans et al., 2024

Population: Adults with ADHD
Intervention: TAU + "ORIKO" (App based on CBT, MBCT, DBT, social skills training and peer-support)
Comparison: TAU + Waitlist control

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|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------|---|
| Clinical Global Impression | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 220$ $d = 0.69$ CI (n.a.) | I | Clinical implication based on p-value. CGI-S |
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Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen. SG = sequence generation, CC = concealment, BP = blinding participants, BA = blinding assessors, ID = incomplete data, OR = outcome reporting, CE = carry over effects, SX = stopped early, UM = unvalidated measures, OI = other issue.

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Konsultationsphase

1.4.2 Neurofeedback

1.4.2.1. Wann kann Neurofeedback als Behandlungsoption bei ADHS eingesetzt werden? 1.4.2.2. Wie soll Neurofeedback bei ADHS durchgeführt werden?

1.4.2.1. A & 1.4.2.2. A

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Meta-Analysen (identisch für beide Empfehlungen)

| Endpunktkategorien | MAAs | m | Gesamt |
|----------------------------------|------|----|----------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (E) | 3 | 5 | Moderat (KiJu); Schwach (Erw) |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (L) | 1 | 2 | |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (S) | 1 | 3 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (KU) | 1 | 19 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (E) | 6 | 21 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (L) | 4 | 8 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (S) | 1 | 3 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (T) | 5 | 13 | |
| Hyperaktivität/ Impulsivität (E) | 6 | 23 | |
| Hyperaktivität/ Impulsivität (L) | 4 | 8 | |
| Hyperaktivität/ Impulsivität (S) | 1 | 3 | |
| Impulsivität (T) | 2 | 3 | |
| Arbeitsgedächtnis (T) | 2 | 2 | |

Anmerkung. MAAs = Anzahl der Meta-Analysen, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: RCTs (nur 1.4.2.2.)

| Endpunktkategorien | RCTs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|-----------------------------------|------|----|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (E) | 3 | 10 | Moderat (KiJu); Schwach (Erw) |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (L) | 2 | 6 | |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (KL) | 1 | 1 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (KU) | 2 | 15 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (E) | 4 | 16 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (L) | 1 | 1 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (KL) | 1 | 2 | |
| Hyperaktivität/ Impulsivität (E) | 3 | 16 | |
| Hyperaktivität/ Impulsivität (L) | 1 | 2 | |
| Hyperaktivität/ Impulsivität (KL) | 1 | 2 | |
| Inhibition (E) | 1 | 1 | |

Anmerkung. RCTs = Anzahl der randomisierten kontrollierten Studien, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: Meta-Analysen

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Aussagesicherheit (GRADE) | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Messinstrument |
|---|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--|--|---|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| Chung, et al., 2022 | ADHD symptoms total, proximal raters | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 691, k = 13$ $g = .26$ CI (.06 - .46) | Proximal raters: closest to participant, mostly parents. | Conners-3, ARS, CPRS, FBB-HSK, CRS |
| Yan, et al., 2019 | ADHD symptoms total | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 1231, k = 14$ SMD = -.50 CI (-.81 - -.19) | | IOWA-Conners, Conners parents, SWAN, TOVA-1, ADHD-RS, VADTRS, SNAP-IV |
| Lin, et al., 2022 | ADHD total symptoms | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R) | $n = 305, k = 5$ | | ADHD RS, Chinese |

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|---|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|----------|--|
| Population: Children with ADHD, 8-11 years | | | $g = .29$ CI (.02 - .56) | | ADHD rating scale, Barkley's Defiant Children, Chinese Conners rating scale |
| Intervention: Combined EEG- Neurofeedback (TB) and medication | | | | I | |
| Comparison: Medication | ADHD total symptoms, follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 196, k = 3$ $g = .48$ CI (-.24 - 1.20) | | ADHD RS, Barkley's Defiant Children, Chinese Conners rating scale |
| | | | | U | |

ADHS Symptome gesamt. Lehrer*innenurteil

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|---|---|---------------------------------|---|----------|---|---|
| Yan, et al., 2019 | ADHD symptoms total | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 228, k = 4$ $SMD = -.58$ CI (-1.06 - -.09) | | MA could not inform on sustained effect of NF and MPH directly, considered MPH combined with other active treatments (attention training, cognitive training, physical activity training and self- management) | Barkley, SWAN, ADHD-RS, VADTRS |
| Population: children and adolescence with ADHD, >18 years | | | | C | | |
| Intervention: Neurofeedback | | | | | | |
| Comparison: Medication (MPH) | ADHD symptoms total, follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = 198, k = 3$ $SMD = -.19$ CI (-.53 - .15) | | | Barkley, SWAN, ADHD-RS, VADTRS |
| | | | | U | | |

ADHS Symptome gesamt. Selbsturteil

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|--|------------------------|------------------------------------|---|----------|--|--|
| Fan, et al., 2022 | ADHD total symptoms | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP, P) | $n = 169, k = 3$ $SMD = -.07$ CI (-.48 - .31) | | | CAARS, CRS- R, ADHD rating self- report |
| Population: Adolescents and adults with ADHD, 6-60 years | | | | U | | |

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|---|--|--------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| Intervention: EEG-Neurofeedback (TB/ SCP) Comparison: Waitlist, treatment as usual, other intervention (MPH, sham) | ADHD total symptoms, follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P) | $n = 135, k = 2$ $SMD = .22$ $CI (-.13 - .57)$ | CAARS, ADHD rating self-report |
| | ADHD total symptoms, EEG-NF vs. waitlist/ TAU | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P) | $n = 94, k = 2$ $SMD = -.29$ $CI (-.71 - .13)$ | CRS-R, ADHD rating self-report |

Aufmerksamkeit. Kombiniertes Urteil

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| Lee, et al., 2022 Population: Children and adolescents with ADHD, 6-18 years Intervention: Neurofeedback Theta/Beta training based Comparison: Within-group and between-group (wait list, TAU, attention skills training, behavioral training, physical activity, medication, other types of NF, EMG-biofeedback) | Attention, within-group, pre- vs. post-treatment | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = 317, k = 12$ $g = .65$ $CI (.45 - .84)$ | No significance level specified. Total number of training sessions 15 - 40, each session lasted 15 - 180 min, treatment duration 3 - 20 weeks | Conners, FBBHKS/ ADHS, ADHD-RS, SWAN, EDAA and bp/d2 Test; CPT, CPT-II AOT, TOVA |
| | Attention, within-group, pre-/ follow-up (3-20 weeks after) | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, ID) | $n = 155, k = 4$ $g = .87$ $CI (.58 - 1.16)$ | No significance level specified. | Conners 3rd edition, SWAN, ADHD-RS-IV CPRSR and CPT AOT, CPT-II |
| | Attention, post-treatment | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 317, k = 12$ $g = .20$ $CI (-.11 - .51)$ | | Conners, FBBHKS/ ADHS, ADHD-RS, SWAN, EDAA and bp/d2 Test; CPT, CPT-II AOT, TOVA |
| | Attention, within-group, pre-/ post-treatment | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = 310, k = 11$ $g = .72$ $CI (.44 - .99)$ | Only parent-, teacher- or self-report; no significance level specified | CPRS, Conners 3, SWAN, FBBHKS/ADHS, CPRS, CTRS, ADHD-RS, |

| | | | | EDAH |
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| Attention, within-group, pre-/ follow-up | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, ID) | $n = n.a., k = 2$ $g = 1.25$ CI (.68 - 1.81) | I | Only parent-, teacher- or self-report; no measuring instrument reported; no significance level specified n.a. |
| Attention, post-treatment | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, IP) | $n = 310, k = 11$ $g = -.02$ CI (-.34 - .31) | U | CPRS, Conners 3, SWAN, FBB-HKS/ADHS, CPRS, CTRS, ADHD-RS, EDIH |
| Attention, NF vs. wait list, post-treatment | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = 19, k = 1$ $g = .17$ CI (-.65 - .99) | U | ADHD-RS |
| Attention, NF vs. no treatment, post-treatment | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, IC) | $n = 76, k = 3$ $g = 1.25$ CI (.14 - 2.36) | I | ADHD-RS, EDIH, TOVA, CPT |
| Attention, NF vs. physical activity, post-treatment | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, IP) | $n = 40, k = 2$ $g = .31$ CI (-.49 - 1.10) | U | SWAN, AOT, CPT |
| Attention, NF vs. medication, post-treatment | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, IP) | $n = 98, k = 4$ $g = -.25$ CI (-.89 - .39) | U | SWAN, ADHD-RS, EDIH, AOT, TOVA |

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| Attention, NF vs. other NF protocols, post-treatment | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 126, k = 3$ $g = -.06$ CI (-.52 - .41) | | ADHD-RS, CPRS, Conners 3, d2, CPT |
| Attention, NF vs. EMG-biofeedback, post-treatment | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, IP) | $n = 31, k = 2$ $g = .44$ CI (-.07 - .94) | | FBB-HKS/ADHS, CPRS, CTRS, bp/d2, CPT |
| Attention, NF vs. combined medication and NF, post-treatment | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = 33, k = 1$ $g = -.09$ CI (-.57 - .40) | | EDAH, TOVA |
| Attention, within-group (RCT), pre-/ post-treatment | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = 187, k = 7$ $g = .75$ CI (.45 - 1.05) | No significance level specified. No information on IC. | FBB-HKS/ADHS, CPRS, CTRS, Conners 3, SWAN, ADHD-RS, bp/d2, CPT, AOT |
| Attention, within-group (non-RCT), pre-/ post-treatment | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = 130, k = 5$ $g = .51$ CI (.24 - .78) | No significance level specified | CPRS, ADHD-RS, EDAH, d2, CPT, TOVA |
| Attention, RCT, pre-/ post-treatment | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (IP) | $n = 187, k = 7$ $g = .12$ CI (-.31 - .55) | No significance level specified | FBB-HKS/ADHS, CPRS, CTRS, Conners 3, SWAN, ADHD-RS, bp/d2, CPT, AOT |
| Attention, non-RCT, pre-/ post-treatment | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, IP) | $n = 130, k = 5$ $g = .14$ | No significance level specified | CPRS, ADHD-RS, EDAH, d2, CPT, TOVA |

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| | | | CI (-.27 - .55) | | |
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| Attention, within-group (non-RCT), pre-/follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = \text{n.a.}, k = 1$ $g = .57$ CI (-.27 - 1.41) | No significance level specified | | n.a. |
| | | | U | | |
| Attention, within-group (RCT), pre-/follow-up | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, ID) | $n = \text{n.a.}, k = 3$ $g = .90$ CI (.55 - 1.25) | No significance level specified | | n.a. |
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| Aufmerksamkeit. Elternurteil | | | | | |

Chung, et al., 2022

Population:
Children and adolescents with ADHD, 8-17 years

Intervention:
EEG-Neurofeedback
Comparison:
Treatment as usual, wait list, EMG-biofeedback, computerized attention training, cognitive interventions, physical activities, placebo feedback

Inattention, proximal rater

Very low
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(R, IC)

$n = 1191, k = 19$
 $g = .29$
CI (.05 - .47)

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Treatment sessions between 20 and 40; proximal raters: closest to participant, mostly parents.

Conners-3, CPRS, ARS, SWAN, FBB-ADHS, CBCL, CRS, FBB-HSK, IOWA-Conners

Lin, et al., 2022

Inattention

Low
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(R)

$n = 305, k = 5$

ADHD RS, Chinese

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|---|--|--------------------------------------|---|---|--|
| <p>Population: Children with ADHD, 8-11 years</p> <p>Intervention: Combined EEG-Neurofeedback (TB) and medication</p> <p>Comparison: Medication</p> | | | <p>$g = .33$ CI (.05 - .61)</p> <p>I</p> | | <p>ADHD rating scale, Barkley's Defiant Children, Chinese Conners rating scale</p> |
| | <p>Inattention, follow-up</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC)</p> | <p>$n = 193, k = 3$ $g = .57$ CI (-.04 - 1.18)</p> <p>U</p> | | <p>ADHD RS, Barkley's Defiant Children, Chinese Conners rating scale</p> |
| <p>Rahmani, et al., 2022</p> <p>Population: Participants with ADHD (no restriction of age)</p> <p>Intervention: EEG-Neurofeedback</p> <p>Comparison: treatment as usual, wait list, EMG-biofeedback, computerized attention training, cognitive interventions, physical activities, placebo feedback</p> | <p>Inattention</p> | <p>Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (IP)</p> | <p>$n = 962, k = 13$ $MD = .00$ CI (-.23 - .23)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Study used weighted mean difference (WMD).</p> | <p>CPRS, ADHD-RS</p> |
| <p>Riesco-Matías, et al., 2021</p> <p>Population: Children and</p> | <p>Inattention, NF vs. nonactive control group, post-</p> | <p>Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, IC)</p> | <p>$n = 674, k = 11$ $g = -.33$ CI (-.56 - -.10)</p> | | <p>FBB-HKS, ADHD rating scale, DSM questionnaire for ADHD,</p> |

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| adolescents with ADHD, < 18 years Intervention: EEG-Neurofeedback (theta/beta, SCP, SMR) Comparison: control group: active and nonactive conditions (e.g. cognitive training, EMG biofeedback, waitlist) | pretreatment difference | | | I | Conners, SWAN |
| | Inattention, NF vs. stimulant control group, post-pretreatment difference | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = 258, k = 6$ $g = .57$ CI (.27 - .87) | C | most-proximal evaluator rating |
| | Inattention, NF vs. stimulant control group, posttreatment difference | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 258, k = 6$ $g = .33$ CI (-.07 - .73) | U | Most-proximal evaluator rating n.a. |
| Van Doren, et al., 2019 Population: Children and adolescence with ADHD, <18 years Intervention: Neurofeedback (theta/beta and SCP) Comparison: active and passive controls: wait list, MPH, physical activity, attention training, self-management, cognitive training | Inattention, within-group, pre-post | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, P) | $n = 256, k = 10$ $SMD = .64$ CI (.45 - .82) | I | FBB-HKS, Conners, ADHS RS-IV, Barkley, SWAN |
| | Inattention, within-group, pre-follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, P) | $n = 256, k = 10$ $SMD = .80$ CI (.58 - 1.01) | I | Exact sample size for follow-up not specified in study, only possible maximum number calculated by study itself. FBB-HKS, Conners, ADHS RS-IV, Barkley, SWAN |
| | Inattention, within-group, post-follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P) | $n = 256, k = 10$ $SMD = .14$ CI (-.03 - .31) | U | Exact sample size for follow-up not specified in study, only possible maximum number calculated by study itself. FBB-HKS, Conners, ADHS RS-IV, Barkley, SWAN |
| | Inattention, pre-post | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP, P) | $n = 506, k = 10$ $SMD = .09$ CI (-.22 - .40) | U | FBB-HKS, Conners, ADHS RS-IV, Barkley, SWAN |

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| Inattention, pre-follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP, P) | $n = 506, k = 10$ $SMD = .31$ $CI (-.01 - .63)$ U | Exact sample size for follow-up not specified in study, only possible maximum number calculated by study itself. | FBB-HKS, Conners, ADHS RS-IV, Barkley, SWAN |
| Inattention, post-follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP, P) | $n = 506, k = 10$ $SMD = .15$ $CI (-.07 - .37)$ U | Exact sample size for follow-up not specified in study, only possible maximum number calculated by study itself. | FBB-HKS, Conners, ADHS RS-IV, Barkley, SWAN |
| Inattention, NF vs. non- active controls, pre- post | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, P) | $n = 351, k = 6$ $SMD = .38$ $CI (.14 - .61)$ I | | FBB-HKS, Conners, ADHS RS-IV, Barkley, SWAN |
| Inattention, NF vs. non- active controls, pre- follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, PB) | $n = 351, k = 6$ $SMD = .57$ $CI (.34 - .81)$ I | Exact sample size for follow-up not specified in study, only possible maximum number calculated by study itself. | FBB-HKS, Conners, ADHS RS-IV, Barkley, SWAN |
| Inattention, NF vs. non- active controls, post- follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P) | $n = 351, k = 6$ $SMD = .17$ $CI (-.04 - .45)$ U | Exact sample size for follow-up not specified in study, only possible maximum number calculated by study itself. | FBB-HKS, Conners, ADHS RS-IV, Barkley, SWAN |
| Inattention, NF vs. active controls, pre-post | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, P) | $n = 155, k = 4$ $SMD = -.44$ $CI (-.86 - -.02)$ C | Active treatment defined as medication or psychotherapy started after pre-treatment. | FBB-HKS, Conners, ADHS RS-IV, Barkley, SWAN |

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| | Inattention, NF vs. active controls, pre-follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP, P) | $n = 155, k = 4$ $SMD = -.21$ $CI (-.71 - .29)$ U | Active treatment defined as medication or psychotherapy started after pre-treatment. Exact sample size for follow-up not specified in study, only possible maximum number calculated by study itself | FBB-HKS, Conners, ADHS RS-IV, Barkley, SWAN |
| | Inattention, NF vs. active controls, post-follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP, P) | $n = 155, k = X$ $SMD = .12$ $CI (-.50 - .75)$ U | Active treatment defined as medication or psychotherapy started after pre-treatment. Exact sample size for follow-up not specified in study, only possible maximum number calculated by study itself. | FBB-HKS, Conners, ADHS RS-IV, Barkley, SWAN |
| Yan, et al., 2019 | Inattention | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 844, k = 10$ $SMD = -.41$ $CI (-.73 - -.09)$ C | | IOWA-Conners, Conners parents, SWAN, TOVA-1, ADHD-RS, VADTRS, SNAP-IV |
| | Population: children and adolescence with ADHD, >18 years Intervention: Neurofeedback Comparison: Medication (MPH) | Inattention, follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 804, k = 9$ $SMD = .45$ $CI (.04 - .86)$ I | IOWA-Conners, Conners parents, SWAN, TOVA-1, ADHD-RS, VADTRS, SNAP-IV |

Chung, et al.,
2022

Population:
Children with
ADHD, 8-13
years
Intervention:
EEG-
Neurofeedback
Comparison:
Treatment as
usual, wait list,
EMG-
biofeedback,
computerized
attention
training,
cognitive
interventions,
physical
activities,
placebo
feedback

Inattention

Low
⊕⊕○○
(R, IC)

$n = 1069, k = 14$
 $SMD = .24$
 $CI (.07 - .41)$



Conners-3,
CTRS, ARS,
SWAN, FBB-
ADHS, CBCL,
CRS, FBB-
HSK, IOWA-
Conners,
CGAS, SCAMP

Rahmani, et al.,
2022

Population:
Participants
with ADHD (no
restriction of
age)
Intervention:
EEG-
Neurofeedback
Comparison:
treatment as
usual, wait list,
EMG-
biofeedback,
computerized
attention
training,
cognitive
interventions,
physical
activities,
placebo
feedback

Inattention

Low
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(IC, IP)

$n = 1009, k = 10$
 $MD = .12$
 $CI (-.14 - .38)$



Study used
weighted mean
difference (WMD).

CPRS, ADHD-
RS

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| | Inattention, NF vs. nonactive control group, post-pretreatment difference | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (IC) | $n = 573, k = 9$ $g = -.25$ CI (-.45 - -.04) | FBB-HKS, ADHD rating scale, DSM questionnaire for ADHD, Conners, SWAN |
| Riesco-Matías, et al., 2021 | Inattention, NF vs. nonactive control group, posttreatment difference | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = 479, k = 8$ $g = -.16$ CI (-.34 - .03) | FBB-HKS, ADHD rating scale, DSM questionnaire for ADHD, Conners, SWAN |
| Population: Children and adolescents with ADHD, < 18 years Intervention: EEG-Neurofeedback (theta/beta, SCP, SMR) Comparison: control group: active and nonactive conditions (e.g. cognitive training, EMG biofeedback, waitlist) | Inattention, NF vs. stimulant control group, post-pretreatment difference | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (IC) | $n = 169, k = 5$ $g = .70$ CI (-.01 - 1.41) | FBB-HKS, ADHD rating scale, DSM questionnaire for ADHD, Conners, SWAN |
| | Inattention, NF vs. stimulant control group, posttreatment difference | Low ⊕⊕○○ (IC, IP) | $n = 128, k = 5$ $g = .78$ CI (.19 - 1.36) | ADHD rating scale, Conners, SWAN, Barkley's Defiant Children, Vanderbilt ADHD diagnostic rating scale |
| Yan, et al., 2019 | Inattention | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 228, k = 4$ $SMD = -.68$ CI (-1.25 - -.11) | Barkley, SWAN, ADHD-RS, VADTRS |
| Population: children and adolescence with ADHD, >18 years Intervention: Neurofeedback Comparison: Medication (MPH) | Inattention, follow-up | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R) | $n = 188, k = 3$ $SMD = -.49$ | Barkley, SWAN, ADHD-RS, VADTRS |

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Aufmerksamkeit. Selbsturteil

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| <p>Fan, et al., 2022</p> <p>Population: Adolescents and adults with ADHD, 6-60 years</p> <p>Intervention: EEG-Neurofeedback (TB/ SCP)</p> <p>Comparison: Waitlist, treatment as usual, other intervention (MPH, sham)</p> | <p>Inattention</p> | <p>Very low</p> <p>⊕○○○</p> <p>(R, IC, IP, P)</p> | <p>$n = 231, k = 4$</p> <p>$SMD = -.14$</p> <p>CI (-.50 - .22)</p> | <p>Barkley's Defiant Children self-report, CAARS, CRS-R, ADHD rating self-report</p> |
| | <p>Inattention, follow-up</p> | <p>Very low</p> <p>⊕○○○</p> <p>(R, IC, IP, P)</p> | <p>$n = 187, k = 3$</p> <p>$SMD = -.13$</p> <p>CI (-.59 - .33)</p> | <p>CAARS, ADHD rating self-report, Barkley's Defiant Children self-report</p> |
| | <p>Inattention, EEG-NF vs. waitlist/ TAU</p> | <p>Very low</p> <p>⊕○○○</p> <p>(R, IP, P)</p> | <p>$n = 95, k = 2$</p> <p>$SMD = -.48$</p> <p>CI (-.90 - .06)</p> | <p>CRS-R, ADHD rating self-report</p> |

Aufmerksamkeit. Kognitive Tests

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| <p>Chiu, et al., 2022</p> <p>Population: Participants with ADHD (mean age 14.96, range 8.66-37.8)</p> <p>Intervention: EEG-Neurofeedback (different NF protocols)</p> <p>Comparison: active</p> | <p>Selective attention</p> | <p>Very low</p> <p>⊕○○○</p> <p>(R, P)</p> | <p>$n = 318, k = 6$</p> <p>$SMD = .07$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> | <p>Significantly poorer therapeutic outcomes in studies that involved participants who were unaware of treatment allocation compared to those studies without blinding of treatment allocation ($p = 0.006$).</p> | <p>CPT, ANT, KiTAP, TAP</p> |
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| treatment or inactive treatment (waitlist or TAU) | Attentional performance | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, P) | $n = 595, k = 14$ $g = .29$ CI (.09 - .49) | | CPT, SST, d2 test, Stroop task, working memory test, subtests of Wechsler intelligence test, ANT |
| | Sustained attention: omission | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, P) | $n = 170, k = 4$ $g = .32$ CI (.08 - .63) | | Go/ No Go, CPT, SST, KiTAP |
| | Sustained attention: reaction time | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, P) | $n = 339, k = 6$ $g = .11$ CI (n.a.) | | Go/ No Go, CPT, Auditory oddball, SST, KiTAP, TAP |
| | Attentional performance, follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, P) | $n = 197, k = 3$ ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | CPT, SST, d2 test, Stroop task, working memory test, subtests of Wechsler intelligence test, ANT |
| | Sustained attention complete | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, P) | $n = 339, k = 6$ $g = .32$ CI (n.a.) | Sustained attention complete includes omission und reaction | Go/ No Go, CPT, Auditory oddball, SST, KiTAP, TAP |
| | Lee, et al., 2022 | Attention, within-group, pre-/ post-treatment | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, IP) | $n = 133, k = 6$ $g = .41$ CI (-.06 - .89) | Only neuropsychological and behavioral measures |
| Population: Children and adolescents with ADHD, 6-18 years | Attention, within-group, | Very low ⊕○○○ | $n = 42, k = 2$ | Only neuropsychological | d2, CPT |

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| Intervention: Neurofeedback Theta/Beta training based Comparison: Within-group and between- group (wait list, TAU, attention skills training, behavioral training, physical activity, medication, other types of NF, EMG- biofeedback) | pre-/ follow- up | (R, ID, IP) | $g = -.12$ CI (-.84 - .61) | and behavioral measures |
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| Intervention: Attention, between- group, post- treatment Low $\oplus\oplus\bigcirc\bigcirc$ (R, IP, P) | Attention, between- group, post- treatment | Low $\oplus\oplus\bigcirc\bigcirc$ (R, IP, P) | $n = 133, k = 6$ $g = .33$ CI (-.11 - .74) | Only neuropsychological and behavioral measures bp, d2, TOVA, CPT, AOT |
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| Lin, et al., 2022 | | | | |
| Population: Children with ADHD, 8-11 years Intervention: Combined EEG- Neurofeedback (TB) and medication Comparison: Medication | Attentional performance | Very low $\oplus\bigcirc\bigcirc\bigcirc$ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 180, k = 3$ $g = .12$ CI (-.35 - .59) | ADHD RS, CPT, d2-Test |
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| Louthrenoo, et al., 2022 | | | | |
| Population: Children and adolescence with ADHD, 5-18 years Intervention: Neurofeedback (TBR und SCP protocol) Comparison: control group, waiting list, treatment as usual | Sustained attention | Very low $\oplus\bigcirc\bigcirc\bigcirc$ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 349, k = 9$ $SMD = -.11$ CI (-.36 - .13) | Continuous Performance Task, D2 Attention, Go/No-Go Task, and Attention Network Test |
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| <p>Yan, et al., 2019</p> <p>Population: children and adolescence with ADHD, >18 years</p> | <p>Inattention</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 440, k = 6$ $SMD = -.96$ $CI (-1.71 - -.21)$</p> | <p>IVA-CPT</p> |
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| <p>Intervention: Neurofeedback Comparison: Medication (MPH)</p> | <p>Inattention, follow-up</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 224, k = 3$ $SMD = .38$ $CI (-.79 - 1.56)$</p> | <p>IVA-CPT</p> |
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| Hyperaktivität/ Impulsivität. Elternurteil | | | | |
| <p>Chung, et al., 2022</p> | <p>Hyperactivity/ impulsivity, proximal raters</p> | <p>Low ⊕⊕○○ (R)</p> | <p>$n = 952, k = 16$ $g = .16$ $CI (.03 - .29)$</p> | <p>Proximal raters: closest to participant, mostly parents. Conners-3, CPRS, ARS, SWAN, FBB- ADHS, CRS, FBB-HSK</p> |
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| <p>Lin, et al., 2022</p> <p>Population: Children with ADHD, 8-11 years</p> | <p>Hyperactivity/ impulsivity</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 305, k = 5$ $g = .17$ $CI (-.05 - .40)$</p> | <p>ADHD RS, Chinese ADHD rating scale, Barkley's Defiant Children,</p> |
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| Intervention: Combined EEG-Neurofeedback (TB) and medication | | | | Chinese Conners rating scale | |
| Comparison: Medication | Hyperactivity/impulsivity, follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 193, k = 3$ $g = .33$ CI (-.34 - 1.01) | ADHD RS, Barkley's Defiant Children, Chinese Conners rating | |
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| Rahmani, et al., 2022 | | | | | |
| Population: Participants with ADHD (no restriction of age) Intervention: EEG-Neurofeedback Comparison: treatment as usual, wait list, EMG-biofeedback, computerized attention training, cognitive interventions, physical activities, placebo feedback | Hyperactivity/impulsivity | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (IP) | $n = 962, k = 13$ $MD = -.02$ CI (-.26 - .21) | The study used weighted mean difference (WMD). | CPRS, ADHD-RS |
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| Riesco-Matías, et al., 2021 | Hyperactivity/impulsivity, NF vs. nonactive control group, post-pretreatment difference | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = 674, k = 11$ $g = -.17$ CI (-.33 - .02) | most-proximal evaluator rating, often parent-rating | FBB-HKS, ADHD rating scale, DSM questionnaire for ADHD, Conners, SWAN |
| Intervention: EEG-Neurofeedback (theta/beta, SCP, SMR) | Hyperactivity/impulsivity, | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, IC) | $n = 674, k = 11$ $g = -.24$ | most-proximal evaluator rating, often parent-rating | FBB-HKS, ADHD rating scale, DSM |

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| Comparison: control group: active and nonactive conditions (e.g. cognitive training, EMG biofeedback, waitlist) | NF vs. nonactive control group, post- pretreatment difference | | CI (-.39 - -. .08) | | questionnaire for ADHD, Conners, SWAN |
| | Hyperactivity/ impulsivity, NF vs. nonactive control group, posttreatment difference | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | <i>n</i> = 674, <i>k</i> = 11 <i>g</i> = -.20 CI (-.36 - -. .05) | most-proximal evaluator rating, often parent-rating | FBB-HKS, ADHD rating scale, DSM questionnaire for ADHD, Conners, SWAN |
| | Hyperactivity/ impulsivity, NF vs. stimulant control group, post- pretreatment difference | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, IC) | <i>n</i> = 258, <i>k</i> = 6 <i>g</i> = .26 CI (.02 - .51) | most-proximal evaluator rating | n.a. |
| | Hyperactivity/ impulsivity, NF vs. stimulant control group, posttreatment difference | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | <i>n</i> = 258, <i>k</i> = 6 <i>g</i> = .33 CI (-.10 - .76) | most-proximal evaluator rating | n.a. |
| Van Doren, et al., 2019 | Hyperactivity/ impulsivity, within-group, pre-post | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, P) | <i>n</i> = 256, <i>k</i> = 10 <i>SMD</i> = .50 CI (.33 - .68) | | FBB-HKS, Conners, ADHS RS-IV, Barkley, SWAN |
| Population: Children and adolescence with ADHD, <18 years Intervention: Neurofeedback (theta/beta and SCP) Comparison: active and passive controls: wait | Hyperactivity/ impulsivity, within-group, pre-follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, P) | <i>n</i> = 256, <i>k</i> = 10 <i>SMD</i> = .61 CI (.43 - .79) | Exact sample size for follow-up not specified in study, only possible maximum number calculated by study itself. | FBB-HKS, Conners, ADHS RS-IV, Barkley, SWAN |

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| list, MPH, physical activity, attention training, self- management, cognitive training | Hyperactivity/ impulsivity, within-group, post-follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P) | $n = 256, k = 10$ $SMD = .11$ $CI (-.06 - .28)$ U | Exact sample size for follow-up not specified in study, only possible maximum number calculated by study itself. | FBB-HKS, Conners, ADHS RS-IV, Barkley, SWAN |
| | Hyperactivity/ impulsivity, pre-post | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P) | $n = 506, k = 10$ $SMD = .16$ $CI (-.02 - .33)$ U | | n.a. |
| | Hyperactivity/ impulsivity, pre-follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, P) | $n = 506, k = 10$ $SMD = .32$ $CI (.15 - .49)$ I | Exact sample size for follow-up not specified in study, only possible maximum number calculated by study itself. | FBB-HKS, Conners, ADHS RS-IV, Barkley, SWAN |
| | Hyperactivity/ impulsivity, post-follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP, P) | $n = 506, k = 10$ $SMD = .15$ $CI (-.02 - .32)$ U | Exact sample size for follow-up not specified in study, only possible maximum number calculated by study itself. | FBB-HKS, Conners, ADHS RS-IV, Barkley, SWAN |
| | Hyperactivity/ impulsivity, between- group (non- active controls), pre-post | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, P) | $n = 351, k = 6$ $SMD = .25$ $CI (.05 - .45)$ I | | FBB-HKS, Conners, ADHS RS-IV, Barkley, SWAN |
| | Hyperactivity/ impulsivity, between- group (non- active controls), pre-follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, P) | $n = 351, k = 6$ $SMD = .39$ $CI (.19 - .59)$ I | Exact sample size for follow-up not specified in study, only possible maximum number calculated by study itself. | FBB-HKS, Conners, ADHS RS-IV, Barkley, SWAN |

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| | Hyperactivity/impulsivity, between-group (non-active Controls), post-follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP, P) | $n = 351, k = 6$ $SMD = .14$ $CI (-.06 - .34)$ U | Exact sample size for follow-up not specified in study, only possible maximum number calculated by study itself. | FBB-HKS, Conners, ADHS RS-IV, Barkley, SWAN |
| | Hyperactivity/impulsivity, between-group (active controls), pre-post | Very low ⊕○○○ (IC, IP, P) | $n = 155, k = 4$ $SMD = -.07$ $CI (-.39 - .24)$ U | | FBB-HKS, Conners, ADHS RS-IV, Barkley, SWAN |
| | Hyperactivity/impulsivity, between-group (active controls), pre-follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P) | $n = 155, k = 4$ $SMD = .15$ $CI (-.17 - .46)$ U | Exact sample size for follow-up not specified in study, only possible maximum number calculated by study itself. | FBB-HKS, Conners, ADHS RS-IV, Barkley, SWAN |
| | Hyperactivity/impulsivity, between-group (active controls), post-follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP, P) | $n = 155, k = 4$ $SMD = .22$ $CI (-.20 - .64)$ U | Exact sample size for follow-up not specified in study, only possible maximum number calculated by study itself. | FBB-HKS, Conners, ADHS RS-IV, Barkley, SWAN |
| Yan, et al., 2019 | Hyperactivity/impulsivity | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 985, k = 12$ $SMD = -.51$ $CI (-.89 - -.13)$ C | | IOWA-Conners, Conners parents, SWAN, TOVA-1, ADHD-RS, VADTRS, SNAP-IV |
| Population: children and adolescence with ADHD, >18 years Intervention: Neurofeedback Comparison: Medication (MPH) | Hyperactivity/impulsivity, follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 859, k = 10$ $SMD = .69$ $CI (.40 - .97)$ I | | IOWA-Conners, Conners parents, SWAN, TOVA-1, ADHD-RS, |

Hyperaktivität/ Impulsivität. Lehrer*innenurteil

Chung, et al.,
2022

Population:
Children with
ADHD, 8-13
years
Intervention:
EEG-
Neurofeedback
Comparison:
Treatment as
usual, wait list,
EMG-
biofeedback,
computerized
attention
training,
cognitive
interventions,
physical
activities,
placebo
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Hyperactivity/
impulsivity,
distal rater

Low
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(R, IC)

$n = 846, k = 13$
 $g = .17$
CI (.00 - .33)

Distal rater: less
close to participant
(mostly teachers).

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CTRS, ARS,
SWAN, FBB-
ADHS, CBCL,
CRS, FBB-
HSK, IOWA-
Conners,
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Rahmani, et al.,
2022

Population:
Participants
with ADHD (no
restriction of
age)
Intervention:
EEG-
Neurofeedback
Comparison:
treatment as
usual, wait list,
EMG-
biofeedback,
computerized
attention
training,
cognitive
interventions,

Hyperactivity/
impulsivity

Very low
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(IC, IP)

$n = 1009, k = 10$
 $MD = .01$
CI (-.46 - .48)

Study used
weighted mean
difference (WMD).

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| physical activities, placebo feedback | Hyperactivity/impulsivity, NF vs. nonactive control group, post-pretreatment difference | Low ⊕⊕○○ (IC, IP) | n = 573, k = 9 g = -.16 CI (-.32 - .01) | U | FBB-HKS, ADHD rating scale, DSM questionnaire for ADHD, Conners, SWAN |
| Riesco-Matías, et al., 2021 | Hyperactivity/impulsivity, NF vs. nonactive control group, posttreatment difference | Low ⊕⊕○○ (IC, IP) | n = 479, k = 8 g = -.11 CI (-.32 - .10) | U | FBB-HKS, ADHD rating scale, DSM questionnaire for ADHD, Conners, SWAN |
| Population: Children and adolescents with ADHD, < 18 years Intervention: EEG-Neurofeedback (theta/beta, SCP, SMR) Comparison: control group: active and nonactive conditions (e.g. cognitive training, EMG biofeedback, waitlist) | Hyperactivity/impulsivity, NF vs. stimulant control group, post-pretreatment difference | Low ⊕⊕○○ (IC, IP) | n = 150, k = 4 g = .36 CI (-.22 - .94) | U | probably blinded evaluator rating ADHD rating scale, Conners, SWAN, Barley's Defiant Children, Vanderbilt ADHD diagnostic rating scale |
| | Hyperactivity/impulsivity, NF vs. stimulant control group, posttreatment difference | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (IC) | n = 157, k = 4 g = .54 CI (.15 - .94) | C | ADHD rating scale, Conners, SWAN, Barley's Defiant Children, Vanderbilt ADHD diagnostic rating scale |
| Yan, et al., 2019 | Hyperactivity/impulsivity | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R) | n = 228, k = 4 SMD = -.47 | | Barkley, SWAN, |

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| Population: children and adolescence with ADHD, >18 years | | | CI (-.86 - -.09) | ADHD-RS, VADTRS |
| Intervention: Neurofeedback | | | C | |
| Comparison: Medication (MPH) | Hyperactivity/ impulsivity, follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = 188, k = 3$ $SMD = .11$ CI (-.26 - .47) | Barkley, SWAN, ADHD-RS, VADTRS |
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Hyperaktivität/ Impulsivität. Selbsturteil

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| Fan, et al., 2022 | Hyperactivity/ impulsivity | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP, P) | $n = 231, k = 4$ $SMD = .06$ CI (-.20 - .32) | Barkley's Defiant Children self- report, CAARS, CRS- R, ADHD rating self- report |
| Population: Adolescents and adults with ADHD, 6-60 years | | | U | |
| Intervention: EEG- Neurofeedback (TB/ SCP) | Hyperactivity/ impulsivity, follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP, P) | $n = 187, k = 3$ $SMD = -.01$ CI (-.30 - .28) | CAARS, ADHD rating self- report, Barkley's Defiant Children self- report |
| Comparison: Waitlist, treatment as usual, other intervention (MPH, sham) | Hyperactivity/ impulsivity, EEG-NF vs. waitlist/ TAU | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P) | $n = 95, k = 2$ $SMD = -.03$ CI (-.45 - .38) | CRS-R, ADHD |
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Impulsivität. Kognitive Tests

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| Louthrenoo, et al., 2022 | Response inhibition | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 378, k = 9$ $SMD = .00$ CI (-.38 - .37) | Continuous Performance Task, Counting Stroop task, Stop Signal Task, Go/No- Go Task, Attention Network Test |
| Population: Children and adolescence with ADHD, 5-18 years | | | U | |
| Intervention: Neurofeedback (TBR und SCP protocol) | | | | |

Comparison:
control group,
waiting list,
treatment as
usual

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| Yan, et al., 2019 | Inhibition | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 440, k = 6$ $SMD = -.47$ $CI (-.87 - -.07)$ | Neuropsychological measures | IVA-CPT |
| Population: children and adolescence with ADHD, >18 years | | | C | | |
| Intervention: Neurofeedback | Inhibition, follow-up | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 224, k = 3$ $SMD = -.21$ $CI (-2.61 - 2.19)$ | Neuropsychological measures | IVA-CPT |
| Comparison: Medication (MPH) | | | U | | |

Arbeitsgedächtnis. Kognitive Tests

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| Chiu, et al., 2022 | Working memory | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, BP) | $n = 122, k = 2$ $g = -.01$ $CI (n.a.)$ | | Digit span, VSWM |
| Population: Participants with ADHD (mean age 14.96, range 8.66-37.8) | | | U | | |
| Intervention: EEG- Neurofeedback (different NF protocols) | | | | | |
| Comparison: active treatment or inactive treatment (waitlist or TAU) | | | | | |
| Louthrenoo, et al., 2022 | Working memory | Low ⊕⊕○○ (IP) | $n = 121, k = 3$ $SMD = -.05$ $CI (-.42 - .33)$ | | Digit Span Backward, Spatial Span Backward Test |
| Population: Children and adolescence | | | U | | |

**with ADHD, 5-18
years
Intervention:
Neurofeedback
(TBR und SCP
protocol)
Comparison:
control group,
waiting list,
treatment as
usual**

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen, k = Anzahl der inkludierten Primärstudien. R = risk of bias, IC = inconsistency, ID = indirectness, IP = imprecision, P = publication bias.

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Summary of Findings Tabelle: RCTs (nur 1.4.2.2.)

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Risk of Bias | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Messinstrument |
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| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Elternurteil | | | | | |

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| Lam, et al., 2022 | <p>Population: Boys (10-18 years) with ADHD naïve or stable medication</p> <p>Intervention: 15 active fMRI-NF runs (each run seven 30-second "Rest" and six 40-second "Selfregulation" blocks)</p> <p>Comparison: >8 sham FMRI-NF.</p> | ADHD symptoms | No Risk ○ | <p>$n = 88$ $ES = n.a.$ $CI (n.a.)$</p> | U | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value of group x time interaction, within-group ANOVAs showed significantly reduced scores for both groups, relative to baseline, at post treatment and follow-up</p> | ADHD-RS |
| Purper-Ouakil, et al., 2022 | <p>Population: children with ADHD aged 7-13</p> <p>Intervention: Neurofeedback (TBR or SMR)</p> <p>Comparison: Methylphenidate</p> | Total ADHD symptoms, D60 | <p>Very high risk ● (BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 150$ $ES = n.a.$ $CI (n.a.)$</p> | C | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | n.a. |
| | | Total ADHD symptoms, D90 | <p>Very high risk ● (BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 147$ $ES = n.a.$ $CI (n.a.)$</p> | C | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | n.a. |
| Rahmani, et al., 2022 | <p>Population: children and adolescents (6-17 years) with ADHD diagnostic</p> <p>Intervention: Neurofeedback (Pro Comp, 30-min sessions 2 days a week)</p> <p>Comparison: no treatment</p> | Total ADHD symptoms, pre- 4 weeks post-treat | No Risk ○ | <p>$n = 26$ $MD = 1.35$ $CI (36.62 - 33.92)$</p> | I | <p>8 sessions made by this point.</p> | Parent ADHD-RS-IV |
| | | Total ADHD symptoms, NF vs. control group, after 4 weeks | No Risk ○ | <p>$n = 52$ $ES = n.a.$ $CI (n.a.)$</p> | I | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value; 8 sessions made by this point</p> | Parent ADHD-RS-IV |
| | | Total ADHD symptoms, pre- 8 weeks post-treat | No Risk ○ | <p>$n = 26$ $MD = 1.81$ $CI (37.19 - 33.57)$</p> | I | <p>16 sessions made by this point</p> | Parent ADHD-RS-IV |

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| | Total ADHD symptoms, NF vs. control group, after 8 weeks | No Risk ○ | <i>n</i> = 52 ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value; 16 sessions made by this point | Parent ADHD-RS-IV |
| | Total ADHD symptoms, pre- 12 weeks post-treat | No Risk ○ | <i>n</i> = 26 MD = 1.47 CI (36.78 - 33.84) I | 24 sessions made by this point | Parent ADHD-RS-IV |
| | Total ADHD symptoms, NF vs. control group, after 12 weeks | No Risk ○ | <i>n</i> = 52 ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value; 24 sessions made by this point | Parent ADHD-RS-IV |
| | Total ADHD symptoms, NF vs. control group, after 12 weeks | No Risk ○ | <i>n</i> = 56 ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value; 24 sessions made by this point | Parent ADHD-RS-IV |

ADHS Symptome gesamt. Lehrer*innenurteil

Purper-Ouakil, et al., 2022

Population: children with ADHD aged 7-13
Intervention: Neurofeedback (TBR or SMR)
Comparison: Methylphenidate

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| Total ADHD symptoms, D90 | High Risk ● (BP) | <i>n</i> = 89 ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) C | Clinical implication based on p-value | ADHD-RS-T |
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Rahmani, et al., 2022

Population: children and adolescents (6-17 years) with ADHD diagnostic
Intervention: Neurofeedback (Pro)

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| Total ADHD symptoms, pre- 4 weeks post-treat | No Risk ○ | <i>n</i> = 26 MD = 2.52 CI (38.4 - 33.36) I | 8 sessions made by this point. | Teacher ADHD-RS-IV |
| Total ADHD symptoms, | No Risk ○ | <i>n</i> = 56 | Clinical implication | Teacher ADHD-RS-IV |

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| Comp, 30-min sessions 2 days a week) Comparison: no treatment | NF vs control, after 4 weeks | | ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) | based on p-value; 8 sessions made by this point | |
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| | Total ADHD symptoms, pre- 8 weeks post-treat | No Risk ○ | n = 26 MD = 1.3 CI (40.26 - 37.66) | 16 sessions made by this point. | Teacher ADHD-RS-IV |
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| | Total ADHD symptoms, NF vs control, after 8 weeks | No Risk ○ | n = 56 ES= n.a. CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value; 16 sessions made by this point | Teacher ADHD-RS-IV |
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| | Total ADHD symptoms, pre- 12 weeks post-treatment | No Risk ○ | n = 26 MD = 1.63 CI (35.78 - 32.52) | 24 sessions made by this point. | Teacher ADHD-RS-IV |
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ADHS Symptome gesamt. Kliniker*innenurteil

Purper-Ouakil, et al., 2022

Population: children with ADHD aged 7-13
Intervention: Neurofeedback (TBR or SMR)
Comparison: Methylphenidate

ADHD total score, (D90)

Very high risk
●
(BP, BA)

n = 149
ES = n.a.
CI (n.a.)

C

Clinical implication based on p-value; significant change score difference between NF and MPH group at day 90

ADHD-RS-C

Aufmerksamkeit. Kombiniertes Urteil

Cash, et al., 2023

Population: children with ADHD aged 7-10
Intervention: Theta-Beta Neurofeedback, focus on trainer continuity and trainer experience

Inattention, effect of trainer continuity

High Risk
●
(BA)

n = 142
ES = n.a.
CI (n.a.)

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Clinical implication based on p-value, Parent and teacher rating

n.a.

Inattention, effect of trainer experience

High Risk
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(BA)

n = 26
MD = 2.52

Clinical implication based on p-value, Parent

n.a.

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| <p>Comparison: control condition of equal intensity, duration, and appearance in which "feedback" was based on pre-recorded EEG of different child</p> | <p>CI (38.4 - 33.36)</p> | <p>and teacher rating</p> | <p>I</p> | | |
| <p>Roley-Roberts, et al., 2023</p> | <p>Inattention, comorbidity anxiety, treatment end - 13-month follow-up</p> | <p>High Risk ● (ID)</p> | <p>n = 29 d = .22 CI (-.61 - 1.04) U</p> | <p>Connors 3rd Edition: Long Version (C3P and C3T; Connors, 2008) inattention scale</p> | |
| <p>Population: children with ADHD (7-10 years), some with anxiety as comorbidity, with ODD, with both anxiety and ODD, or neither comorbidity</p> | <p>Inattention, no comorbidity, treatment end - 13-month follow-up</p> | <p>High Risk ● (ID)</p> | <p>n = 42 d = -.10 CI (-.71 - .51) U</p> | <p>Connors 3rd Edition: Long Version (C3P and C3T; Connors, 2008) inattention scale</p> | |
| <p>Intervention: Neurofeedback (TBR) Comparison: control group (trainings differed only in deliberate training down of TBR based on child's own EEG in active NF vs based on pre-recorded EEG from another child's neurofeedback session in control)</p> | <p>Inattention, comorbidity ODD, baseline - 13-month follow-up</p> | <p>High Risk ● (ID)</p> | <p>n = 33 d = .74 CI (.05 - 1.43) I</p> | <p>All comorbidities at beginning of treatment, unclear which comorbidity drop-outs at Follow-up; RCTs and quasi-experiments</p> | <p>Connors-3, parent and teacher rated</p> |
| | <p>Inattention, comorbidity anxiety, baseline - 13-month follow-up</p> | <p>High Risk ● (ID)</p> | <p>n = 29 d = -.58 CI (-1.37 - .21) U</p> | <p>All comorbidities at beginning of treatment, unclear which comorbidity drop-outs at Follow-up; RCTs and quasi-experiments</p> | <p>Connors-3, parent and teacher rated</p> |

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| Inattention, no comorbidity, baseline - 13- month follow- up | High Risk ● (ID) | $n = 42$ $d = .16$ CI (-.42 - .74) U | All comorbidities at beginning of treatment, unclear which comorbidity drop-outs at Follow-up; RCTs and quasi- experiments | Conners-3, parent and teacher rated |
| Inattention, comorbidity anxiety and ODD, baseline - treatment end | High Risk ● (ID) | $n = 38$ $d = .22$ CI (-.36 - .81) U | All comorbidities at beginning of treatment, unclear which comorbidity drop-outs at Follow-up; RCTs and quasi- experiments | Conners-3, parent and teacher rated |
| Inattention, comorbidity ODD, baseline - treatment end | High Risk ● (ID) | $n = 33$ $d = .33$ CI (-.32 - .98) U | All comorbidities at beginning of treatment, unclear which comorbidity drop-outs at Follow-up; RCTs and quasi- experiments | Conners-3, parent and teacher rated |
| Inattention, comorbidity anxiety, baseline - treatment end | High Risk ● (ID) | $n = 29$ $d = -.79$ CI (-1.55 - -.04) C | All comorbidities at beginning of treatment, unclear which comorbidity drop-outs at Follow-up; RCTs and quasi- experiments | Conners-3, parent and teacher rated |
| Inattention, no comorbidity, baseline - treatment end | High Risk ● (ID) | $n = 42$ $d = .26$ CI (-.30 - .81) U | All comorbidities at beginning of treatment, unclear which comorbidity drop-outs at Follow-up; RCTs | Conners-3, parent and teacher rated |

| | | and quasi-experiments | | | |
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| | Inattention, comorbidity anxiety and ODD, treatment end - 13-month follow-up | High Risk ● (ID) | $n = 38$ $d = .03$ CI (-.61 - .66) U | All comorbidities at beginning of treatment, unclear which comorbidity drop-outs at Follow-up; RCTs and quasi-experiments | Conners-3, parent and teacher rated |
| | Inattention, comorbidity ODD, treatment end - 13-month follow-up | High Risk ● (ID) | $n = 33$ $d = .41$ CI (-.32 - 1.14) U | All comorbidities at beginning of treatment, unclear which comorbidity drop-outs at Follow-up; RCTs and quasi-experiments | Conners-3, parent and teacher rated |
| Aufmerksamkeit. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| Luo, et al., 2022 | | | | | |
| Population: children with diagnosed ADHD (7-12 years), four children were taking medication | | | | | |
| Intervention: Focus Pocus Training: 3 versions of programs created for this study: NFT (only neurofeedback games), CCT (only cognitive training games), and COM (neurofeedback and cognitive training games) | | | | | |
| Comparison: between interventions | | | | | |
| | Inattention, all trainings, pre-/post | High Risk ● (CO) | $n = 80$ $\eta^2 = .0173$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value; no significant group differences and no Training \times Group interaction; no information about blinding of assessors and participants, probably not blind | AD/HD-RS, parent rating |
| Purper-Ouakil, et al., 2022 | Inattention, D60 | Very high risk | $n = 155$ ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication | ADHD-RS-P |

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| Population: children with ADHD aged 7-13 Intervention: Neurofeedback (TBR or SMR) Comparison: Methylphenidate | | ● (BP, BA) | C | based on p-value | | |
| | Inattention, D90 | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | C | <i>n</i> = 147 ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | ADHD-RS-P |
| Rahmani, et al., 2022 Population: children and adolescents (6-17 years) with ADHD diagnostic Intervention: Neurofeedback (Pro Comp, 30-min sessions 2 days a week) Comparison: no treatment | Inattention, pre- vs. 4 weeks post | No Risk ○ | I | <i>n</i> = 26 MD = .67 CI (18.97 - 16.33) | 8 sessions made by this point | Parent ADHD-RS-IV, Inattention subscale |
| | Inattention, NF vs. control, after 4 weeks | No Risk ○ | U | <i>n</i> = 52 ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value; 8 sessions made by this point | Parent ADHD-RS-IV, Inattention subscale |
| | Inattention, pre- vs. 8 weeks post | No Risk ○ | I | <i>n</i> = 26 MD = 1.06 CI (18.68 - 16.65) | 16 sessions made by this point | Parent ADHD-RS-IV, Inattention subscale |
| | Inattention, NF vs. control, after 8 weeks | No Risk ○ | U | <i>n</i> = 52 ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value; 16 sessions made by this point | Parent ADHD-RS-IV, Inattention subscale |
| | Inattention, pre- vs. 12 weeks post | No Risk ○ | I | <i>n</i> = 26 MD = 0.85 CI (18.16 - 15.09) | 24 sessions made by this point | Parent ADHD-RS-IV, Inattention subscale |
| | Inattention, NF vs. control, after 12 weeks | No Risk ○ | U | <i>n</i> = 56 ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value; 24 | Parent ADHD-RS-IV, Inattention subscale |

| | | | sessions made by this point | | |
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| | Inattention, pre- vs. 4 weeks post | No Risk ○ | $n = 26$ $MD = 1.22$ $CI (9.37 - 16.93)$ | 8 sessions made by this point. | Parent ADHD-RS-IV, Inattention subscale |
| | Inattention, NF vs. control, after 4 weeks | No Risk ○ | $n = 56$ $ES = n.a.$ $CI (n.a.)$ | Clinical implication based on p-value; 8 sessions made by this point | Parent ADHD-RS-IV, Inattention subscale |
| | Inattention, pre- vs. 8 weeks post | No Risk ○ | $n = 26$ $MD = .65$ $CI (19.88 - 18.58)$ | 16 sessions made by this point. | Parent ADHD-RS-IV, Inattention subscale |
| | Inattention, NF vs. control, after 8 weeks | No Risk ○ | $n = 56$ $ES = n.a.$ $CI (n.a.)$ | Clinical implication based on p-value; 16 sessions made by this point. | Parent ADHD-RS-IV, Inattention subscale |
| | Inattention, pre- vs. 12 weeks post | No Risk ○ | $n = 26$ $MD = .84$ $CI (17.99 - 16.31)$ | 24 sessions made by this point. | Parent ADHD-RS-IV, Inattention subscale |
| | Inattention, NF vs. control, after 12 weeks | No Risk ○ | $n = 56$ $ES = n.a.$ $CI (n.a.)$ | Clinical implication based on p-value; 24 sessions made by this point | Parent ADHD-RS-IV, Inattention subscale |
| Roy, S. et al. (2022) | Inattention, NF, within-group, | Very High Risk | $n = 29$ $ES = n.a.$ $CI (n.a.)$ | Clinical implication | Conners 3-Parent Short Scale |

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| <p>Population: children with ADHD, 6-12 years</p> <p>Intervention: Neurofeedback, Medication and behaviour management (intervention with children and parent training)</p> <p>Comparison: between the interventions</p> | <p>baseline - follow-up</p> | <p>● (BP, BA)</p> | <p>I</p> | <p>based on p-value; RCTs and quasi-experiments, between-group: NF = Behavior Intervention (P = 0.057), NF < Medication (P = 0.014)*</p> | |
| Aufmerksamkeit. Lehrer*innenurteil | | | | | |
| <p>Purper-Ouakil, et al., 2022</p> <p>Population: children with ADHD aged 7-13</p> <p>Intervention: Neurofeedback (TBR or SMR)</p> <p>Comparison: Methylphenidate</p> | <p>Inattention, D90</p> | <p>High Risk</p> <p>● (BP)</p> | <p>n = 90 ES = n.a. CI (n.a.)</p> <p>C</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>ADHD-RS-T</p> |
| Aufmerksamkeit. Kliniker*innenurteil | | | | | |
| <p>Purper-Ouakil, et al., 2022</p> <p>Population: children with ADHD aged 7-13</p> <p>Intervention: Neurofeedback (TBR or SMR)</p> <p>Comparison: Methylphenidate</p> | <p>Inattention, D60</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>● (BP, BA)</p> | <p>n = 157 ES = n.a. CI (n.a.)</p> <p>C</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>ADHD-RS-C</p> |
| | <p>Inattention, D90</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>● (BP, BA)</p> | <p>n = 149 ES = n.a. CI (n.a.)</p> <p>C</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>ADHD-RS-C</p> |
| Hyperaktivität/ Impulsivität. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| <p>Luo, et al., 2022</p> <p>Population: children with diagnosed ADHD (7-12 years), four children were taking medication</p> | <p>Hyperactivity/ impulsivity, all trainings, pre-/post</p> | <p>High Risk</p> <p>● (CO)</p> | <p>n = 80 $\eta^2 = .271$ CI (n.a.)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value; no significant group differences or Training × Group interaction; no information</p> | <p>ADHD-RS-P</p> |

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| <p>Intervention: Focus Pocus Training: 3 versions of programs created for this study: NFT (only neurofeedback games), CCT (only cognitive training games), and COM (neurofeedback and cognitive training games)</p> <p>Comparison: between interventions</p> | | <p>about blinding of assessors and participants, probably not blind</p> | | | |
| <p>Purper-Ouakil, et al., 2022</p> <p>Population: children with ADHD aged 7-13</p> <p>Intervention: Neurofeedback (TBR or SMR)</p> <p>Comparison: Methylphenidate</p> | <p>Hyperactivity/impulsivity, D60</p> | <p>Very high risk</p> <p>● (BP, BA)</p> | <p><i>n</i> = 155 ES = n.a. CI (n.a.)</p> <p>C</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>ADHD-RS-P</p> |
| <p>Rahmani, et al., 2022</p> <p>Population: children and adolescents (6-17 years) with ADHD diagnostic</p> <p>Intervention: Neurofeedback (Pro Comp, 30-min sessions 2 days a week)</p> <p>Comparison: no treatment</p> | <p>Hyperactivity, pre- vs 4 weeks post</p> | <p>No Risk</p> <p>○</p> | <p><i>n</i> = 26 <i>MD</i> = .71 CI (18.33 - 16.91)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>8 sessions made by this point.</p> | <p>ADHD-RS-IV-P, Hyperactivity subscale</p> |
| | <p>Hyperactivity, NF vs. control, after 4 weeks</p> | <p>No Risk</p> <p>○</p> | <p><i>n</i> = 56 ES = n.a. CI (n.a.)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value; 8 sessions made by this point</p> | <p>ADHD-RS-IV-P, Hyperactivity subscale</p> |
| | <p>Hyperactivity, pre- vs. 8 weeks post</p> | <p>No Risk</p> <p>○</p> | <p><i>n</i> = 26 <i>MD</i> = .88 CI (18.65 - 16.89)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>16 sessions made by this point.</p> | <p>ADHD-RS-IV-P, Hyperactivity subscale</p> |

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| Hyperactivity, NF vs. control, after 8 weeks | No Risk ○ | $n = 56$ ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value; 16 sessions made by this point | ADHD-RS-IV-P, Hyperactivity subscale |
| Hyperactivity, pre- vs. 12 weeks post | No Risk ○ | $n = 26$ $MD = .93$ CI (18.93 - 17.07) I | 24 sessions made by this point. | ADHD-RS-IV-P, Hyperactivity subscale |
| Hyperactivity, NF vs. control, after 12 weeks post | No Risk ○ | $n = 56$ ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value; 24 sessions made by this point | ADHD-RS-IV-P, Hyperactivity subscale |
| Hyperactivity, pre- vs. 4 weeks post | No Risk ○ | $n = 26$ $MD = .38$ CI (18.11 - 17.35) I | 8 sessions made by this point. | ADHD-RS-IV-P |
| Hyperactivity, NF vs. control, after 4 weeks | No Risk ○ | $n = 56$ ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value; 8 sessions made by this point | ADHD-RS-IV-P |
| Hyperactivity, pre- vs. 8 weeks post | No Risk ○ | $n = 26$ $MD = .83$ CI (20.56 - 18.90) I | 16 sessions made by this point. | ADHD-RS-IV-P |
| Hyperactivity, NF vs. control, after 8 weeks | No Risk ○ | $n = 56$ ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value; 16 | ADHD-RS-IV-P |

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| Population: children with ADHD aged 7-13 Intervention: Neurofeedback (TBR or SMR) Comparison: Methylphenidate | D60 | ● (BP, BA) | ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) | based on p-value | |
| | | | C | | |
| | Hyperactivity/impulsivity, D90 | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | n = 149 ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | ADHD-RS-C |
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Inhibition. Elternurteil

Luo, et al., 2022

Population: children with diagnosed ADHD (7-12 years), four children were taking medication
Intervention: Focus Pocus Training: 3 versions of programs created for this study: NFT (only neurofeedback games), CCT (only cognitive training games), and COM (neurofeedback and cognitive training games)
Comparison: between interventions

Inhibition, all trainings, pre-/post

High Risk
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(CE)

n = 80
η² = .15
CI (n.a.)

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Clinical implication based on p-value; no significant group difference and Training × Group interaction; no information about blinding of assessors and participants, probably not blind

BRIEF, parent rating

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen. SG = sequence generation, CC = concealment, BP = blinding participants, BA = blinding assessors, ID = incomplete data, OR = outcome reporting, CE = carry over effects, SX = stopped early, UM = unvalidated measures, OI = other issue.

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Konsultationsphase

1.4.3 Diätetische Interventionen

1.4.3.2. Was soll im Hinblick auf künstliche Farbstoffe beachtet werden?

1.4.3.2. A

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Meta-Analysen

| Endpunktkategorien | MAs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|---------------------------|-----|---|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (E) | 2 | 2 | Schwach/ sehr schwach |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (L) | 1 | 1 | |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (KL) | 1 | 1 | |

Anmerkung. MAs = Anzahl der Meta-Analysen, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: Meta-Analysen

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Aussagesicherheit (GRADE) | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Mess-instrument |
|--|---------------------|--|--|--|---|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| <p>Pelsser et. al., 2017 (based on Schab, 2004)</p> <p>Population: children or youth (<18 years) with adhd or hyperactivity or hyperkinetic syndrome Intervention: Elimination Artificial food color (tartrazine or AFC mixtures were given during 1–42 days) Comparison: Placebo</p> | Total ADHD symptoms | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, PB)</p> | <p>n = 219, k = 13 SMD = .44 CI (.16 - .72)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">I</p> | <p>Dosage: 1-150mg/day</p> | <p>Conners Parent Teacher Questionnaire</p> |
| <p>Pelsser et. al., 2017 (based on Nigg, 2012)</p> <p>Population: children or youth (<18 years) with adhd or</p> | Total ADHD symptoms | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (IC, ID, IP, P)</p> | <p>n = 185, k = 11 SMD = .21 CI (-.02 - .43)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">U</p> | <p>Outcomes evaluated not clear or well defined: "behavioral effects (relevant to inattention or</p> | <p>Conners' rating scale</p> |

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| <p>hyperactivity or hyperkinetic syndrome</p> <p>Intervention: Elimination</p> <p>Artificial food color (tartrazine or AFC mixtures were given during 1–42 days)</p> <p>Comparison: Placebo</p> | <p>hyperactivity)"</p> <p>Dosage: 13-250mg/day</p> |
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ADHS Symptome gesamt. Lehrer*innenurteil

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|---|----------------------------|---|--|----------------------------|---|
| <p>Pelsser et. al., 2017 (based on Schab, 2004)</p> <p>Population: children or youth (<18 years) with adhd or hyperactivity or hyperkinetic syndrome</p> <p>Intervention: Elimination</p> <p>Artificial food color (tartrazine or AFC mixtures were given during 1–42 days)</p> <p>Comparison: Placebo</p> | <p>Total ADHD symptoms</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP, P)</p> | <p>$n = 152, k = 6$ $SMD = .08$ $CI (-.07 - .24)$</p> <p style="background-color: yellow; text-align: center;">U</p> | <p>Dosage: 1-150mg/day</p> | <p>Conners Parent Teacher Questionnaire</p> |
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ADHS Symptome gesamt. Kliniker*innenurteil

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|---|----------------------------|---|--|----------------------------|-------------|
| <p>Pelsser et. al., 2017 (based on Schab, 2004)</p> <p>Population: children or youth (<18 years) with adhd or hyperactivity or hyperkinetic syndrome</p> <p>Intervention: Elimination</p> <p>Artificial food</p> | <p>Total ADHD symptoms</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP, P)</p> | <p>$n = 140, k = 4$ $SMD = .11$ $CI (-.13 - .34)$</p> <p style="background-color: yellow; text-align: center;">U</p> | <p>Dosage: 1-150mg/day</p> | <p>CPTQ</p> |
|---|----------------------------|---|--|----------------------------|-------------|

color (tartrazine or
AFC mixtures were
given during 1–42
days)

Comparison:
Placebo

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen, k = Anzahl der inkludierten Primärstudien. R = risk of bias, IC = inconsistency, ID = indirectness, IP = imprecision, P = publication bias.

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1.4.3.3. Was sollte im Hinblick auf Eliminationsdiäten beachtet werden?

1.4.3.3. A

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Meta-Analysen

| Endpunktkategorien | MAs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|---------------------------|-----|---|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (KU) | 1 | 1 | Sehr schwach/ schwach |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (E) | 1 | 1 | |

Anmerkung. MAs = Anzahl der Meta-Analysen, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: RCTs

| Endpunktkategorien | RCTs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|------------------------|------|---|-------------------------------------|
| Aufmerksamkeit (E) | 1 | 3 | Sehr schwach/ schwach |
| Aufmerksamkeit (L) | 1 | 3 | |
| Hyperaktivität (E) | 1 | 3 | |
| Hyperaktivität (L) | 1 | 3 | |
| Emotionsregulation (E) | 1 | 3 | |
| Emotionsregulation (L) | 1 | 1 | |

Anmerkung. RCTs = Anzahl der randomisierten kontrollierten Studien, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: Meta-Analysen

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Aussagesicherheit (GRADE) | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Mess-instrument |
|--|----------|---------------------------|--------------|------------|-----------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Kombiniertes Urteil | | | | | |

Pelsser et. al., 2017
(based on Benton, 2007)

Population: children or youth with ADHD or hyperactivity or hyperkinetic syndrome
Intervention: elimination of some food groups (Feingold diet or allergens) or many foods or additives

Total symptom score

Very low
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(IC, IP)

n = 214, k = 4
SMD = .80
CI (.41 - 1.19)

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Primary meta-analysis rechecked: ES include 5 studies but parent rated was only 4.

Conners' rating scale, CAS (Connors Abbreviated Scale)

Comparison:
placebo

ADHS Symptome gesamt. Elternurteil

Pelsser et. al., 2017
(based on Sonuga-Barke, 2013)

Population: children or youth with ADHD or hyperactivity or hyperkinetic syndrome
Intervention: elimination of some food groups (Feingold diet or allergens) or many foods or additives
Comparison: placebo

Total symptom score

Low
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(IC, IP)

n = n.a., k = 5
SMD = .75
CI (.31 - 1.19)

Conners' rating scale



Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen, k = Anzahl der inkludierten Primärstudien. R = risk of bias, IC = inconsistency, ID = indirectness, IP = imprecision, P = publication bias.

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Summary of Findings Tabelle: RCTs

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Risk of Bias | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Mess-instrument |
|---|------------------------|---------------------------------|---|---|--------------------|
| Aufmerksamkeit. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| Huberts-Bosch et al., 2023 Population: children (5–12 years) with ADHD | Inattention, ED, T0-T1 | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | n = 160 MD = .66 CI (n.a.) I | Only significant measures reported; clinical implication based on p-value | SWAN questionnaire |

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|---|--|---|---|--|--------------------|
| Intervention: Elimination diet or Healthy diet Comparison: treatment as usual | Inattention, HD, T0-T1 | Very high risk  (BP, BA) | $n = 160$ $MD = .53$ CI (n.a.)  | Only significant measures reported; clinical implication based on p-value | SWAN questionnaire |
| | Inattention, TAU, T0-T1 | Very high risk  (BP, BA) | $n = 160$ $MD = .41$ CI (n.a.)  | Only significant measures reported; clinical implication based on p-value | SWAN questionnaire |
| Aufmerksamkeit. Lehrer*innenurteil | | | | | |
| Huberts-Bosch et al., 2023 Population: children (5–12 years) with ADHD Intervention: Elimination diet or Healthy diet Comparison: treatment as usual | Inattention, HD, T0-T1 | High Risk  (BP) | $n = 153$ $MD = .29$ CI (n.a.)  | Only significant measures reported; clinical implication based on p-value | SWAN questionnaire |
| | Inattention, TAU, T0-T1 | High Risk  (BP) | $n = 153$ $MD = 1.00$ CI (n.a.)  | Only significant measures reported; clinical implication based on p-value | SWAN questionnaire |
| | Inattention, Between-group, T1 | High Risk  (BP) | $n = 153$ $\eta^2 = 0.15$ CI (n.a.)  | Only significant between-group effects reported. ED and HD superior to TAU, no differences between dietary groups; clinical implication based on p-value | SWAN questionnaire |
| Hyperaktivität. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| Huberts-Boschet et al., 2023 | Hperactivity/impulsivity, ED, T0-T1 | Very high risk  (BP, BA) | $n = 160$ $MD = .73$ CI (n.a.)  | Only significant measures reported; clinical implication | SWAN questionnaire |

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|---|---|---------------------------------|---|--|--------------------|
| Population: children (5–12 years) with ADHD Intervention: Elimination diet or Healthy diet Comparison: treatment as usual | Hperactivity/impulsivity, HD, T0-T1 | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 160$ $MD = .61$ CI (n.a.) | based on p-value Only significant measures reported; clinical implication based on p-value | SWAN questionnaire |
| | Hperactivity/impulsivity, TAU, T0-T1 | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 160$ $MD = .54$ CI (n.a.) | Only significant measures reported; clinical implication based on p-value | SWAN questionnaire |
| Hyperaktivität. Lehrer*innenurteil | | | | | |
| Huberts-Boschet et al., 2023 Population: children (5–12 years) with ADHD Intervention: Elimination diet or Healthy diet Comparison: treatment as usual | Hperactivity/impulsivity, HD, T0-T1 | High Risk ● (BP) | $n = 153$ $MD = .34$ CI (n.a.) | Only significant measures reported; clinical implication based on p-value | SWAN questionnaire |
| | Hperactivity/impulsivity, TAU, T0-T1 | High Risk ● (BP) | $n = 153$ $MD = .81$ CI (n.a.) | Only significant between-group effects reported. ED and HD superior to TAU, no differences between dietary groups; clinical implication based on p-value | SWAN questionnaire |
| Huberts-Boschet et al., 2023 | Hyperactivity/impulsivity, Between-group, T1 | High Risk ● (BP) | $n = 153$ $\eta p^2 = 0.13$ CI (n.a.) | Only significant between-group effects reported. ED and HD superior to TAU, no differences between dietary groups; clinical implication based on p-value | SWAN questionnaire |
| | Emotion regulation, | Very high risk | $n = 160$ $MD = .82$ | Only significant measures | SDQ |
| Emotionsregulation. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| Huberts-Boschet et al., 2023 | Emotion regulation, | Very high risk | $n = 160$ $MD = .82$ | Only significant measures | SDQ |

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|--|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|---|---|-----|
| Population: children (5–12 years) with ADHD Intervention: Elimination diet or Healthy diet Comparison: treatment as usual | ED, T0-T1 | ● (BP, BA) | CI (n.a.) I | reported; clinical implication based on p-value | |
| | Emotion regulation, HD, T0-T1 | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | <i>n</i> = 160 <i>MD</i> = .66 CI (n.a.) I | Only significant measures reported; clinical implication based on p-value | SDQ |
| | Emotion regulation, TAU, T0-T1 | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | <i>n</i> = 160 <i>MD</i> = .68 CI (n.a.) I | Only significant measures reported; clinical implication based on p-value | SDQ |
| Emotionsregulation. Lehrer*innenurteil | | | | | |

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| Huberts-Boschet et al., 2023 | Emotion regulation, Between-group, T1 | High Risk ● (BP) | <i>n</i> = 153 $\eta^2 = 0.15$ CI (n.a.) I | Only significant between-group effects reported. ED and HD superior to TAU, no differences between dietary groups; clinical implication based on p-value | SDQ |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------|---|--|-----|

Anmerkung. *n* = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen. SG = sequence generation, CC = concealment, BP = blinding participants, BA = blinding assessors, ID = incomplete data, OR = outcome reporting, CE = carry over effects, SX = stopped early, UM = unvalidated measures, OI = other issue.

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1.4.3.4. Können Omega 3 Fettsäuren zur Behandlung von ADHS empfohlen werden?

1.4.3.4. A

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Meta-Analysen

| Endpunktkategorien | MAs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|-----------------------------------|-----|----|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (KU) | 1 | 3 | Moderat |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (E) | 3 | 9 | |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (L) | 2 | 3 | |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (KL) | 1 | 2 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (KU) | 1 | 3 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (E) | 2 | 6 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (L) | 1 | 2 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (KL) | 1 | 2 | |
| Hyperaktivität/ Impulsivität (KU) | 1 | 2 | |
| Hyperaktivität/ Impulsivität (E) | 2 | 6 | |
| Hyperaktivität/ Impulsivität (L) | 1 | 2 | |
| Hyperaktivität/ Impulsivität (KL) | 1 | 2 | |
| ADHS Symptomverbesserung (E) | 1 | 3 | |
| Kognitive Leistung (T) | 1 | 5 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (E) | 2 | 8 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (L) | 2 | 5 | |
| Lebensqualität (E) | 1 | 1 | |
| Sicherheit | 2 | 18 | |

Anmerkung. MAs = Anzahl der Meta-Analysen, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: Meta-Analysen

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Aussagesicherheit (GRADE) | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Messinstrument |
|--|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|---|----------------------------------|---|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Kombiniertes Urteil | | | | | |
| Gillies, et al., 2023 | ADHD symptoms total, Short term | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P) | n = 96, k = 2 SMD = .75 CI (.31 - 1.19) C | Intervention: 100% weight omega3 | Teacher-rated Conners total score, ADHD Rating Scale Parent- and investigator-rated at 1, 3, 6, 12 months |
| Population: children and adolescents with ADHD | | | | | |
| Intervention: Poly-unsaturated | | | | | |

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| fatty acids w-3 (EPA, DHA, ALA) and/ or w-6 (AA, LA, GLA) between 2 weeks and 6 months with or without any other co-intervention Comparison: stimulants (methylphenidate or dexamfetamine) | ADHD symptoms total, Medium term | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P) | $n = 60, k = 1$ $SMD = .62$ CI (.10 - 1.13) C | Intervention: 100% weight omega3 | ADHD Rating Scale Parent- and investigator-rated at 1, 3, 6, 12 months |
| | ADHD symptoms total, Long term | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P) | $n = 60, k = 1$ $SMD = .30$ CI (-.21 - .81) U | Intervention: 100% weight omega3 | ADHD Rating Scale Parent- and investigator-rated at 1, 3, 6, 12 months |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| Chang, et al., 2018 Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (4–17 years) Intervention: PUFAs supplementation with DHA and EPA alone or in combination (dosage EPA 80-650mg and DHA 2,7 - 640mg) Comparison: placebo | ADHS-symptoms total | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = 534, k = 7$ $g = .38$ CI (.20 - .56) I | Only RCTs included | CPRS-L, Conner's ADHS, CRS, CPRS, SNAP-IV, SDQ, DISYPS-II, CBCL, SWAN, CHQ-PF50 |
| | ADHS-symptoms total, EPA>=500 | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = 255, k = 3$ $g = .36$ CI (.10 - .62) I | Only RCTs included | CRS, DISYPS-II, CBCL, TRF, SWAN |
| | ADHS-symptoms total, EPA<500 | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = 309, k = 4$ $g = .39$ CI (.15 - .64) I | Only RCTs included | CPRS-L; Conner's ADHD, CTRS, CPRS, SDQ, CHQ-PF5, Abbreviated CRS |
| Gillies, et al., 2023 Population: children and adolescents with ADHD Intervention: Poly-unsaturated fatty acids w-3 (EPA, DHA, ALA) and/ or w-6 (AA, LA, GLA) between | ADHD symptoms total, Short term | Very low ⊕○○○ (IC, IP, P) | $n = 442, k = 8$ $SMD = .17$ CI (-.25 - .59) U | Intervention: 100% weight only omega 3 | Parent ADHD Rating Scale, Conners Rating Scale |
| | ADHD symptoms total, Medium term | Very low ⊕○○○ (IC, IP, P) | $n = 1166, k = 16$ $SMD = -.08$ CI (-.24 - .07) U | Intervention: 12% weight omega3 + omega6. 88% only omega3. | Parent ADHD Rating Scale, SWAN, SNAP-IV, Parent Conners Rating Scale, DISYPS-II |

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|--|---|---------------------------------|---|--|--|
| 2 weeks and 6 months with or without any other co-intervention Comparison: placebo without any other co-intervention or with the same co-intervention | ADHD symptoms total, Long term | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P) | $n = 60, k = 1$ $SMD = -.30$ $CI (-.81 - .21)$ U | Intervention: 100% weight only omega3. | Parent ADHD Rating Scale |
| | ADHD symptoms total, Only omega 3 studies | Very low ⊕○○○ (IC, IP, P) | $n = 1039, k = 14$ $SMD = -.06$ $CI (-.23 - .11)$ U | | Parent ADHD Rating Scale, Conners Rating Scale |
| | ADHD symptoms total, Only omega 6 and 3 studies | Low ⊕⊕○○ (IP, P) | $n = 127, k = 2$ $SMD = -.28$ $CI (-.63 - .07)$ U | | Parent ADHD Rating Scale, Conners Rating Scale |

Händel, et al., 2021

Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (6–18 years)

Intervention: supplements with polyunsaturated fatty acids w-3 and/or w-6 between 8 weeks and 12 months with or without medical treatment
Comparison: placebo with or without medical treatment

ADHD core symptoms

Low
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(IC)

$n = 1755, k = 24$
 $SMD = -.17$
 $CI (-.32 - -.02)$
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Result significant, but not exceeding the “Minimal clinically important difference” (MCID)

Parent ADHD rating scale

ADHS Symptome gesamt. Lehrer*innenurteil

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| Gillies, et al., 2023 | ADHD symptoms total, Short term | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 185, k = 4$ $SMD = .35$ $CI (-.30 - 1.00)$ | Intervention: 100% weight omega 3 | Teacher-rated Conners total score, Teacher ADHD Rating Scale IV, Parent- |
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|--|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|---|--|--|--|
| adolescents with ADHD Intervention: Poly-unsaturated fatty acids w-3 (EPA, DHA, ALA) and/ or w-6 (AA, LA, GLA) between 2 weeks and 6 months with or without any other co-intervention Comparison: placebo without any other co-intervention or with the same co-intervention | | | | | | | rated DSM-IV attention and hyperactivity-impulsivity subscales |
| | ADHD symptoms total, Medium term | Very low ⊕○○○ (IC, IP, P) | $n = 498, k = 6$ $SMD = .06$ $CI (-.12 - .24)$ | U | Intervention: 7% weight omega3 + omega6; 93% weight omega3 | | SNAP-IV rated by teachers, Teacher Conners Rating Scale, teacher-rated DISYPS-II |

Händel, et al., 2021

Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (6–18 years)
Intervention: supplements with polyunsaturated fatty acids w-3 and/or w-6 between 8 weeks and 12 months with or without medical treatment
Comparison: placebo with or without medical treatment

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|--------------------|---------------------------------|--|---|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| ADHD core symptoms | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 641, k = 10$ $SMD = -.06$ $CI (-.31 - .19)$ | U | Search string limited to RCTs | Any questionnaire mentioned |
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ADHS Symptome gesamt. Kliniker*innenurteil

Gillies, et al., 2023

Population: children and adolescents with ADHD

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|---------------------------------|-------------------------|---|---|----------------------------------|--|
| ADHD symptoms total, Short term | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = 143, k = 2$ $SMD = -.74$ $CI (-1.08 - -.40)$ | I | Intervention: 100% weight omega3 | Conners Abbreviated Questionnaire score (ASQ-P), Mean symptom severity - ADHD Rating Scale |
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| <p>Intervention: Poly-unsaturated fatty acids w-3 (EPA, DHA, ALA) and/ or w-6 (AA, LA, GLA) between 2 weeks and 6 months with or without any other co-intervention</p> <p>Comparison: placebo without any other co-intervention or with the same co-intervention</p> | <p>ADHD symptoms total, Medium term</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (IP, P)</p> | <p>$n = 64, k = 1$ $SMD = -.35$ $CI (-.84 - .15)$</p> | <p>Intervention: 100% weight omega3</p> | <p>Clinician-rated ADHD Rating Scale scores: total scores</p> |
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| <p>Gillies, et al., 2023</p> <p>Population: children and adolescents with ADHD</p> | <p>ADHD symptoms: inattention, Short term</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P)</p> | <p>$n = 60, k = 1$ $SMD = .88$ $CI (.35 - 1.41)$</p> | <p>Intervention: 100% weight omega3</p> | <p>Parent- and investigator-rated ADHD (ADHD Rating Scale)</p> |
| <p>Intervention: Poly-unsaturated fatty acids w-3 (EPA, DHA, ALA) and/ or w-6 (AA, LA, GLA) between 2 weeks and 6 months with or without any other co-intervention</p> | <p>ADHD symptoms: inattention, Medium term</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P)</p> | <p>$n = 60, k = 1$ $SMD = .47$ $CI (-.04 - .98)$</p> | <p>Intervention: 100% weight omega3</p> | <p>Parent- and investigator-rated ADHD (ADHD Rating Scale)</p> |
| <p>Comparison: stimulants (methylphenidate or dexamfetamine)</p> | <p>ADHD symptoms: inattention, Long term</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P)</p> | <p>$n = 60, k = 1$ $SMD = .06$ $CI (-.45 - .57)$</p> | <p>Intervention: 100% weight omega3</p> | <p>Parent- and investigator-rated ADHD (ADHD Rating Scale)</p> |
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| <p>Chang, et al., 2018</p> <p>Population: children and adolescents with</p> | <p>Inattention</p> | <p>High ⊕⊕⊕⊕</p> | <p>$n = 590, k = 7$ $g = .42$ $CI (.23 - .62)$</p> | <p>Only randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled trials included</p> | <p>CPRS-L, Conner's ADHS, CRS, CPRS, SNAP-IV, SDQ, DISYPS-II, CBCL, SWAN, CHQ-PF50</p> |

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| ADHD (4–17 years) Intervention: PUFAs supplementation with DHA and EPA alone or in combination (dosage EPA 80-650mg and DHA 2,7 - 640mg) Comparison: placebo | Inattention symptom scores, EPA>=500 | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = 316, k = 4$ $g = .36$ CI (.15 - .81) | Only randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled trials included | CRS, SNAP-IV, DISYPS-II, CBCL, TRF, SWAN |
| | Inattention symptom scores, EPA<500 | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = 240, k = 3$ $g = .36$ CI (.10 - .63) | Only randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled trials included | CPRS-L; Conner's ADHD, CTRS, CPRS, SDQ, CHQ-PF50 |
| Gillies, et al., 2023 Population: children and adolescents with ADHD Intervention: Poly-unsaturated fatty acids w-3 (EPA, DHA, ALA) and/ or w-6 (AA, LA, GLA) between 2 weeks and 6 months with or without any other co-intervention Comparison: placebo without any other co-intervention or with the same co-intervention | ADHD symptoms: inattention, Short term | Very low ⊕○○○ (IC, IP, P) | $n = 283, k = 5$ $SMD = .01$ CI (-.31 - .33) | Intervention: 100% weight only omega3 | RBPC (attention subscale), parent ADHD Rating Scale (inattention subscale), Parent-rated DSM-IV attentionsubscales |
| | ADHD symptoms: inattention, Medium term | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP, P) | $n = 960, k = 12$ $SMD = -.01$ CI (-.20 - .17) | Intervention: 5,4% weight omega3 + omega6; 95% weight only omega3 | ADHD Rating Scale, CBCL, SWAN, SNAP-IV rated by parents, Conners Parent Rating Scale – Revised, Parent- and teacher-rated Disrupted Behavior Disorders Rating Scale: hyperactivity, attention, Parent- and teacher-rated DISYPS-II |
| | ADHD symptoms: inattention, Long term | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P) | $n = 60, k = 1$ $SMD = -.39$ CI (-.90 - .12) | Intervention: 100% weight omega 3 | ADHD Rating Scale |

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| Gillies, et al., 2023 | ADHD symptoms inattention, Short term | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | n = 86, k = 2 SMD = .20 CI (-.40 - .44) | Intervention: 100% weight omega3 | Teacher-rated Conners Questionnaire subscales: inattention and hyperactivity |
| <p>Population: children and adolescents with ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: Poly-unsaturated fatty acids w-3 (EPA, DHA, ALA) and/ or w-6 (AA, LA, GLA) between 2 weeks and 6 months with or without any other co- intervention</p> <p>Comparison: placebo without any other co- intervention or with the same co- intervention</p> | ADHD symptoms inattention, Medium term | Very low ⊕○○○ (IC, IP, P) | n = 428, k = 5 SMD = .17 CI (-.14 - .49) | Intervention: 12% weight omega3 + omega6; 88% weight omega3 | SNAP-IV rated by teachers, Teacher Conners Rating Scale, Teacher- rated DISYPS-II |
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| Gillies, et al., 2023 | ADHD symptoms inattention, Short term | Low ⊕⊕○○ (IP) | n = 17, k = 1 SMD = -.05 CI (-1.00 - .90) | Intervention: 100% weight omega3 | Parent and teacher Conners rating scales |
| <p>Population: children and adolescents with ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: Poly-unsaturated fatty acids w-3 (EPA, DHA, ALA) and/ or w-6 (AA, LA, GLA) between 2 weeks and 6 months with or without any other co- intervention</p> <p>Comparison: placebo without any other co- intervention or</p> | ADHD symptoms inattention, Medium term | Low ⊕⊕○○ (IP, P) | n = 124, k = 2 SMD = -.29 CI (-.65 - .07) | Intervention: 100% weight omega3; 1/2 don't have clinician rated questionnaire | Clinician-rated ADHD Rating Scale scores, Change in parent- rated abbreviated Conners Rating Scale |

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Hyperaktivität/ Impulsivität. Verschiedene Urteile

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| Gillies, et al., 2023 | ADHD symptoms: hyperactivity/ impulsivity, Short term | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P) | n = 96, k = 2 SMD = .66 CI (.25 - 1.07) | Intervention: 100% weight omega3 | Parent- and investigator-rated ADHD (ADHD Rating Scale) and Teacher-rated Conners total score and Hyperactivity Index |
| Population: children and adolescents with ADHD Intervention: Poly-unsaturated fatty acids w-3 (EPA, DHA, ALA) and/ or w-6 (AA, LA, GLA) between 2 weeks and 6 months with or without any other co-intervention Comparison: stimulants (methylphenidate or dexamfetamine) | ADHD symptoms: hyperactivity/ impulsivity, Medium term | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P) | n = 60, k = 1 SMD = .58 CI (.07 - 1.10) | Intervention: 100% weight omega3 | Parent- and investigator-rated ADHD (ADHD Rating Scale) |

Hyperaktivität/ Impulsivität. Elternurteil

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| Chang, et al., 2018 | Hyperactivity | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (IC) | n = 551, k = 6 g = .48 CI (.01 - .95) | Only randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled trials included | CPRS-L, Conner's ADHS, CRS, CPRS, SNAP-IV, SDQ, DISYPS-II, CBCL, SWAN, CHQ-PF50 |
| Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (4–17 years) Intervention: PUFAs supplementation with DHA and EPA alone or in combination (dosage EPA 80-650mg and DHA 2,7 - 640mg) Comparison: placebo | Hyperactivity symptom scores, EPA>=500 | Low ⊕⊕○○ (IC) | n = 277, k = 3 g = .81 CI (.12 - 1.49) | Only randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled trials included | CPRS-L; Conner's ADHD, SNAP-IV, DISYPS-II, CBCL, TRF |
| | Hyperactivity symptom scores, EPA<500 | Low ⊕⊕○○ (IC, IP) | n = 274, k = 3 g = .10 CI (-.22 - .43) | Only randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled trials included | CPRS-L; Conner's ADHD, CTRS, CPRS, SDQ, CHQ-PF50 |

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| Gillies, et al., 2023 | <p>Population: children and adolescents with ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: Poly-unsaturated fatty acids w-3 (EPA, DHA, ALA) and/ or w-6 (AA, LA, GLA) between 2 weeks and 6 months with or without any other co-intervention</p> <p>Comparison: placebo without any other co-intervention or with the same co-intervention</p> | <p>ADHD symptoms: hyperactivity/impulsivity, Short term</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (IC, ID, IP, P)</p> | <p>$n = 2835, k =$ $n.a.$ $SMD = .15$ $CI (-.20 - .50)$</p> | <p>Intervention: 100% weight omega 3</p> | <p>RBPC: subscales: attention and motor excess, Parent ADHD Rating Scale: hyperactivity subscale, ADHD Parent Rating Scale, Parent-rated DSM-IV hyperactivity-impulsivity subscales</p> |
| U | | <p>ADHD symptoms: hyperactivity/impulsivity, Medium term</p> | <p>Low ⊕⊕○○ (IP, P)</p> | <p>$n = 869, k =$ 10 $SMD = .09$ $CI (-.04 - .23)$</p> | <p>Intervention: 4% weight omega3 + omega6; 96% only omega3</p> | <p>ADHD Rating Scale; SNAP-IV rated by parents; Conners Parent Rating, DISYPS-II</p> |
| U | | <p>ADHD symptoms: hyperactivity/impulsivity, Long term</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P)</p> | <p>$n = 60, k = 1$ $SMD = -.21$ $CI (-.72 - .29)$</p> | <p>Intervention: 100% weight omega 3</p> | <p>ADHD Rating Scale</p> |
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| Gillies, et al., 2023 | <p>Population: children and adolescents with ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: Poly-unsaturated fatty acids w-3 (EPA, DHA, ALA) and/ or w-6 (AA, LA, GLA) between 2 weeks and 6 months with or without any other co-intervention</p> <p>Comparison: placebo without any other co-</p> | <p>ADHD symptoms: hyperactivity/impulsivity, Short term</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P)</p> | <p>$n = 60, k = 1$ $SMD = 0$ $CI (-.51 - .52)$</p> | <p>Intervention: 100% weight omega3.</p> | <p>ADHD symptoms - hyperactivity/impulsivity, parent rated- short term. ADD-H Comprehensive Teacher Rating scale</p> |
| U | | <p>ADHD symptoms: hyperactivity/impulsivity, Medium term</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (IC, IP, P)</p> | <p>$n = 462, k = 6$ $SMD = .15$ $CI (-.03 - .34)$</p> | <p>Intervention: 7,3% weight omega3-omega6. 93,7% weight omega3.</p> | <p>SNAP-IV rated by teachers, Teacher Conners Rating Scale: hyperactive-impulsive subscales, Parent and teacher-rated Disrupted Behavior</p> |
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| Gillies, et al., 2023 | ADHD symptoms hyperactivity/impulsivity, Short term | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P) | $n = 53, k = 2$ $SMD = .36$ $CI (-.18 - .91)$ U | Intervention: 100% weight omega. | Psychiatrists' Global Rating scale, Parent and teacher Connors rating scales |
| Population: children and adolescents with ADHD Intervention: Poly-unsaturated fatty acids w-3 (EPA, DHA, ALA) and/ or w-6 (AA, LA, GLA) between 2 weeks and 6 months with or without any other co-intervention Comparison: placebo without any other co-intervention or with the same co-intervention | ADHD symptoms hyperactivity/impulsivity, Medium term | Very low ⊕○○○ (IP, P) | $n = 64, k = 1$ $SMD = -.28$ $CI (-.77 - .21)$ U | Intervention: 100% weight omega | Clinician-rated ADHD Rating Scale scores: total scores, and inattention and hyperactive/impulsive subscale scores |
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| Gillies, et al., 2023 | ADHD symptoms improvement, Short term | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (IP) | $n = 80, k = 2$ $RR = 1.22$ $CI (.85 - 1.76)$ U | Intervention: only omega-3; RCT and quasi-randomized controlled trials | Parent ADHD Rating Scale (1 study), measure unclear (1 study) |
| Population: children and adolescents with ADHD Intervention: Poly-unsaturated fatty acids w-3 (EPA, DHA, ALA) and/ or w-6 (AA, LA, GLA) between 2 weeks and 6 months with or without any | ADHD symptoms improvement, Medium term | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (P) | $n = 191, k = 3$ $RR = 1.95$ $CI (1.47 - 2.60)$ I | Intervention: 95% weight omega 3+omega6. 5% only omega 3; RCT and quasi-randomized controlled trials | Parent-rated "11-item checklist" (1 study), defined as no longer meeting parent criteria for hyperactivity (1 study), unclear measure (1 study) |

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| <p>other co-intervention Comparison: placebo without any other co-intervention or with the same co-intervention</p> <p>ADHD symptoms improvement, Long term</p> <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, ID, IP, P)</p> <p>$n = 141, k = 2$ $RR = 1.67$ $CI (.70 - 3.95)$</p> <p>U</p> <p>Intervention: 48.8% weight omega3 + omega6; 51,2% only omega3</p> <p>Parent-rated "11-item checklist" (1study), 30% or more decrease in ADHD total score (1study)</p> | Kognitive Leistung. Kognitive Tests | | | | |
| | <p>Cognitive performance, Omission</p> <p>Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (IC)</p> <p>$n = 214, k = 3$ $g = 1.09$ $CI (.43 - 1.75)$</p> <p>I</p> <p>Only randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled trials were included</p> <p>They report "omission error" as measurement but don't report tasks used</p> | | | | |
| | <p>Chang, et al., 2018</p> <p>Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (4–17 years) Intervention: PUFAs supplementation with DHA and EPA alone or in combination (dosage EPA 80-650mg and DHA 2,7 - 640mg) Comparison: placebo</p> <p>Cognitive performance, Comission</p> <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (IC, IP)</p> <p>$n = 85, k = 2$ $g = 2.14$ $CI (1.24 - 3.03)$</p> <p>I</p> <p>Only randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled trials were included</p> <p>They report "omission error" as measurement but don't report tasks used</p> | | | | |
| | <p>Cognitive performance, Backward memory</p> <p>Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (IP)</p> <p>$n = 224, k = 2$ $g = .37$ $CI (-.05 - .79)$</p> <p>U</p> <p>Only randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled trials were included</p> <p>They report "backward memory" as measurement but don't report tasks used.</p> | | | | |
| | <p>Cognitive performance, Forward memory</p> <p>Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (IP)</p> <p>$n = 224, k = 2$ $g = .06$ $CI (-.21 - .34)$</p> <p>U</p> <p>Only randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled trials were included</p> <p>They report "forward memory" as measurement but don't report tasks used.</p> | | | | |
| <p>Cognitive performance, Information processing</p> <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (IC, IP)</p> <p>$n = 309, k = 4$ $g = .46$ $CI (-.29 - 1.21)$</p> <p>U</p> <p>Only randomized, double-blind, placebo-controlled trials were included</p> <p>They report "information processing" as measurement but don't report tasks used.</p> | | | | | |
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| | Behaviour, internalizing, Medium term | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P) | $n = 237, k = 3$ $SMD = .16$ $CI (-.09 - .42)$ | Intervention: 100% weight omega | SNAP-IV rated by parents: oppositional behaviour, Parent-rated SDQ: internalizing, Parent-rated CBC: internalizing |
| Gillies, et al., 2023 | Behaviour, externalising, Short term | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P) | $n = 60, k = 1$ $SMD = .02$ $CI (-.49 - .52)$ | Intervention: 100% weight omega | Measured by: a. Parent-rated RBPC subscales: conduct; socialized aggression b. Teacher-rated Conners Questionnaire subscales: conduct c. ACTeR (Comprehensive Teacher Rating Scale) subscales: oppositional behaviour |
| Population: children and adolescents with ADHD Intervention: Poly-unsaturated fatty acids w-3 (EPA, DHA, ALA) and/ or w-6 (AA, LA, GLA) between 2 weeks and 6 months with or without any other co-intervention Comparison: placebo without any other co-intervention or with the same co-intervention | Behaviour, externalising, Medium term | Very low ⊕○○○ (IC, IP, P) | $n = 340, k = 5$ $SMD = .07$ $CI (-.26 - .41)$ | Intervention: 100% weight omega | Measured by: Parent-rated CBCL: aggression, SNAP-IV rated by parents: oppositional behaviour, Parent-rated SDQ: externalizing behaviour, Conners Parent Rating Scale - aggression, conduct; oppositional |
| | Behaviour, conduct, Short term | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P) | $n = 60, k = 1$ $SMD = -.10$ $CI (-.60 - .41)$ | Intervention: 100% weight omega | Teacher-rated Conners Questionnaire subscales: conduct |

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| | <p>Conduct behaviour, Short term</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P)</p> | <p>$n = 60, k = 1$ $SMD = -.03$ $CI (-.54 - .48)$</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Intervention: 100% weight omega3</p> | <p>TCQ subscales: conduct</p> |
| <p>Gillies, et al., 2023</p> <p>Population: children and adolescents with ADHD Intervention: Poly-unsaturated fatty acids w-3 (EPA, DHA, ALA) and/ or w-6 (AA, LA, GLA) between 2 weeks and 6 months with or without any other co- intervention</p> | <p>Conduct behaviour, Medium term</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (IC, IP, P)</p> | <p>$n = 118, k = 2$ $SMD = -.03$ $CI (-.39 - .34)$</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Intervention: 28% weight omega3 + omega6. 72% weight omega3. significant 1 out of 2 studies didn't use a teacher rated questionnaire to assess behaviour- conduct.</p> | <p>teacher-rated DBDRS: conduct, Parent-rated CBCL: internalizing, externalizing</p> |
| <p>Comparison: placebo without any other co- intervention or with the same co- intervention</p> | <p>Oppositional behaviour, Medium term</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP, P)</p> | <p>$n = 224, k = 2$ $SMD = .10$ $CI (-.18 - .37)$</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Intervention: 100% weight omega3</p> | <p>Teacher Connors Rating Scale: oppositonality subscales</p> |
| | <p>Socialisation behaviour, Medium term</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (IP)</p> | <p>$n = 85, k = 1$ $SMD = -.16$ $CI (-.58 - .27)$</p> <p>U</p> | <p>Intervention: 100% weight omega3</p> | <p>Parent-rated Child Behavior Checklist: internalizing, externalizing</p> |

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ADHD (6–18
years)

Intervention:
supplements with
polyunsaturated
fatty acids w-3
and/or w-6
between 8 weeks
and 12 months
with or without
medical
treatment

Comparison:
placebo with or
without medical
treatment

Behavioral
difficulties

Very low
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(R, IC, IP)

$n = 378, k = 5$
 $SMD = -.04$
 $CI (-.35 - .26)$

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Lebensqualität. Elternurteil

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Quality of life,
Follow-up

Very low
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(R, IC, IP)

$n = 60, k = 1$
 $SMD = .01$
 $CI (-.29 - .31)$

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| <p>Gillies, et al., 2023</p> <p>Population: children and adolescents with ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: Poly-unsaturated fatty acids w-3 (EPA, DHA, ALA) and/ or w-6 (AA, LA, GLA) between 2 weeks and 6 months with or without any other co-intervention</p> <p>Comparison: placebo without any other co-intervention or with the same co-intervention</p> | Overall side effects | Very low ⊕○○○ (IC, IP, P) | $n = 591, k = 8$ $RR = 1.02$ $CI (.69 - 1.52)$ U | Placebo 190 Pro 1000 Differenz: 4 mehr pro 1000 (CI 95% 59 weniger – 99 mehr) | n.a. |
| | Side effects: appetite loss | Very low ⊕○○○ (IP, P) | $n = 60, k = 1$ $RR = .48$ $CI (.27 - .83)$ I | No group-risk reported like in effect sides- overall outcome. Intervention: only omega3 | n.a. |
| | Side effects: anxiety | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P) | $n = 60, k = 1$ $RR = .38$ $CI (.11 - 1.28)$ U | No group-risk reported like in effect sides- overall outcome. Intervention: only omega3 | n.a. |
| | Side effects: dermatitis | Very low ⊕○○○ (IP, P) | $n = 147, k = 1$ $RR = 1.43$ $CI (.06 - 34.36)$ U | No group-risk reported like in effect sides- overall outcome. Intervention: only omega3 | n.a. |
| | Side effects: diarrhoea | Low ⊕⊕○○ (IP, P) | $n = 2073, k =$ n.a. $RR = .71$ $CI (.36 - 1.41)$ U | No group-risk reported like in effect sides- overall outcome. Although three studies included in this outcome, only two report results. Intervention: only omega3 | n.a. |

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| Side effects: gastrointestinal discomfort | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P) | $n = 269, k = 3$ $RR = .73$ $CI (.24 - 2.22)$ U | No group-risk reported like in effect sides-overall outcome. Although three studies are included in this outcomen only two are reporting results. Intervention: only omega3 | n.a. |
| Side effects: headache | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P) | $n = 207, k = 2$ $RR = .56$ $CI (.31 - 1.01)$ U | No group-risk reported like in effect sides-overall outcome. Intervention: omega-3/omega-6 PUFA + MPH | n.a. |
| Side effects: hyperactivity | Very low ⊕○○○ (IP, P) | $n = 147, k = 1$ $RR = 1.43$ $CI (.06 - 34.36)$ U | No group-risk reported like in effect sides-overall outcome. Intervention: only omega3 | n.a. |
| Side effects: insomnia | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP, P) | $n = 122, k = 2$ $RR = .32$ $CI (.03 - 3.91)$ U | No group-risk reported like in effect sides-overall outcome. Intervention: only omega3 | n.a. |
| Side effects: irritability | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P) | $n = 60, k = 1$ $RR = .07$ $CI (.00 - 1.12)$ U | No group-risk reported like in effect sides-overall outcome. Intervention: only omega3 | n.a. |

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| | Side effects: nausea | Low ⊕⊕○○ (IC, IP) | $n = 428, k = 5$ $RR = .97$ CI (.41 - 2.34) U | No group-risk reported like in effect sides-overall outcome. Intervention: only omega3 | n.a. |
| | Side effects: nose bleed | Very low ⊕○○○ (IC, IP) | $n = 158, k = 2$ $RR = .75$ CI (.09 - 6.06) U | No group-risk reported like in effect sides-overall outcome. Intervention: only omega3 | n.a. |
| | Side effects: palpitations | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P) | $n = 60, k = 1$ $RR = .71$ CI (.25 - 2.00) U | No group-risk reported like in effect sides-overall outcome. Intervention: only omega3 | n.a. |
| | Side effects: tics | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP, P) | $n = 207, k = 2$ $RR = .50$ CI (.06 - 4.46) U | No group-risk reported like in effect sides-overall outcome. Intervention: only omega3 | n.a. |
| | Side effects: tremor | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP, P) | $n = 60, k = 1$ $RR = .33$ CI (.01 - 7.87) U | No group-risk reported like in effect sides-overall outcome. Intervention: only omega3 | n.a. |
| Händel, et al., 2021 | Side effects: diarrhea | Very low ⊕○○○ (IC, IP) | $n = 254, k = 3$ $RR = 1.08$ CI (.32 - 3.63) U | Search string limited to randomized controlled trials | events |
| Population: children and adolescents with ADHD (6–18 years) Intervention: supplements with polyunsaturated fatty acids w-3 and/or w-6 between 8 weeks and 12 months with or without | Side effects: gastrointestinal discomfort | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 379, k = 3$ $RR = .72$ CI (.27 - 1.88) U | Search string limited to randomized controlled trials | events |
| | Side effects: nausea | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 485, k = 5$ $RR = .99$ | Search string limited to randomized | events |

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| medical treatment | CI (.41 - 2.38) | controlled trials |
| Comparison: placebo with or without medical treatment | U | |

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen, k = Anzahl der inkludierten Primärstudien. R = risk of bias, IC = inconsistency, ID = indirectness, IP = imprecision, P = publication bias.

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1.4.3.5. Können andere Nahrungsergänzungsmittel zur Behandlung der ADHS empfohlen werden?

1.4.3.5. A

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Meta-Analysen

Vitamin D

| Endpunktkategorien | MAs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|---------------------------|-----|---|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (KU) | 1 | 1 | Schwach/ Sehr schwach |
| Aufmerksamkeit (KU) | 1 | 1 | |
| Hyperaktivität (KU) | 1 | 1 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (KU) | 1 | 2 | |
| Unerwünschte Ereignisse | 1 | 1 | |

Anmerkung. MAs = Anzahl der Meta-Analysen, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: RCTs

Vitamin D

| Endpunktkategorien | RCTs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|-------------------------------|------|---|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (E) | 1 | 1 | Schwach/sehr schwach |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (L) | 1 | 1 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (E) | 1 | 1 | |
| Soziale Probleme (E) | 1 | 1 | |
| Psychosomatische Probleme (E) | 1 | 1 | |
| Angst (E) | 1 | 1 | |

Anmerkung. RCTs = Anzahl der randomisierten kontrollierten Studien, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: Meta-Analysen

Vitamin D

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Aussagesicherheit (GRADE) | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Messinstrument |
|---|----------|---------------------------|--------------|------------|----------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Kombiniertes Urteil | | | | | |

Gan et al., 2019

Population:
children and adolescents with ADHD
Intervention:
Vitamin D supplementation during 6 to 12 weeks (doses: between 1000

ADHD symptom combined

Very low
⊕○○○
(R, IC, P)

n = 221, k = 3
SMD = .39
CI (.12 - .65)

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Parent-, teacher-, and clinician-rated

CPRS, ADHD-RS, WPREMB

IU/day and 50,000 IU/week) combined with methylphenidate. Comparison: no treatment or placebo treatment or same baseline treatment alone or placebo + same baseline treatment (all were placebo controlled finally)

Aufmerksamkeit. Kombiniertes Urteil

Gan et al., 2019

Population: children and adolescents with ADHD
 Intervention: Vitamin D supplementation during 6 to 12 weeks (doses: between 1000 IU/day and 50,000 IU/week) combined with methylphenidate. Comparison: no treatment or placebo treatment or same baseline treatment alone or placebo + same baseline treatment (all were placebo controlled finally)

Inattention scores

Very low
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 (R, IC, P)

$n = 185, k = 3$
 $SMD = .67$
 CI (.12 - 1.23)



Parent-, teacher-, and clinician-rated; all studies initially defined as randomized and blinded but then read details

CPRS, WCST

Hyperaktivität. Kombiniertes Urteil

Gan et al., 2019

Population: children and adolescents with ADHD
 Intervention: Vitamin D

Hyperactivity scores

Very low
 ⊕○○○
 (R, IC, P)

$n = 256, k = 4$
 $SMD = .60$
 CI (.07 - 1.13)



Parent-, teacher-, and clinician-rated; 3 studies are initially defined as randomized and blinded but then read details.

CPRS, ADHD-RS, WPREMB, WCST, CPQ, SDQT, SDQP, CPT

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| <p>supplementation during 6 to 12 weeks (doses: between 1000 IU/day and 50,000 IU/week) combined with methylphenidate. Comparison: no treatment or placebo treatment or same baseline treatment alone or placebo + same baseline treatment (all were placebo controlled finally)</p> | | | | <p>1 study Double-blinded (unclear randomized)</p> | |
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Verhaltensprobleme. Kombiniertes Urteil

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|--|----------------------------|--|---|--|--|
| <p>Gan et al., 2019</p> <p>Population: children and adolescents with ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: Vitamin D supplementation during 6 to 12 weeks (doses: between 1000 IU/day and 50,000 IU/week) combined with methylphenidate. Comparison: no treatment or placebo treatment or same baseline treatment alone or placebo + same baseline treatment (all were placebo controlled finally)</p> | <p>Behavior score</p> | <p>Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, P)</p> | <p>$n = 125, k = 2$ $SMD = .54$ $CI (.18 - .90)$</p> <p style="text-align: center;">I</p> | <p>Parent-, teacher-, and clinician-rated; 1 study is initially defined as randomized and blinded but then read details. 1 study Double-blinded (unclear randomized)</p> | <p>CPRS, ADHD-RS, WPREMB, CPQ, SDQT, SDQP, CPT</p> |
| | <p>Oppositional scores</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (IC, IP, P)</p> | <p>$n = 89, k = 2$ $MD = 9.76$ $CI (-.62 - 20.13)$</p> <p style="text-align: center;">U</p> | <p>Parent-, teacher-, and clinician-rated; 2 studies are initially defined as randomized and blinded but then read details.</p> | <p>CPRS, ADHD-RS, WPREMB, WCST</p> |

Unerwünschte Ereignisse

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| <p>Gan et al., 2019</p> <p>Population: children and</p> | <p>Adverse effects of vitamin D supplementation</p> | <p>Low ⊕⊕○○ (IP)</p> | <p>$n = 224, k = 2$ $Odds Ratio = 1.53$ $CI (.86 - 2.72)$</p> | <p>Adverse effects were: headache, weight loss, appetite loss,</p> | <p>Side effects questionnaire at 8 weeks (any specific)</p> |
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| <p>adolescents with ADHD Intervention: Vitamin D supplementation during 6 to 12 weeks (doses: between 1000 IU/day and 50,000 IU/week) combined with methylphenidate. Comparison: no treatment or placebo treatment or same baseline treatment alone or placebo + same baseline treatment (all were placebo controlled finally)</p> | U | <p>impulsiveness, stomachache, sleep problems, nausea, vomiting, feeling of fear, emotional instability diarrhea. Intervention of the study: 2000 IU/day during 8-week vs Placebo (Starch).</p> |
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*Summary of Findings Tabelle: RCTs
Vitamin D*

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Risk of Bias | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Mess-instrument |
|--|---|---|--|--|-------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| <p>Rahmani, et al., 2022 Population: children and adolescents with ADHD aged 6-15 years Intervention: combined vitamin D and neurofeedback Comparison: no intervention (A), neurofeedback (B), vitamin D (C)</p> | <p>Inattention, hyperactivity, and total ADHD symptoms</p> | <p>No Risk </p> | <p>n = 104 ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) <div style="background-color: yellow; text-align: center; width: 20px; margin: 5px auto;">I</div></p> | <p>Stronger effect on decreasing ADHD symptoms for combined intervention reported; clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>ADHD-RS-IV</p> |
| ADHS Symptome. Lehrer*innenurteil | | | | | |

Rahmani, et al., 2022

Population: children and adolescents with ADHD aged 6-15 years
 Intervention: combined vitamin D and neurofeedback
 Comparison: no intervention (A), neurofeedback (B), vitamin D (C)

Inattention, hyperactivity, and total ADHD symptoms

No Risk


n = 104
 ES = n.a.
 CI (n.a.)



Stronger effect on decreasing ADHD symptoms for combined intervention reported, clinical implication based on p-value

ADHD-RS-IV

Verhaltensprobleme. Elternurteil

Hemamy, et al., 2020

Population: children with ADHD (DSM IV diagnoses), 6-12 years
 Intervention: vitamin D (50,000 IU/week, pearls) and magnesium (6 mg/kg/day, tablets) supplements
 Comparison: control group, placebo

Conduct problems score, Baseline – 8 weeks

No Risk


n = 66
 ES = n.a.
 CI (n.a.)



Supplementation with vitamin D and magnesium; clinical implication based on p-value

Connors Parent's Questionnaire, Scale-48

Soziale Probleme. Elternurteil

Hemamy, et al., 2020

Population: children with ADHD (DSM IV diagnoses), 6-12 years
 Intervention: vitamin D (50,000 IU/week, pearls) and magnesium (6 mg/kg/day, tablets) supplements
 Comparison: control group, placebo

Social problems score, Baseline – 8 weeks

No Risk


n = 66
 ES = n.a.
 CI (n.a.)



Clinical implication based on p-value

Connors Parent's Questionnaire, Scale-48

Psychosomatische Probleme. Elternurteil

Hemamy, et al., 2020

Psychosomatic problems score, Baseline – 8 weeks

No Risk


n = 66
 ES = n.a.
 CI (n.a.)

Clinical implication based on p-value

Connors Parent's Questionnaire, Scale-48

Population: children with ADHD (DSM IV diagnoses), 6-12 years
 Intervention: vitamin D (50,000 IU/week, pearls) and magnesium (6 mg/kg/day, tablets) supplements
 Comparison: control group, placebo

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Angst. Elternurteil

Hemamy, et al., 2020

Population: children with ADHD (DSM IV diagnoses), 6-12 years
 Intervention: vitamin D (50,000 IU/week, pearls) and magnesium (6 mg/kg/day, tablets) supplements
 Comparison: control group, placebo

Anxiety score, Baseline – 8 weeks

No Risk
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n = 66
 ES = n.a.
 CI (n.a.)

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Clinical implication based on p-value

Connors Parent's Questionnaire, Scale-48

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen. SG = sequence generation, CC = concealment, BP = blinding participants, BA = blinding assessors, ID = incomplete data, OR = outcome reporting, CE = carry over effects, SX = stopped early, UM = unvalidated measures, OI = other issue.

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Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Meta-Analysen

Zink

| Endpunktkategorien | MAs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|---------------------------|-----|---|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (KU) | 1 | 1 | Schwach/ sehr schwach |
| Aufmerksamkeit (KU) | 1 | 1 | |
| Hyperaktivität (KU) | 1 | 1 | |

Anmerkung. MAs = Anzahl der Meta-Analysen, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: RCTs

Zink

| Endpunktkategorien | RCTs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|----------------------------------|------|---|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (E) | 1 | 1 | No risk |
| Aufmerksamkeit (E) | 1 | 1 | |
| Hyperaktivität/ Impulsivität (E) | 1 | 2 | |

Anmerkung. RCTs = Anzahl der randomisierten kontrollierten Studien, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: Meta-Analysen

Zink

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Aussagesicherheit (GRADE) | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Mess-instrument |
|--|----------|---------------------------|--------------|------------|-----------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Kombiniertes Urteil | | | | | |

Talebi, 2022

Population: School-aged children with a diagnosis of ADHD (7 to 10 years) with and without taking methylphenidate
 Intervention: Oral zinc supplementation (10mg - 40 mg) up to 6 weeks
 Comparison: Placebo

ADHD total scores

Very low
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 (R, IC)

n = 489, k = 6
 g = -.62
 CI (-1.24 - -.002)

Parent- and teacher-rated

CPQ, CPTRS, CGI, SNAP, PTR-ADHDS, ADHDS ACTQ-H ACTQ-A ACTQ-C

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| Aufmerksamkeit. Kombiniertes Urteil | | | | | |
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Talebi, 2022

Population: School-aged children with a

Inattention scores

Very low
 ⊕○○○
 (R, IC, IP)

n = 305, k = 3
 g = .21
 CI (-.09 - .51)

Parent- and teacher-rated

CPTRS & SNAP, CPQ, ADHDS ACTQ-H

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| diagnosis of ADHD (7 to 10 years) with and without taking methylphenidate Intervention: Oral zinc supplementation (10mg - 40 mg) up to 6 weeks Comparison: Placebo | ACTQ-A ACTQ-C |
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Hyperaktivität. Kombiniertes Urteil

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| Talebi, 2022 | | | | | |
| Population: School-aged children with a diagnosis of ADHD (7 to 10 years) with and without taking methylphenidate Intervention: Oral zinc supplementation (10mg - 40 mg) up to 6 weeks Comparison: Placebo | Hyperactivity scores | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 305, k = 3$ $g = -.93$ CI (-3.31 - 1.45) | Parent- and teacher-rated | CPTRS & SNAP, CPQ, ADHDS ACTQ-H ACTQ-A ACTQ-C |
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Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen, k = Anzahl der inkludierten Primärstudien. R = risk of bias, IC = inconsistency, ID = indirectness, IP = imprecision, P = publication bias.

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Summary of Findings Tabelle: RCTs
Zink

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Risk of Bias | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Mess-instrument |
|--|-------------------------|--------------|--|---|--------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| Noorazar, et al., 2020 | ADHD total score | No Risk ○ | $n = 60$ $ES = n.a.$ $CI (n.a.)$ | Study duration 6 weeks; homogeneity of regressions and no significant difference between groups, homogeneity of variance, Levene's test: no significant difference between groups, | Connors Parent's Questionnaire |
| Population: 60 children with ADHD, aged 7–12 years who were treated with methylphenidate Intervention: 0.5–1 mg/kg/day methylphenidate plus zinc augmentation (10 | | | | | |

mg) Zn (10 cc zinc sulfate syrup)
 Comparison: control group, treated with 0.5–1 mg/kg/day methylphenidate plus placebo

Covariance analysis not significant; clinical implication based on p-value

Aufmerksamkeit. Elternurteil

Noorazar, et al., 2020

Population: 60 children with ADHD, aged 7–12 years who were treated with methylphenidate
 Intervention: 0.5–1 mg/kg/day methylphenidate plus zinc augmentation (10 mg) Zn (10 cc zinc sulfate syrup)
 Comparison: control group, treated with 0.5–1 mg/kg/day methylphenidate plus placebo

Inattention

No Risk
 ○

n = 60
 ES = n.a.
 CI (n.a.)



Study duration 6 weeks; homogeneity of regressions and no significant difference between groups, homogeneity of variance, Levene's test: no significant difference between groups; Covariance analysis significant; clinical implication based on p-value

Connors Parent's Questionnaire

Hyperaktivität/ Impulsivität. Elternurteil

Noorazar, et al., 2020

Population: 60 children with ADHD, aged 7–12 years who were treated with methylphenidate
 Intervention: 0.5–1 mg/kg/day methylphenidate plus zinc augmentation (10 mg) Zn (10 cc zinc sulfate syrup)
 Comparison: control group, treated with 0.5–1 mg/kg/day methylphenidate plus placebo

Hyperactivity

No Risk
 ○

n = 60
 ES = n.a.
 CI (n.a.)



Study duration 6 weeks; homogeneity of regressions and no significant difference between groups, homogeneity of variance, Levene's test: no significant difference between groups, Covariance analysis: not significant; clinical implication based on p-value

Connors Parent's Questionnaire

Impulsivity

No Risk
○

n = 60
ES = n.a.
CI (n.a.)

U

Study duration 6 weeks; homogeneity of regressions and no significant difference between groups, homogeneity of variance, Levene's test: no significant difference between groups, Covariance analysis: not significant; clinical implication based on p-value

Connors Parent's Questionnaire

Anmerkung. *n* = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen. SG = sequence generation, CC = concealment, BP = blinding participants, BA = blinding assessors, ID = incomplete data, OR = outcome reporting, CE = carry over effects, SX = stopped early, UM = unvalidated measures, OI = other issue.

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**Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: RCTs
Micronutrients**

| Endpunktkategorien | RCTs | m | Gesamt |
|-----------------------------------|------|---|-----------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (E) | 1 | 1 | Schwach/ sehr schwach |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (L) | 1 | 1 | |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (KL) | 2 | 2 | |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (S) | 2 | 2 | |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (F) | 1 | 1 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (KL) | 2 | 2 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (S) | 2 | 2 | |
| Aufmerksamkeit (F) | 1 | 1 | |
| Hyperaktivität/ Impulsivität (KL) | 2 | 2 | |
| Hyperaktivität/ Implusivität (S) | 2 | 2 | |
| Hyperaktivität/ Impulsivität (F) | 1 | 1 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (E) | 1 | 2 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (L) | 1 | 3 | |
| Emotionsregulation (L) | 1 | 1 | |
| Funktionalität (KL) | 3 | 4 | |
| Klinischer Eindruck (KL) | 3 | 7 | |
| Konflikte (KU) | 1 | 1 | |
| Komorbiditäten (E) | 1 | 1 | |
| Komorbiditäten (S) | 2 | 2 | |

Anmerkung. RCTs = Anzahl der randomisierten kontrollierten Studien, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

**Summary of Findings Tabelle: RCTs
Micronutrients**

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Risk of Bias | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Mess-instrument |
|---|---------------------|--------------|--|---------------------------------------|-----------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| Rucklidge, et al., 2018 | Total ADHD symptoms | No Risk ○ | n = 93 ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value | CPRS-R:L DSM-IV |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Lehrer*innenurteil | | | | | |

Rucklidge, et al., 2018

Population: children with ADHD aged 7-12 years
Intervention: broad-spectrum Micronutrients (vitamins and minerals)
Comparison: placebo

No Risk
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U

Clinical implication based on p-value

CPRS-R:L DSM-IV

ADHS Symptome gesamt. Lehrer*innenurteil

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|--|----------------------------|------------------------------|---|---|---|
| Rucklidge, et al., 2018 | | | | | |
| <p>Population: children with ADHD aged 7-12 years</p> <p>Intervention: broad-spectrum Micronutrients (vitamins and minerals)</p> <p>Comparison: placebo</p> | Total ADHD symptoms | No Risk ○ | <p>$n = 93$</p> <p>ES = n.a.</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | Clinical implication based on p-value | CPRS-R:L DSM-IV |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Kliniker*innenurteil | | | | | |
| Rucklidge, et al., 2018 | | | | | |
| <p>Population: children with ADHD aged 7-12 years</p> <p>Intervention: broad-spectrum Micronutrients (vitamins and minerals)</p> <p>Comparison: placebo</p> | Total ADHD symptoms | No Risk ○ | <p>$n = 93$</p> <p>ES = n.a.</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | Clinical implication based on p-value | ADHD-RS-IV |
| Rucklidge, et al., 2014 | | | | | |
| <p>Population: adults with ADHD without medication</p> <p>Intervention: vitamins and minerals, without omega fatty acids</p> <p>Comparison: placebo</p> | ADHD symptoms total | No Risk ○ | <p>$n = 80$</p> <p>$d = .23$</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | Changes from baseline to end of treatment compared between randomized groups using repeated-measures ANCOVA; clinical implication based on p-value | CAARS (Conners Adult ADHD Rating Scale) |
| ADHS Symptome. Selbsturteil | | | | | |
| Rucklidge, et al., 2017 | | | | | |
| <p>Population: adults with ADHD</p> <p>Intervention: staying on Micronutrients after treatment phase</p> <p>Comparison: switching to medications (control A) or stopping treatment (control B)</p> | ADHD total score | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | <p>$n = 72$</p> <p>ES = n.a.</p> <p>CI (n.a.)</p> <p>U</p> | Result of ANCOVA comparing change-score from end of treatment to end of follow-up: Intervention significantly better than control B; clinical implication | Conners' Adult ADHD Rating Scale; Diagnostic and Statistical Manual |




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|---|----------------------------|--------------|------------------------------------|--|---|
| | | | | based on p-value | |
| Rucklidge, et al., 2014 | | | | | |
| Population: adults with ADHD without medication Intervention: vitamins and minerals, without omega fatty acids Comparison: placebo | ADHD symptoms total | No Risk ○ | $n = 80$ $d = .61$ CI (n.a.) | Changes from baseline to end of treatment compared between randomized groups using repeated-measures ANCOVA; clinical implication based on p-value | CAARS (Conners Adult ADHD Rating Scale) |
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ADHS Symptome. Fremdurteil

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|---|----------------------------|--------------|------------------------------------|--|---|
| Rucklidge, et al., 2014 | | | | | |
| Population: adults with ADHD without medication Intervention: vitamins and minerals, without omega fatty acids Comparison: placebo | ADHD symptoms total | No Risk ○ | $n = 80$ $d = .59$ CI (n.a.) | Changes from baseline to end of treatment compared between randomized groups using repeated-measures ANCOVA; clinical implication based on p-value | CAARS (Conners Adult ADHD Rating Scale) |
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Aufmerksamkeit. Kliniker*innenurteil

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|---|--------------------|--------------|------------------------------------|--|---|
| Rucklidge, et al., 2018 | | | | | |
| Population: children with ADHD aged 7-12 years Intervention: broad-spectrum Micronutrients (vitamins and minerals) Comparison: placebo | Inattention | No Risk ○ | $n = 93$ ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) | Clinical implication based on p-value | ADHD-RS-IV |
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| Rucklidge, et al., 2014 | | | | | |
| Population: adults with ADHD without medication | Inattention | No Risk ○ | $n = 80$ $d = .02$ CI (n.a.) | Changes from baseline to end of treatment compared between randomized groups using | CAARS (Conners Adult ADHD Rating Scale) |
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| <p>Intervention: vitamins and minerals, without omega fatty acids Comparison: placebo</p> | | | | <p>repeated-measures ANCOVA; clinical implication based on p-value</p> | |
| Aufmerksamkeit. Selbsturteil | | | | | |
| <p>Rucklidge, et al., 2017</p> | <p>Population: adults with ADHD Intervention: staying on Micronutrients after treatment phase Comparison: switching to medications (control A) or stopping treatment (control B)</p> | <p>Inattention</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (BP, BA)</p> | <p><i>n</i> = 72 ES = n.a. CI (n.a.)</p>  | <p>Result of ANCOVA comparing change-score from end of treatment to end of follow-up: Intervention significantly better than control B; clinical implication based on p-value</p> <p>Conners' Adult ADHD Rating Scale; Diagnostic and Statistical Manual</p> |
| <p>Rucklidge, et al., 2014</p> | <p>Population: adults with ADHD without medication Intervention: vitamins and minerals, without omega fatty acids Comparison: placebo</p> | <p>Inattention</p> | <p>No Risk ○</p> | <p><i>n</i> = 80 <i>d</i> = .62 CI (n.a.)</p>  | <p>Changes from baseline to end of treatment compared between randomized groups using repeated-measures ANCOVA; clinical implication based on p-value</p> <p>CAARS (Conners Adult ADHD Rating Scale)</p> |
| Aufmerksamkeit. Fremdurteil | | | | | |
| <p>Rucklidge, et al., 2014</p> | <p>Population: adults with ADHD without medication Intervention: vitamins and minerals, without omega fatty acids Comparison: placebo</p> | <p>Inattention</p> | <p>No Risk ○</p> | <p><i>n</i> = 80 <i>d</i> = .33 CI (n.a.)</p>  | <p>Changes from baseline to end of treatment compared between randomized groups using repeated-measures ANCOVA; clinical implication</p> <p>CAARS (Conners Adult ADHD Rating Scale)</p> |

based on p-value

Hyperaktivität/ Impulsivität. Kliniker*innenurteil

Rucklidge, et al., 2018

Population: children with ADHD aged 7-12 years
Intervention: broad-spectrum Micronutrients (vitamins and minerals)
Comparison: placebo

Hyperactivity/impulsivity

No Risk
○

$n = 93$
ES = n.a.
CI (n.a.)

U

Clinical implication based on p-value

ADHD-RS-IV

Rucklidge, et al., 2014

Population: adults with ADHD without medication
Intervention: vitamins and minerals, without omega fatty acids
Comparison: placebo

Hyperactivity-impulsivity

No Risk
○

$n = 80$
 $d = .40$
CI (n.a.)

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Changes from baseline to end of treatment compared between randomized groups using repeated-measures ANCOVA; clinical implication based on p-value

CAARS (Conners Adult ADHD Rating Scale)

Hyperaktivität/ Impulsivität. Selbsturteil

Rucklidge, et al., 2017

Population: adults with ADHD
Intervention: staying on Micronutrients after treatment phase
Comparison: switching to medications (control A) or stopping treatment (control B)

Hyperactivity/impulsivity

Very high risk
● (BP, BA)

$n = 72$
ES = n.a.
CI (n.a.)

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Result of ANCOVA comparing change-score from end of treatment to end of follow-up: no significant differences; clinical implication based on p-value

Conners' Adult ADHD Rating Scale; Diagnostic and Statistical Manual

Rucklidge, et al., 2014

Population: adults with ADHD without medication

Hyperactivity-impulsivity

No Risk
○

$n = 80$
 $d = .47$
CI (n.a.)


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Changes from baseline to end of treatment compared between



CAARS (Conners Adult ADHD Rating Scale)

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| Intervention: vitamins and minerals, without omega fatty acids Comparison: placebo | | | | randomized groups using repeated-measures ANCOVA; clinical implication based on p-value |
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Hyperaktivität/ Impulsivität. Fremdurteil

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| Rucklidge, et al., 2014 | | | | Changes from baseline to end of treatment compared between randomized groups using repeated-measures ANCOVA; clinical implication based on p-value |
| Population: adults with ADHD without medication Intervention: vitamins and minerals, without omega fatty acids Comparison: Placebo | Hyperactivity-impulsivity | No Risk ○ | $n = 80$ $d = .67$ CI (n.a.)  | CAARS (Conners Adult ADHD Rating Scale) |

Verhaltensprobleme. Elternurteil




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| Rucklidge, et al., 2018 | | | | Clinical implication based on p-value | Strength and difficulties questionnaire (SDQ) |
| Population: children with ADHD aged 7-12 years Intervention: broad-spectrum Micronutrients (vitamins and minerals) Comparison: placebo | Conduct problem score | No Risk ○ | $n = 93$ $d = .52$ CI (n.a.)  | Clinical implication based on p-value | Strength and difficulties questionnaire (SDQ) |
| | Total problem score | No Risk ○ | $n = 93$ ES = n.a. CI (n.a.)  | Clinical implication based on p-value | Strength and difficulties questionnaire (SDQ) |

Verhaltensprobleme. Lehrer*innenurteil

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| Rucklidge, et al., 2018 | | | | Clinical implication based on p-value | Strength and difficulties questionnaire (SDQ) |
| Population: children with ADHD aged 7-12 years Intervention: broad-spectrum Micronutrients (vitamins and minerals) Comparison: placebo | Conduct problem score | No Risk ○ | $n = 93$ ES = n.a. CI (n.a.)  | Clinical implication based on p-value | Strength and difficulties questionnaire (SDQ) |
| | Behavioural regulation index | No Risk ○ | $n = 93$ ES = n.a. CI (n.a.)  | Clinical implication based on p-value | Global assessment of functioning (BRIEF) |

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| | Total problem score | No Risk ○ | $n = 93$ ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value | Strength and difficulties questionnaire (SDQ) |
| Emotionsregulation. Lehrer*innenurteil | | | | | |
| | Rucklidge, et al., 2018 | | | | |
| | Population: children with ADHD aged 7-12 years | | | | |
| | Intervention: broad-spectrum | | | | |
| | Micronutrients (vitamins and minerals) | | | | |
| | Comparison: placebo | | | | |
| | Emotional control subscale | No Risk ○ | $n = 93$ $d = .66$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value | Global assessment of functioning (BRIEF) |
| Funktionalität. Kliniker*innenurteil | | | | | |
| | Rucklidge, et al., 2018 | | | | |
| | Population: children with ADHD aged 7-12 years | | | | |
| | Intervention: broad-spectrum | | | | |
| | Micronutrients (vitamins and minerals) | | | | |
| | Comparison: placebo | | | | |
| | C-GAS | No Risk ○ | $n = 93$ $d = .48$ CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value | Childrens Global Assessment Scale |
| | Rucklidge, et al., 2017 | | | | |
| | Population: adults with ADHD | | | | |
| | Intervention: staying on Micronutrients after treatment phase | | | | |
| | Comparison: switching to medications (control A) or stopping treatment (control B) | | | | |
| | GAF total | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | $n = 72$ ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) I | Result of ANCOVA comparing change-score from end of treatment to end of follow-up: intervention significantly better than both control groups; clinical implication based on p-value | Global Assessment of Functioning |
| | Rucklidge, et al., 2014 | | | | |
| | Population: adults with ADHD without medication | No Risk ○ | $n = 80$ $d = .25$ CI (n.a.) | Changes from baseline to end of treatment compared between | Longitudinal Interval Follow-up Evaluation – Range Impaired Functioning Tool |

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|---|----------------------|--|--|---|---|
| <p>Intervention: vitamins and minerals, without omega fatty acids Comparison: Placebo</p> | <p>U</p> | <p>randomized groups using repeated-measures ANCOVA; clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>Global Assessment of Functioning</p> | | |
| <p>GAF</p> | <p>No Risk ○</p> | <p>$n = 80$ $d = .46$ CI (n.a.) <div style="background-color: yellow; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;">I</div> </p> | <p>Changes from baseline to end of treatment compared between randomized groups using repeated-measures ANCOVA; clinical implication based on p-value</p> | | |
| <p>Klinischer Gesamteindruck. Kliniker*innenurteil</p> | | | | | |
| <p>Rucklidge, et al., 2018</p> | <p>CGI</p> | <p>No Risk ○</p> | <p>$n = 93$ $d = .46$ CI (n.a.) <div style="background-color: yellow; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;">I</div> </p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>Clinical Global Impression Improvement</p> |
| <p>Population: children with ADHD aged 7-12 years Intervention: broad-spectrum Micronutrients (vitamins and minerals) Comparison: placebo</p> | <p>CGI-I-ADHD</p> | <p>No Risk ○</p> | <p>$n = 93$ $d = .53$ CI (n.a.) <div style="background-color: yellow; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;">I</div> </p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>Clinical Global Impression Improvement</p> |
| <p>CGI-I-Mood</p> | <p>No Risk ○</p> | <p>$n = 93$ $d = .51$ CI (n.a.) <div style="background-color: yellow; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;">I</div> </p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>Clinical Global Impression Improvement</p> | |
| <p>Rucklidge, et al., 2017</p> | <p>CGI-I-ADHD</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 72$ ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) <div style="background-color: yellow; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;">U</div> </p> | <p>Result of ANCOVA comparing change-score from end of treatment to end of follow-up:</p> | <p>Clinical Global Impression Improvement</p> |

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| <p>Comparison: switching to medications (control A) or stopping treatment (control B)</p> | <p>intervention significantly better than both control groups; Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | | |
| <p>CGI-I-global</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (BP, BA)</p> <p>$n = 72$ ES = n.a. CI (n.a.)</p>  | <p>Result of ANCOVA comparing change-score from end of treatment to end of follow-up: intervention significantly better than both control groups; Clinical implication based on p-value</p> <p>Clinical Global Impression Improvement</p> | |
| <p>Rucklidge, et al., 2014</p> | <p>CGI-I-ADHD</p> | <p>No Risk ○</p> <p>$n = 80$ $d = .53$ CI (n.a.)</p>  | <p>Changes from baseline to end of treatment compared between randomized groups using repeated-measures ANCOVA; clinical implication based on p-value</p> <p>Clinical Global Impression Improvement - ADHD</p> |
| <p>Population: adults with ADHD without medication Intervention: vitamins and minerals, without omega fatty acids Comparison: Placebo</p> | <p>CGI-I-global</p> | <p>No Risk ○</p> <p>$n = 80$ $d = .57$ CI (n.a.)</p>  | <p>Changes from baseline to end of treatment compared between randomized groups using repeated-measures ANCOVA; clinical implication</p> <p>Clinical Global Impression Improvement – overall impression</p> |

based on p-value

Konflikte. Kombiniertes Urteil

Johnstone, et al., 2022

Population:
unmedicated children (6–12 years) with ADHD and at least one impairing irritability symptom
Intervention:
micronutrients (vitamins/minerals)
Comparison: placebo

Peer conflicts,
Between groups

No
Risk
○

$n = 135$
 $MD = -.13$
 $CI (n.a.)$

I

Only significant measures reported; clinical implication based on p-value; other adults-/teacher-rating: clinical implication based on p-value

Child and Adolescent Symptom Inventory-5 (CASI-5)

Komorbiditäten. Elternurteil

Rucklidge, et al., 2018

Population: children with ADHD aged 7-12 years
Intervention: broad-spectrum
Micronutrients (vitamins and minerals)
Comparison: placebo

Mania,
CMRS-p

No
Risk
○

$n = 93$
 $ES = n.a.$
 $CI (n.a.)$

U

Clinical implication based on p-value

Child Mania Rating Scale (CMRS), parent Version

Komorbiditäten. Selbsturteil

Rucklidge, et al., 2017

Population: adults with ADHD
Intervention: staying on Micronutrients after treatment phase
Comparison: switching to medications (control A) or stopping treatment (control B)

Depression, MADRS total

Very
high
risk
●
(BP,
BA)

$n = 72$
 $ES = n.a.$
 $CI (n.a.)$

I

Result of ANCOVA comparing change-score from end of treatment to end of follow-up: intervention significantly better than both control groups; clinical implication based on p-value

Montgomery-Asberg Depression Rating Scale

Rucklidge, et al., 2014

Population: adults with
ADHD without
medication
Intervention: vitamins
and minerals, without
omega fatty acids
Comparison: placebo

Depression, MADRS total

No
Risk
○

$n = 80$
 $d = .41$
CI (n.a.)

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Changes from
baseline to end
of treatment
compared
between
randomized
groups using
repeated-
measures
ANCOVA;
clinical
implication
based on p-
value

Montgomery-
Asberg
Depression
Rating Scale

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen. SG = sequence generation, CC = concealment, BP = blinding participants, BA = blinding assessors, ID = incomplete data, OR = outcome reporting, CE = carry over effects, SX = stopped early, UM = unvalidated measures, OI = other issue.

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1.4.4 Sport- und Bewegungstherapie

1.4.4.1. Was ist bzgl. sport- und bewegungstherapeutischen Interventionen im Rahmen einer ADHS-Behandlung zu beachten?

1.4.4.1. A

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Meta-Analysen

| Endpunktkategorien | MAs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|-----------------------------------|-----|---|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (KU) | 3 | 3 | Schwach/sehr schwach |
| Aufmerksamkeit (KU) | 6 | 6 | |
| Hyperaktivität/ Impulsivität (KU) | 4 | 5 | |
| Funktionsniveau (KU) | 1 | 1 | |
| Exekutive Funktionen (KL) | 3 | 8 | |
| Soziale Probleme (KU) | 1 | 1 | |
| Externalisierendes Verhalten (KU) | 1 | 1 | |

Anmerkung. MAs = Anzahl der Meta-Analysen, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: Meta-Analysen

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Aussagesicherheit (GRADE) | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Messinstrument |
|---|--|-------------------------------------|--|---|--|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Kombiniertes Urteil | | | | | |
| Hamada et al., 2025 | | | | | |
| <p>Population: children and adolescents under 18 with ADHD symptoms</p> <p>Intervention: computer games delivered through digital devices</p> <p>Comparison: waitlist, treatment as usual (TAU), sham interventions (e.g., games without anti-ADHD components)</p> | <p>Total ADHD symptoms, +Physical Exercise/VR vs. C</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R,IP)</p> | <p>n = 121 SMD = -.40 CI (-.76 - -.04)</p> | <p>Rating according to GRADE rating from MA</p> | <p>Parent and teacher rated questionnaires</p> |
| Seiffer et al., 2022 | | | | | |
| <p>Population: children/adolescents with ADHD 6 - 18(21) years</p> <p>Intervention: moderate to vigorous physical activity (MVPA)</p> | <p>Total ADHD symptoms, MVPA vs. C</p> | <p>Low ⊕⊕○○ (R,IP)</p> | <p>n = 448 g = -.33 CI (-.63 - -.02)</p> | <p>Grading of evidence done by authors</p> | <p>CSI-4, Conners 3, K-ARS, DBD, ADDES, BASC, SWAN, CBCL, CPRS-R</p> |

Comparison: Standard treatment or passive control group

Sun et al., 2024

Population: children/adolescents with ADHD
Intervention: Structured Physical exercise (SPE)
Comparison: different control groups

Total ADHD symptoms, SPE vs. C

Very low
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 (R,IC,IP)

n = 161
SMD = -.97
 CI (-2.26 - -.11)

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Neurocognitive tasks, parent and teacher rated questionnaires (CBCL, Conners Rating Scale)

Aufmerksamkeit. Kombiniertes Urteil

Cerillo-Urbina et al., 2015

Population: children/adolescents with ADHD 6 - 18(21) years
Intervention: Physical Exercises programmes
Comparison: no PE intervention (passive control)

Attention, PE vs. noPE

Low
 ⊕⊕○○
 (R)

n = 142
SMD = .84
 CI (.48 - 1.20)

I

n.a.

Cornelius et al., 2017

Population: children/adolescents with ADHD (3-18 years old)
Intervention: Physical Activity (PA)
Comparison: different control groups

Attention, PA vs. C

High
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n = n.a.
g = .46
 CI (-.62 - 1.54)

U

no information regarding R, IC, ID, IP

Neurocognitive tasks, parent and teacher rated questionnaires

Hamada et al., 2025

Population: children and adolescents under 18 with ADHD symptoms
Intervention: computer games delivered through digital devices
Comparison: waitlist, treatment as usual (TAU), sham interventions (e.g.,

Inattention, +Physical Exercise/VR vs. C

Very low
 ⊕○○○
 (R,IP)

n = 121
SMD = -.40
 CI (-.76 - -.04)

I

Rating according to GRADE rating from MA

Parent and teacher rated questionnaires

games without anti-ADHD components)

Seiffer et al., 2022

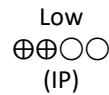
Population:

children/adolescents with ADHD 6 - 18(21) years

Intervention: moderate to vigorous physical activity (MVPA)

Comparison: Standard treatment or passive control group

Inattention, MVPA vs. C



n = 360
g = -.60
CI (-1.26 - .06)

U

CSI-4, Conners 3, K-ARS, DBD, ADDES, BASC, SWAN, CBCL, CPRS-R

Sun et al., 2022

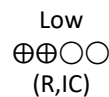
Population:

children/adolescents with ADHD 5-15 years

Intervention: Physical exercise Interventions

Comparison: passive control groups

Attention problems, PEI vs. C



n = 352
SMD = -.60
CI (-1.10 - -.11)

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Neurocognitive tasks, parent and teacher rated questionnaires (CBCL, Conners Rating Scale)

Sun et al., 2024

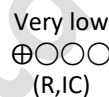
Population:

children/adolescents with ADHD

Intervention: Structured Physical exercise (SPE)

Comparison: different control groups

Inattention, SPE vs. C



n = 96
SMD = -1.37
CI (-1.10 - -.11)

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Neurocognitive tasks, parent and teacher rated questionnaires (CBCL, Conners Rating Scale)

Hyperaktivität/ Impulsivität. Kombiniertes Urteil

Cerillo-Urbina et al., 2015

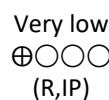
Population:

children/adolescents with ADHD 6 - 18(21) years

Intervention: Physical Exercises programmes

Comparison: no PE intervention (passive control)

Hyperactivity, PE vs. noPE

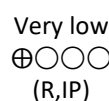


n = 62
SMD = .56
CI (.04 - 1.08)

I

n.a.

Impulsivity, PE vs. noPE



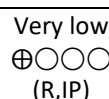
n = 62
SMD = .56
CI (.04 - 1.08)

I

n.a.

Hamada et al., 2025


Hyperactivity/ Impulsivity,




n = 121
SMD = -.40
CI (-.76 - -.04)

Rating according to GRADE rating from MA


Parent and teacher rated questionnaires

| | | |
|---|---|--|
| <p>Population: children and adolescents under 18 with ADHD symptoms</p> <p>Intervention: computer games delivered through digital devices</p> <p>Comparison: waitlist, treatment as usual (TAU), sham interventions (e.g., games without anti-ADHD components)</p> | <p>+Physical Exercise/VR vs. C</p> |  |
|---|---|--|

Seiffer et al., 2022


| | | | | |
|---|---|----------------------------------|--|--|
| <p>Population: children/adolescents with ADHD 6 - 18(21) years</p> <p>Intervention: moderate to vigorous physical activity (MVPA)</p> <p>Comparison: Standard treatment or passive control group</p> | <p>Hyperactivity, MVPA vs. C</p> | <p>Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R)</p> | <p>$n = 360$ $g = -.25$ CI (-.54 - .05)</p>  | <p>CSI-4, Conners 3, K-ARS, DBD, ADDES, BASC, SWAN, CBCL, CPRS-R</p> |
|---|---|----------------------------------|--|--|

Sun et al., 2022

| | | | | |
|--|--|----------------------------------|---|---|
| <p>Population: children/adolescents with ADHD 5-15 years</p> <p>Intervention: Physical exercise Interventions</p> <p>Comparison: passive control groups</p> | <p>Hyperactivity, PEI vs. C</p> | <p>Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R)</p> | <p>$n = 161$ $SMD = .06$ CI (-.26 - .37)</p>  | <p>Neurocognitive tasks, parent and teacher rated questionnaires (CBCL, Conners Rating Scale)</p> |
|--|--|----------------------------------|---|---|

Funktionsniveau. Kombiniertes Urteil

Seiffer et al., 2022

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|---|---|--------------------------------|---|---|------------------|
| <p>Population: children/adolescents with ADHD 6 - 18(21) years</p> <p>Intervention: moderate to vigorous physical activity (MVPA)</p> <p>Comparison: Standard treatment or passive control group</p> | <p>Functioning level, MVPA vs. C</p> | <p>Low ⊕⊕○○ (R,IP)</p> | <p>$n = 124$ $g = -.32$ CI (-.74 - -.11)</p>  | <p>Rating according to GRADE rating from MA</p> | <p>SDQ, CBCL</p> |
|---|---|--------------------------------|---|---|------------------|

Exekutive Funktionen. Kliniker*innenurteil

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|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|--|---------------------------------------|
| <p>Liang et al., 2021</p> | <p>Overall EF, PEI vs. C</p> | <p>Low ⊕⊕○○ (R,IC)</p> | <p>$n = 493$ $SMD = .61$</p> | <p>3 included studies not randomized</p> | <p>Different neurocognitive tests</p> |
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| Population: children/adolescents with ADHD 6 - 18 years | | | CI (.39 - .84) | | |
| Intervention: Physical Exercise Interventions | | | | | |
| Comparison: Different Control Groups | | | | | |
| Cognitive flexibility, PEI vs. C | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R,IC) | $n = n.a.$ $g = .78$ CI (.33 - 1.23) | 1 included study not randomized | Different neurocognitive tests | |
| Inhibitory control, PEI vs. C | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R,IC) | $n = n.a.$ $g = .76$ CI (.38 - 1.15) | 3 included studies not randomized | Different neurocognitive tests | |
| Working memory, PEI vs. C | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = n.a.$ $g = .38$ CI (.03 - .73) | | Different neurocognitive tests | |
| Cognitive flexibility, PEI vs. C | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R,IC) | $n = n.a.$ $SMD = -.45$ CI (-.81 - -.09) | 3 included studies not randomized | Different neurocognitive tests | |
| Song et al., 2023 | | | | | |
| Population: children/adolescents with ADHD | | | | | |
| Intervention: Physical Exercise Interventions | | | | | |
| Comparison: passive control groups | | | | | |
| Inhibitory control, PEI vs. C | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R,IC) | $n = n.a.$ $SMD = -.50$ CI (-.71 - -.29) | 6 included studies not randomized | Different neurocognitive tests | |
| Working memory, PEI vs. C | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R,IC) | $n = n.a.$ $SMD = -.50$ CI (-.30 - -.16) | 2 included studies not randomized | Different neurocognitive tests | |
| Qiu et al., 2023 | | | | | |
| Population: children/adolescents with ADHD (5-18 years old) | | | | | |
| Intervention: Physical Exercise Interventions | | | | | |
| Comparison: passive and active control groups | | | | | |
| Overall EF, PEI vs. C | Very low ⊕○○○ (R,IC,P) | $n = 558$ $g = 1.11$ CI (.73 - 1.48) | 3 included studies not randomized | Different neurocognitive tests | |

Soziale Probleme. Kombiniertes Urteil

Cornelius et al., 2017

Population:

children/adolescents with ADHD (3-18 years old)

Intervention: Physical Activity (PA)

Comparison: different control groups

Social problems, PA vs. C

High
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$n = n.a.$
 $g = -.64$
CI (-3.72 - 2.42)

no information regarding R, IC, ID, IP

Neurocognitive tasks, parent and teacher rated questionnaires

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Externalisierendes Verhalten. Kombiniertes Urteil

Cornelius et al., 2017

Population:

children/adolescents with ADHD (3-18 years old)

Intervention: Physical Activity (PA)

Comparison: different control groups

Disruptive behavior, PA vs. C

High
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$n = n.a.$
 $g = -.88$
CI (-4.07 - 2.31)

no information regarding R, IC, ID, IP

Neurocognitive tasks, parent and teacher rated questionnaires

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Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen, k = Anzahl der inkludierten Primärstudien. R = risk of bias, IC = inconsistency, ID = indirectness, IP = imprecision, P = publication bias.

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1.5 Pharmakotherapie

1.5.2. Welche Präparate sind zur Behandlung empfohlen? 1.5.4. Nach welchen patient*innenindividuellen Kriterien sollten die passenden Medikamente ausgewählt werden?

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Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Meta-Analysen

| Endpunktkategorien | MAs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
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| ADHS Symptome gesamt (KL) | 3 | 14 | Moderat - Hoch |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (E) | 1 | 4 | |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (L) | 3 | 8 | |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (S) | 1 | 2 | |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (KU) | 4 | 11 | |
| Klinischer Gesamteindruck (KL) | 3 | 11 | |
| Probleme des Verhaltens (KU) | 2 | 4 | |
| Lebensqualität (KU) | 2 | 3 | |
| Akademisches Funktionsniveau (KU) | 1 | 2 | |
| Schwerwiegende unerwünschte Ereignisse (KU) | 2 | 3 | |
| Unerwünschte Ereignisse (KU) | 2 | 2 | |

Anmerkung. MAs = Anzahl der Meta-Analysen, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: Meta-Analysen

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Aussagesicherheit (GRADE) | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Messinstrument |
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| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Kliniker*innenurteil | | | | | |
| | ADHD total symptoms, Amphetamines vs. placebo | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = n.a., k = 6$ $SMD = -1.02$ $CI (-1.19 - -.85)$ | GRADE rating based on study authors | ADHD-RS, ADHD-SRS, SNAP-IV, CPRS-R, CTRS-R, CASS, Conners 3, IOWA CPRS/ CTRS, SKAMP, VADTRS, VADPRS, SWAN, ADDES-1, ACTeRS |
| Cortese et al., 2018 | | | | | |
| Population: Children with ADHD Intervention: MPH or Amphetamines or ATX or Guanfacine Comparison: Placebo or different medication | ADHD total symptoms, ATX vs. placebo | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R,IC) | $n = n.a., k = 21$ $SMD = -.56$ $CI (-.66 - -.45)$ | GRADE rating based on study authors | ADHD-RS, ADHD-SRS, SNAP-IV, CPRS-R, CTRS-R, CASS, Conners 3, IOWA CPRS/ CTRS, SKAMP, VADTRS, VADPRS, SWAN, ADDES-1, ACTeRS |
| | ADHD total symptoms, GUA vs. placebo | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = n.a., k = 7$ $SMD = -.67$ $CI (-.85 - -.50)$ | GRADE rating based on study authors | ADHD-RS, ADHD-SRS, SNAP-IV, CPRS-R, CTRS-R, CASS, Conners 3, IOWA CPRS/ CTRS, SKAMP, VADTRS, VADPRS, SWAN, ADDES-1, ACTeRS |

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| | ADHD total symptoms, MPH vs. placebo | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = \text{n.a.}, k = 9$ $SMD = -.78$ $CI (-.93 - -.62)$ | GRADE rating based on study authors | ADHD-RS, ADHD-SRS, SNAP-IV, CPRS-R, CTRS-R, CASS, Conners 3, IOWA CPRS/CTRS, SKAMP, VADTRS, VADPRS, SWAN, ADDES-1, ACTeRS |
| Cortese et al., 2018 | ADHD total symptoms, Amphetamine vs. placebo | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = \text{n.a.}, k = 5$ $SMD = -.79$ $CI (-.99 - -.58)$ | GRADE rating based on study authors | AIRS, CAARS-O:L, CAARS-O:S, ADHD-RS, WRAADS, BAARS-IV |
| | ADHD total symptoms, ATX vs. placebo | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R,IC) | $n = \text{n.a.}, k = 11$ $SMD = -.45$ $CI (-.58 - -.32)$ | GRADE rating based on study authors | AIRS, CAARS-O:L, CAARS-O:S, ADHD-RS, WRAADS, BAARS-IV |
| | ADHD total symptoms, MPH vs. placebo | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (IC) | $n = \text{n.a.}, k = 11$ $SMD = -.78$ $CI (-.64 - -.35)$ | GRADE rating based on study authors | AIRS, CAARS-O:L, CAARS-O:S, ADHD-RS, WRAADS, BAARS-IV |
| | ADHD total symptoms, Amphetamines vs. placebo | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = 9926, k = 46$ $SMD = -1.02$ $CI (-1.19 - -.85)$ | GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adapted from study | n.a. |
| Correll et al., 2021 | ADHD total symptoms, MPH vs. placebo | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = 9926, k = 46$ $SMD = -.78$ $CI (-.93 - -.62)$ | GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study | n.a. |
| | ADHD total symptoms, ATX vs. placebo | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = 9926, k = 46$ $SMD = -.56$ $CI (-.66 - -.45)$ | GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study | n.a. |
| | ADHD total symptoms, GUA vs. placebo | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = 9926, k = 46$ $SMD = -.67$ $CI (-.85 - -.50)$ | GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study | n.a. |
| | ADHD total symptoms, MPH vs. placebo | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = 9926, k = 46$ $SMD = -.78$ $CI (-.93 - -.62)$ | GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study | n.a. |

Population: Adults with ADHD
Intervention: MPH or Amphetamines or ATX or Guanfacine
Comparison: Placebo or different medication

Population: Children and adolescents with ADHD
Intervention: MPH, Amphetamines, GUA, ATX, alpha2-agonists + stimulants
Comparison: Placebo

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| | ADHD total symptoms, Stimulants vs. placebo | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = n.a., k = 16$ $SMD = -.61$ $CI (-.71 - -.51)$ I | No information regarding RoB, indirectness, imprecision and publication bias | n.a. |
| Ostinelli et al., 2025 | | | | | |
| Population: Adults with ADHD Intervention: Stimulants ATX or GUA Comparison: Placebo | ADHD total symptoms, ATX vs. placebo | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = n.a., k = 16$ $SMD = -.51$ $CI (.37 - .64)$ I | No information regarding RoB, indirectness, imprecision and publication bias | n.a. |
| | ADHD total symptoms, GUA vs. placebo | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (IP) | $n = n.a., k = 6$ $SMD = .39$ $CI (-.07 - .86)$ U | No information regarding RoB, indirectness, imprecision and publication bias | n.a. |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| | ADHD total symptoms, Amphetamines vs. placebo | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = 3796, k = 23$ $SMD = -1.07$ $CI (-1.36 - -.79)$ I | GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study | n.a. |
| Correll et al., 2021 | | | | | |
| Population: Children and adolescents with ADHD Intervention: MPH, Amphetamines, GUA, ATX, alpha2-agonists + stimulants Comparison: Placebo | ADHD total symptoms, MPH vs. placebo | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = 3796, k = 23$ $SMD = -.84$ $CI (-.95 - -.72)$ I | GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study | n.a. |
| | ADHD total symptoms, ATX vs. placebo | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = 3796, k = 23$ $SMD = -.60$ $CI (-.71 - -.50)$ I | GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study | n.a. |
| | ADHD total symptoms, GUA vs. placebo | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = 3796, k = 23$ $SMD = -.23$ $CI (-.90 - .45)$ U | GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study | n.a. |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Lehrer*innenurteil | | | | | |
| Cortese et al., 2018 | ADHD total symptoms, ATX vs. placebo | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, ID, IP) | $n = n.a., k = 3$ $SMD = -.32$ $CI (-.82 - .18)$ | GRADE rating from study authors used | ADHD-RS, ADHD-SRS, SNAP-IV, CPRS-R, CTRS-R, CASS, Conners 3, IOWA CPRS/ CTRS, SKAMP, VADTRS, |

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| Intervention: MPH or Amphetamines or ATX or Guanfacin Comparison: Placebo or different medication | | | U | | VADPRS, SWAN, ADDES-1, ACTeRS | |
| | ADHD total symptoms, GUA vs. placebo | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, ID, IP) | $n = 3796, k = 23$ $SMD = -.63$ $CI (-1.62 - .35)$ | U | GRADE rating from study authors used | ADHD-RS, ADHD-SRS, SNAP-IV, CPRS-R, CTRS-R, CASS, Conners 3, IOWA CPRS/ CTRS, SKAMP, VADTRS, VADPRS, SWAN, ADDES-1, ACTeRS |
| | ADHD total symptoms, MPH vs. placebo | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, IC) | $n = n.a., k = 5$ $SMD = -.82$ $CI (-1.16 - -.48)$ | I | GRADE rating from study authors used | ADHD-RS, ADHD-SRS, SNAP-IV, CPRS-R, CTRS-R, CASS, Conners 3, IOWA CPRS/ CTRS, SKAMP, VADTRS, VADPRS, SWAN, ADDES-1, ACTeRS |
| Correll et al., 2021 Population: Children and adolescents with ADHD Intervention: MPH, Amphetamines, GUA, ATX, alpha2-agonists + stimulants Comparison: Placebo | ADHD total symptoms, Amphetamines vs. placebo | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = 745, k = 5$ $SMD = -.55$ $CI (-1.16 - -.48)$ | I | GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study | n.a. |
| | ADHD total symptoms, MPH vs. placebo | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = 1843, k = 16$ $SMD = -.82$ $CI (-1.16 - -.48)$ | I | GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study | n.a. |
| | ADHD total symptoms, ATX vs. placebo | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = 1843, k = 16$ $SMD = -.63$ $CI (-.82 - .18)$ | U | GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study | n.a. |
| | ADHD total symptoms, GUA vs. placebo | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = 1843, k = 16$ $SMD = -.63$ $CI (-1.62 - .35)$ | U | GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study | n.a. |
| Storebo et al., 2023 Population: Children and adolescents with ADHD Intervention: MPH Comparison: Placebo or no intervention | ADHD symptoms | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 1728, k = 21$ $SMD = -.74$ $CI (-.88 - -.61)$ | I | GRADE rating from study authors used | CTRS, SWAN, SNAP, FBBHKS |

ADHS Symptome gesamt. Selbsturteil

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| | Total ADHD symptoms, Stimulants vs. placebo | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = n.a., k = 16$ $SMD = -.39$ $CI (-.52 - -.26)$ | Certainty of evidence taken from the author's rating (CINEMA) | n.a. |
| Ostinelli et al., 2025 | | | | | |
| Population: Adults with ADHD Intervention: Stimulants, ATX or GUA Comparison: Placebo | ADHD total symptoms, ATX vs. placebo | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = n.a., k = 38$ $SMD = .38$ $CI (.21 - .56)$ | Certainty of evidence taken from the author's rating (CINEMA) | n.a. |
| | ADHD total symptoms, GUA vs. placebo | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, IP) | $n = n.a., k = 6$ $SMD = .67$ $CI (-.01 - 1.36)$ | Certainty of evidence taken from the author's rating (CINEMA) | n.a. |

ADHS Symptome gesamt. Kombiniertes Urteil

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| | ADHD symptoms, MASs vs. placebo | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R, IP) | $n = 516, k = 2$ $SMD = .64$ $CI (-.83 - -.45)$ | | ADHD DSM-IV-TR |
| Stuhec, et al., 2019 | | | | | |
| Population: Adults diagnosed with ADHD Intervention: lisdexamfetamine (LDX), mixed amphetamine salts (MASs), modafinil (MDF) and methylphenidate (MPH) Comparison: placebo | ADHD symptoms, LDX vs. placebo | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R, IP) | $n = 629, k = 3$ $SMD = .89$ $CI (-1.09 - -.70)$ | | ADHD DSM-IV-TR |
| | ADHD symptoms, MPH vs. placebo | Very Low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | $n = 516, k = 2$ $SMD = .64$ $CI (-.58 - -.41)$ | | ADHD DSM-IV, WRAADDS, AISRS, CAARS, UPD ADHD DSM-III |
| Correll et al., 2021 | | | | | |
| Population: Children and adolescents with ADHD Intervention: MPH, Amphetamines, GUA, ATX, alpha2-agonists+stimulants Comparison: Placebo | ADHD symptoms, Amphetamines vs. placebo | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = 7579, k = 36$ $SMD = -.18$ $CI (-.28 - -.09)$ | GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study | n.a. |
| | ADHD symptoms, MPH vs. placebo | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = 7579, k = 36$ $SMD = -.14$ $CI (-.21 - -.08)$ | GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study | n.a. |

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| | ADHD symptoms, ATX vs. placebo | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = 7579, k = 36$ $SMD = -.17$ $CI (-.23 - -.11)$ | I | GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study n.a. |
| | ADHD symptoms, GUA vs. Placebo | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = 7579, k = 36$ $SMD = -.16$ $CI (-.26 - -.05)$ | I | GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study n.a. |
| | ADHD symptoms, Alpha2-Agonists + Stimulants vs. placebo | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = 719, k = 3$ $SMD = -.36$ $CI (-.51 - -.21)$ | I | GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study n.a. |
| Radonjić et al., 2021 | ADHD symptoms, Atomoxetine vs. placebo | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ (IC) | $n = 7579, k = 36$ $SMD = -.18$ $CI (-.28 - -.09)$ | I | RCTs and non RCTS Clinician- and self-report: CAARS-INV:SV, AISRS, ADHD-RS, ASRS, CAARSS:L, BADDS adults |
| Population: Adults with ADHD Intervention: Atomoxetine and Guanfacine Comparison: Placebo | ADHD symptoms, Guanfacine vs. placebo | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = 7579, k = 36$ $SMD = -.14$ $CI (-.21 - -.08)$ | I | Self-report: ADHD Behavior Checklist for Adults, Clinician-report: ADHD-RS Total |
| Yu et al., 2023 | Total ADHD symptoms | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ (R, P) | $n = 1128, k = 6$ $SMD = -8.49$ $CI (-10.63 - -6.35)$ | I | ADHD-RS-IV |
| Klinischer Gesamteindruck. Kliniker*innenurteil | | | | | |
| Stuhec et al., 2019 | CGI, MASs vs. placebo | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (IP) | $n = 516, k = 2$ $SMD = -8.49$ $CI (-10.63 - -6.35)$ | | CGI-I |
| Population: Adults with ADHD | | | | | |

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| Intervention: lisdexamfetamine (LDX), mixed amphetamine salts (MASs), modafinil (MDF) and methylphenidate (MPH) Comparison: Placebo | CGI, LDX vs. placebo | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (IP) | $n = 629, k = 3$ $SMD = -8.49$ $CI (-10.63 - -6.35)$ | CGI-I |
| | CGI, MPH vs. placebo | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, IP) | $n = 2986, k = 12$ $SMD = -8.49$ $CI (-10.63 - -6.35)$ | CGI-I |
| Correll et al., 2021 Population: Children and adolescents with ADHD Intervention: MPH, Amphetamines, GUA, ATX, alpha2-agonists+stimulants Comparison: Placebo | Global Illness Improvement, Amphetamines vs. placebo | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = n.a., k = 40$ $OR = 5.57$ $CI (5.52 - 10.77)$ | GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study n.a. |
| | Global Illness Improvement, MPH vs. placebo | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = n.a., k = 40$ $OR = 3.36$ $CI (3.99 - 7.79)$ | GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study n.a. |
| | Global Illness Improvement, GUA vs. placebo | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = n.a., k = 40$ $OR = 5.57$ $CI (2.36 - 5.57)$ | GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study n.a. |
| | Global Illness Improvement, ATX vs. placebo | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = n.a., k = 40$ $OR = 5.57$ $CI (1.38 - 3.76)$ | GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study n.a. |
| Yu et al., 2023 Population: Children and adolescents with ADHD Intervention: GUA Comparison: Placebo | CGI, GUA vs. placebo, < 10 weeks | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = 1771, k = 7$ $RR = 1.97$ $CI (1.71 - 2.26)$ | CGI-I |
| | CGI, GUA vs. placebo, > 10 weeks | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = 852, k = 4$ $RR = 1.57$ $CI (1.37 - 1.79)$ | CGI-I |

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| | CGI GUA vs. placebo, overall | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = 2623, k = 11$ $RR = 1.78$ CI (1.59 - 2.01) | | | CGI-I |
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| | CGI-S from Meta-analysis | High ⊕⊕⊕⊕ | $n = 850, k = 4$ $RR = 1.2$ CI (0.99 - 1.45) | | | CGI-S |
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| Verhaltensprobleme. Kombiniertes Urteil | | | | | | |
| Correll et al., 2021 | Aggressive behavior, MPH vs. placebo | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 181, k = 2$ $SMD = -.26$ CI (-1.10 - 0.68) | GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study | | n.a. |
| | Population: Children and adolescents with ADHD Intervention: MPH, Amphetamines, GUA, ATX, alpha2-agonists+stimulants Comparison: Placebo | | | | | |
| | Aggressive behavior, Amphetamines vs. placebo | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | $n = 84, k = 2$ $SMD = -1.15$ CI (-1.38 - -.93) | GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study | | n.a. |
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| | Aggressive behavior, ATX vs. placebo | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = 2067, k = 15$ $RR = 1.34$ CI (0.91 - 1.97) | GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study | | n.a. |
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| Storebo et al., 2023 | General behavior | Very Low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | $n = 792, k = 7$ $SMD = -.62$ CI (-.91 - -.33) | GRADE rating from study authors used | | n.a. |
| | Population: Children and adolescents with ADHD Intervention: MPH Comparison: Placebo or no intervention | | | | | |
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| Lebensqualität. Kombiniertes Urteil | | | | | | |
| Correll et al., 2021 | Quality of Life, MPH vs. placebo | Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R) | $n = 514, k = 3$ $SMD = -.61$ CI (-.80 - -.42) | GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study | | n.a. |
| | Population: Children and adolescents with ADHD | | | | | |

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| <p>Intervention: MPH, Amphetamines, GUA, ATX, alpha2-agonists+stimulants Comparison: Placebo</p> | <p>Quality of Life, ATX vs. placebo</p> | <p>Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R)</p> | <p>$n = 2631, k = 16$ $SMD = -.39$ $CI (-.50 - -.28)$</p> | <p>GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study</p> | <p>n.a.</p> |
| <p>Storebo et al., 2023</p> | | | | | |
| <p>Population: Children and adolescents with ADHD Intervention: MPH Comparison: Placebo or no intervention</p> | <p>Quality of Life</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, ID, IP)</p> | <p>$n = 608, k = 4$ $SMD = .40$ $CI (-.03 - .83)$</p> | <p>GRADE rating from study authors used</p> | <p>Child Health Questionnaire</p> |
| <p>Schulisches Funktionsniveau. Kombiniertes Urteil</p> | | | | | |
| <p>Correll et al., 2021</p> <p>Population: Children and adolescents with ADHD Intervention: MPH, Amphetamines, GUA, ATX, alpha2-agonists+stimulants Comparison: Placebo</p> | <p>Functioning ATX vs. placebo</p> | <p>Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R)</p> | <p>$n = 608, k = 4$ $SMD = .40$ $CI (-.03 - .83)$</p> | <p>GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study</p> | <p>n.a.</p> |
| | <p>Academic functioning, Amphetamines vs. placebo</p> | <p>Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R)</p> | <p>$n = 826, k = 8$ $SMD = -.56$ $CI (-.73 - -.39)$</p> | <p>GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study</p> | <p>n.a.</p> |
| <p>Schwerwiegende unerwünschte Ereignisse. Kombiniertes Urteil</p> | | | | | |
| <p>Correll et al., 2021</p> <p>Population: Children and adolescents with ADHD Intervention: MPH, Amphetamines, GUA, ATX, alpha2-agonists+stimulants Comparison: Placebo</p> | <p>Suicide attempts, ATX vs. placebo</p> | <p>Low ⊕⊕○○ (R, IC)</p> | <p>$n = 3833, k = 23$ $RR = .84$ $CI (.03 - .20)$</p> | <p>GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study</p> | <p>n.a.</p> |
| | <p>Suicide ideation, ATX vs. placebo</p> | <p>Moderate ⊕⊕⊕○ (R)</p> | <p>$n = 2517, k = 15$ $RR = 1.67$ $CI (.83 - 3.36)$</p> | <p>GRADE not applicable. AMSTAR-rating adopted from study</p> | <p>n.a.</p> |
| <p>Storebo et al., 2023</p> <p>Population: Children and adolescents with ADHD Intervention: MPH</p> | <p>Participants with one or more Serious Adverse Events</p> | <p>Very low ⊕○○○ (R,IP)</p> | <p>$n = 3673, k = 26$ $RR = .80$ $CI (.39 - -1.67)$</p> | <p>GRADE rating from study authors used</p> | <p>n.a.</p> |

Comparison: Placebo
or no intervention

Unerwünschte Ereignisse. Kombiniertes Urteil

Yu et al., 2023

Population: Children
and adolescents with
ADHD
Intervention: GUA
Comparison: Placebo

**Treatment
emergent
adverse event**

Low
⊕⊕○○
(R, P)

$n = 2273, k = 10$
 $MD = 1.23$
 $CI (1.14 - 1.32)$

C

TEAEs

Storebo et al., 2023

Population: Children
and adolescents with
ADHD
Intervention: MPH
Comparison: Placebo
or no intervention

**Participants
with one or
more adverse
events
considered non-
serious**

Very low
⊕○○○
(R, IC, IP)

$n = 5342, k = 35$
 $RR = 1.23$
 $CI (1.11 - 1.37)$

C

GRADE rating
from study
authors used

n.a.

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen, k = Anzahl der inkludierten Primärstudien. R = risk of bias, IC = inconsistency, ID = indirectness, IP = imprecision, P = publication bias.

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1.5.4. D

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: RCTs

| Endpunktkategorien | RCTs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|---------------------------------|------|---|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome (E) | 1 | 2 | Hoch (Kinder & Jugendliche) |
| Verhaltensprobleme (L) | 1 | 3 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (E) | 3 | 6 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (U) | 1 | 1 | |
| Internalisierende Symptome (L) | 1 | 2 | |
| Internalisierende Symptome (L) | 1 | 1 | |
| Globales Funktionsniveau (E) | 1 | 1 | |
| Klinischer Gesamteindruck. (KL) | 1 | 2 | |
| Sicherheit (KL) | 2 | 8 | |

Anmerkung. MAs = Anzahl der Meta-Analysen, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: RCTs

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Risk of Bias | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Messinstrument |
|---|---|--------------|---|---|---|
| ADHS Symptome. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| Jahngard et al., 2017 | Hyperactivity Adjuvant risperidone vs. adjuvant placebo | No Risk ○ | n = 84 F $\eta^2 = .263$ CI (n.a) | Clinician implication based on p-value | Conners' Parent Rating Scale Revised – Long Version (CPRS-R: L) |
| Population: children with ADHD (6-8 years old) and symptoms of ODD + previously failed improvements with standard dosages of MPH (10-15mg/d) and family counseling Intervention: adjuvant risperidone (henceforth MPH+RISP) Comparison: placebo (henceforth MPH+PBO) | Cognitive problems/ Inattention Symptoms Adjuvant risperidone vs. adjuvant Placebo | No Risk ○ | n = 84 $\eta^2 = .180$ CI (n.a) | Clinician implication based on p-value | Conners' Parent Rating Scale Revised – Long Version (CPRS-R: L) |
| Verhaltensprobleme. Lehrer*innenurteil | | | | | |
| Blader et al., 2021 | Aggressive Behavior Adjuvant risperidone vs. adjuvant placebo | No Risk ○ | n = 105 g = -1.25 CI (n.a) | 19% female; all family's had additional Behavioral Therapy sessions | Child Behavior Checklist |
| Population: 6–12-year-olds with ADHD and either ODD or CD | | | | | |

Intervention:

Stimulant plus adjunctive Risperidon

Comparison: Stimulant plus adjunctive placebo

Clinical implication based on p-value

Rule Breaking Behavior Adjuvant risperidone vs. adjuvant placebo

No Risk
○

n = 105
LS Mean Difference = 7.58
CI (-11.08 - -4.09)



19% female; dose stimulant; all family's had additional Behavioral Therapy sessions

Child Behavior Checklist

Restlessness and Inattentive Symptoms Adjuvant Risperidon vs. adjuvant placebo

No Risk
○

n = 105
g = -.75
CI (n.a)



19% female; all family's had additional Behavioral Therapy sessions. Clinical implication based on p-value

Conners Global Index Parent Version

Verhaltensprobleme. Elternurteil

Blader et al., 2021

Population:

6–12-year-olds with ADHD and either ODD or CD

Intervention:

Stimulant plus adjunctive Risperidon

Comparison: Stimulant plus adjunctive placebo

Aggressive Behavior Adjuvant risperidone vs. adjuvant placebo

No Risk
○

n = 105
g = -1.32
CI (n.a)



19% female; dose stimulant optimization, adjustment based on AE's, switch possible if exceeded tolerability; all family's had additional Behavioral Therapy sessions. Clinical implication based on p-value

R-MOAS (Retrospective Modified Overt Aggression Scale)

Jahngard et al., 2017

Population: children with ADHD (6-8 years old) and symptoms of ODD + previously failed

Oppositional problems Adjuvant risperidone vs. Placebo

No Risk
○

n = 50
LS Means = -6.9
CI (-9.8 - -4.0)



Clinical implication based on p-value

Conners' Parent Rating Scale Revised - Long Version (CPRS-R: L)

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| <p>improvements with standard dosages of MPH (10-15mg/d) and family counseling</p> <p>Intervention: adjuvant risperidone (henceforth MPH+RISP)</p> <p>Comparison: placebo (henceforth MPH+PBO)</p> | <p>Anxious-shy Adjuvant risperidone vs. placebo</p> | <p>No Risk</p> <p>○</p> | <p>$n = 84$ $\eta^2 = .080$ CI (n.a)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>Conners' Parent Rating Scale Revised - Long Version (CPRS-R: L)</p> |
| | <p>Social problems Adjuvant risperidone vs. placebo</p> | <p>No Risk</p> <p>○</p> | <p>$n = 84$ $\eta^2 = .461$ CI (n.a)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p-value</p> | <p>Conners' Parent Rating Scale Revised - Long Version (CPRS-R: L)</p> |
| <p>Findling, R. L., et al., 2017</p> <p>Population: children (6-12 years) with serious physical aggression, diagnosis of CD or ODD, DSM-IV diagnosis of ADHD, evidence of seriously disruptive behavior</p> <p>Intervention: Augmented (PT+STIM+RIS)</p> <p>Comparison: Basic (PT+STIM+placebo)</p> | <p>Conduct problems and oppositional behavior Between-group differences at week 21</p> | <p>Very high Risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(OR,OI)</p> | <p>$n = 153$ $d = .29$ CI (n.a)</p> <p>U</p> | <p>unclear amount of adjunctive treatment; clinical implication based on p-value ($p = 0.058$)</p> | <p>Nisonger Child Behavior Rating Form (NCBRF); D-total score</p> |
| | <p>Positive social behavior Between-group differences at week 21</p> | <p>Very high Risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(OR,OI)</p> | <p>$n = 153$ $d = .44$ CI (n.a)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>unclear amount of adjunctive treatment; clinical implication based on p-value ($p = 0.005$)</p> | <p>Nisonger Child Behavior Rating Form (NCBRF); D-total score</p> |
| <p>Verhaltensprobleme. Unbekanntes Urteil</p> | | | | | |
| <p>Findling, R. L., et al., 2017</p> <p>Population: children (6-12 years) with serious physical aggression, diagnosis of CD or ODD, DSM-IV diagnosis of ADHD, evidence of seriously disruptive behavior</p> <p>Intervention: Augmented (PT+STIM+RIS)</p> <p>Comparison: Basic (PT+STIM+placebo)</p> | <p>Reactive aggression Between-group differences at week 21</p> | <p>Very high Risk</p> <p>●</p> <p>(OR,OI)</p> | <p>$n = 146$ $d = .36$ CI (n.a)</p> <p>I</p> | <p>unclear amount of adjunctive treatment; clinical implication based on p-value ($p = 0.0314$)</p> | <p>Antisocial Behavior Scale (ABS); reactive subscale</p> |
| | <p>Internalisierende Symptome. Lehrer*innenurteil</p> | | | | |

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| Blader et al., 2021 | Emotional Lability Adjuvant Risperidone vs. adjuvant placebo | No Risk ○ | $n = 105$ $g = -1.18$ CI (n.a) | 19% female; all family's had additional Behavioral Therapy sessions. Clinical implication based on p-value | Conners Global Index Parent Version |
| Population: 6–12-year-olds with ADHD and either ODD or CD | Internalizing Behavior Adjuvant Risperidone vs. adjuvant placebo | No Risk ○ | $n = 105$ $g = -.95$ CI (n.a) | 19% female; all family's had additional Behavioral Therapy sessions. Clinical implication based on p-value | Child Behavior Checklist |
| Intervention: Stimulant plus adjunctive Risperidon Comparison: Stimulant plus adjunctive placebo | Internalisierende Symptome. Kliniker*innenurteil | | | | |
| Blader et al., 2021 | Depression Symptoms Adjuvant risperidone vs. adjuvant placebo | No Risk ○ | $n = 105$ $g = -.58$ CI (n.a) | 19% female; all family's had additional Behavioral Therapy sessions. Clinical implication based on p-value | Schedule of Affective Disorders and Schizophrenia for School-Age Children (K-SADS) |
| Population: 6–12-year-olds with ADHD and either ODD or CD Intervention: Stimulant plus adjunctive Risperidon Comparison: Stimulant plus adjunctive placebo | Globales Funktionsniveau. Elternurteil | | | | |
| Blader et al., 2021 | Functional Impairment Adjuvant risperidone | No Risk ○ | $n = 105$ $g = -.40$ CI (n.a) | 19% female; all family's had additional Behavioral Therapy sessions. Clinical implication based on p-value | Columbia Impairment Scale |
| Population: 6–12-year-olds with ADHD and either ODD or CD Intervention: Stimulant plus adjunctive Risperidon Comparison: Stimulant plus adjunctive placebo | Klinischer Gesamteindruck. Kliniker*innenurteil | | | | |
| Jahngard et al., 2017 | Symptom severity Adjuvant risperidone vs. placebo | No Risk ○ | $n = 84$ $\eta^2 = .076$ CI (n.a) | Clinician implication based on p-value | Clinical Global Impression (CGI) |
| Population: children with ADHD (6-8 years old) and symptoms of ODD + previously failed | | | | | |

improvements with standard dosages of MPH (10-15mg/d) and family counseling

Intervention: adjuvant risperidone (henceforth MPH+RISP)

Comparison: placebo (henceforth MPH+PBO)

Symptom improvement Adjuvant risperidone vs. placebo

No Risk
○

$n = 105$
 $\eta^2 = .007$
CI (n.a)

Clinician implication based on p-value

Clinical Global Impression (CGI)

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Sicherheit. Kliniker*innenurteil

Height Adjuvant risperidone vs. placebo

No Risk
○

$n = 84$
 $\eta^2 = .00$
CI (n.a)

Clinician implication based on p-value

n.a

U

Side effects Adjuvant risperidone vs. placebo

No Risk
○

$n = 84$
 $\eta^2 = .031$
CI (n.a)

Clinician implication based on p-value

Clinical Global Impression (CGI)

U

Jahngard et al., 2017

Population: children with ADHD (6-8 years old) and symptoms of ODD + previously failed improvements with standard dosages of MPH (10-15mg/d) and family counseling

Intervention: adjuvant risperidone (henceforth MPH+RISP)

Comparison: placebo (henceforth MPH+PBO)

Weight gain Adjuvant risperidone vs. placebo

No Risk
○

$n = 84$
 $\eta^2 = .257$
CI (n.a)

Clinician implication based on p-value

n.a

C

Increased systolic blood pressure Adjuvant risperidone vs. placebo

No Risk
○

$n = 84$
 $\eta^2 = .017$
CI (n.a)

Clinician implication based on p-value

n.a

U

Increased diastolic blood pressure Adjuvant risperidone vs. placebo

No Risk
○

$n = 84$
 $\eta^2 = .017$
CI (n.a)

Clinician implication based on p-value

n.a

U

Increased pulse rate Adjuvant risperidone vs. placebo



No Risk
○

$n = 84$
 $\eta^2 = .017$
CI (n.a)

Clinician implication based on p-value

n.a

U

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|---|---|--|--|---|-----|
| Blader et al., 2021 Population: 6–12-year-olds with ADHD and either ODD or CD Intervention: Stimulant plus adjunctive Risperidon Comparison: Stimulant plus adjunctive placebo | Body mass index (BMI) Adjuvant risperidone vs. placebo | No Risk  | $n = 84$ $g = .815$ CI (n.a.) C | based on U.S. growth charts; 19% female; all family's had additional Behavioral Therapy sessions. Clinical implication based on p-value | n.a |
| | Weight in kg Adjuvant risperidone vs. placebo | No Risk  | $n = 105$ $g = .404$ CI (n.a.) C | based on U.S. growth charts; 19% female; all family's had additional Behavioral Therapy sessions. Clinical implication based on p-value | n.a |

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen. SG = sequence generation, CC = concealment, BP = blinding participants, BA = blinding assessors, ID = incomplete data, OR = outcome reporting, CE = carry over effects, SX = stopped early, UM = unvalidated measures, OI = other issue.

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1.5.4. F


Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: RCTs


| Endpunktkategorien | RCTs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|--------------------------------|------|---|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome (E) | 1 | 6 | Hoch |
| ADHD Symptome (KL) | 1 | 1 | |
| Klinischer Gesamteindruck (KL) | 1 | 2 | |
| Exekutivfunktionen (E) | 1 | 2 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (E) | 1 | 1 | |
| Verhaltensprobleme (S) | 1 | 2 | |
| Internalisierende Symptome (S) | 1 | 2 | |


Anmerkung. RCTs = Anzahl der randomisierten kontrollierten Studien, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: RCTs


| Referenz | Endpunkt | Risk of Bias | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Messinstrument |
|---|--|--|--|--|--------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| Wilens, T. E., et al., 2017 Population: children from 6-17 with ADHD (DSM-IV-TR) with suboptimal response to extended-release oral preparation of methylphenidate or amphetamine Intervention: psychostimulants + dose-optimized GXR (≤ 4 mg/d) in the morning (GXR AM) or evening (GXR PM) Comparison: psychostimulants + placebo | Child's morning ADHD symptoms, GXR AM + psychostimulant vs. Placebo + psychostimulant, Endpoint | No Risk  | $n = 303$ <i>LS Mean</i> = -1.7 CI (-3.2 - -.30) |  | CGI-P morning assessment |
| | Child's morning ADHD symptoms, GXR PM + psychostimulant vs. Placebo + psychostimulant, Endpoint | No Risk  | $n = 303$ <i>LS Mean</i> = -2.6 CI (-4.0 - -1.1) |  | CGI-P morning assessment |
| | Child's evening ADHD symptoms, GXR AM + psychostimulant vs. Placebo + psychostimulant, Endpoint | No Risk  | $n = 303$ <i>LS Mean</i> = -2.4 CI (-4.0 - -.90) |  | CGI-P evening assessment |

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|--|---|----------------------|--|---------------------------------|
| | <p>Child's evening ADHD symptoms, GXR PM + psychostimulant vs. Placebo + psychostimulant, Endpoint</p> | <p>No Risk ○</p> | <p><i>n</i> = 305 <i>LS Mean</i> = -3.0 <i>CI</i> (-4.5 - -1.5)</p>  | <p>CGI-P evening assessment</p> |
|--|---|----------------------|--|---------------------------------|


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| | <p>ADHD symptoms and functioning morning, GXR AM + psychostimulants vs. placebo, Endpoint</p> | <p>No Risk ○</p> | <p><i>n</i> = 303 <i>LS Mean</i> = -5.1 <i>CI</i> (n.a)</p>  | <p>clinical implication based on p-value BSFQ parent-rated items</p> |
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| | <p>ADHD symptoms and functioning morning, GXR PM + psychostimulants vs. placebo, Endpoint</p> | <p>No Risk ○</p> | <p><i>n</i> = 305 <i>LS Mean</i> = -4.7 <i>CI</i> (n.a)</p>  | <p>clinical implication based on p-value BSFQ parent-rated items</p> |
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ADHS Symptome. Kliniker*innenurteil

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| <p>Van Stralen, J. P. M., 2020</p> | | | | |
| <p>Population: Children aged 6-12 with ADHD Intervention: psychostimulant + guanfacine extended release Comparison: psychostimulant + placebo</p> | <p>ADHD symptoms, GXR+Stim vs. PLB+Stim, At endpoint</p> | <p>No Risk ○</p> | <p><i>n</i> = 50 <i>LS Mean</i> = -6.9 <i>CI</i> (-9.8 - -4.0)</p>  | <p>ADHS-RS-IV</p> |

Klinischer Gesamteindruck. Kliniker*innenurteil

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|---|---|----------------------|---|--------------|
| <p>Van Stralen, J. P. M., 2020</p> | | | | |
| <p>Population: Children aged 6-12 with ADHD Intervention: psychostimulant +</p> | <p>Severity of illness, GXR+Stim vs. PLB+Stim, At endpoint</p> | <p>No Risk ○</p> | <p><i>n</i> = 50 <i>LS Mean</i> = -.90 <i>CI</i> (-1.4 - -.40)</p>  | <p>CGI-S</p> |

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|---|---|--------------|---|---|
| guanfacine extended release Comparison: psychostimulant + placebo | Improvement relative to baseline, GYR+Stim vs. PLB+Stim, At endpoint | No Risk ○ | $n = 50$ $LS\ Mean = -.70$ $CI (-1.2 - -.30)$ | CGI-I |
| Exekutivfunktionen. Elternurteil | | | | |
| Van Stralen, J. P. M., 2020 Population: Children aged 6-12 with ADHD Intervention: psychostimulant + guanfacine extended release Comparison: psychostimulant + placebo | Global Executive Composite (GEC), GXR+Stim vs. PLB+Stim | No Risk ○ | $n = 50$ $LS\ Mean = -3.0$ $CI (-5.9 - -.20)$ | BRIEF-P GEC |
| | Metacognition index (MI), GXR+Stim vs. PLB+Stim | No Risk ○ | $n = 50$ $LS\ Mean = -2.3$ $CI (-5.0 - -.30)$ | BRIEF-P |
| Probleme des Verhaltens. Eltern Urteil | | | | |
| Van Stralen, J. P. M., 2020 Population: Children aged 6-12 with ADHD Intervention: psychostimulant + guanfacine extended release Comparison: psychostimulant + placebo | Behavioral regulation index (BRI), GXR+Stim vs. PLB+Stim | No Risk ○ | $n = 50$ $LS\ Mean = -3.7$ $CI (-7.1 - -.40)$ | BRI of BRIEF-P |
| Probleme des Verhaltens. Selbsturteil des Kindes | | | | |
| Wilens, T. E., et al., 2017 Population: children from 6-17 with ADHD (DSM-IV-TR) with suboptimal response to extended-release oral preparation of methylphenidate or amphetamine Intervention: psychostimulants + dose-optimized GXR (≤ 4 mg/d) in the morning (GXR AM) or evening (GXR PM) | Behavior morning, GXR AM + psychostimulant vs. Placebo + psychostimulant, Endpoint | No Risk ○ | $n = 303$ $LS\ Mean = -.20$ $CI (-.80 - .30)$ | BSFQ child-rated items, Behavior subscale |
| | Behavior morning, GXR PM + psychostimulant vs. Placebo + | No Risk ○ | $n = 305$ $LS\ Mean = -.50$ $CI (-1.1 - .10)$ | BSFQ child-rated items, Behavior subscale |

| Comparison: | psychostimulant, t, Endpoint | | | |
|---|--|--------------|---|---|
| Internalisierende Symptome. Selbsturteil des Kindes | | | | |
| Wilens, T. E., et al., 2017 | Feelings morning, GXR AM + psychostimulant vs. Placebo + psychostimulant, t, Endpoint | No Risk ○ | <i>n</i> = 303 <i>LS Mean</i> = -.50 <i>CI</i> (-1.0 - .10) U | BSFQ child-rated items, Feelings subscale |
| Population: children from 6-17 with ADHD (DSM-IV-TR) with suboptimal response to extended-release oral preparation of methylphenidate or amphetamine | | | | |
| Intervention: psychostimulants + dose-optimized GXR (≤ 4 mg/d) in the morning (GXR AM) or evening (GXR PM) | Feelings morning, GXR PM + psychostimulant vs. Placebo + psychostimulant, t, Endpoint | No Risk ○ | <i>n</i> = 305 <i>LS Mean</i> = -.30 <i>CI</i> (-.90 - .20) U | BSFQ child-rated items, Feelings subscale |
| Comparison: psychostimulants + placebo | | | | |

Anmerkung. *n* = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen. SG = sequence generation, CC = concealment, BP = blinding participants, BA = blinding assessors, ID = incomplete data, OR = outcome reporting, CE = carry over effects, SX = stopped early, UM = unvalidated measures, OI = other issue.

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1.5.6. Was ist im Verlauf der medikamentösen Behandlung zu beachten?

1.5.6. F

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Meta-Analysen

| Endpunktkategorien | MAs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|---|-----|---|-------------------------------------|
| Risiko für kardiovaskuläre Erkrankungen | 2 | 7 | Schwach/ sehr schwach |
| Risiko für Herzstillstand oder Tachyarrhythmien | 1 | 1 | |
| Risiko für zerebrovaskuläre Erkrankungen | 1 | 1 | |
| Risiko für Myokardinfarkt | 1 | 1 | |
| Erhöhte Herzfrequenz | 1 | 3 | |
| Systolischer Blutdruck | 1 | 3 | |

Anmerkung. MAs = Anzahl der Meta-Analysen, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: Meta-Analysen

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Aussagesicherheit (GRADE) | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Messinstrument |
|--|---|---------------------------------|---|---|----------------|
| Risiko für kardiovaskuläre Erkrankungen | | | | | |
| | Risk of Cardiovascular Disease (children and adolescents) | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | n = 1719885, k = 12 RR = 1.18 CI (.91 – 1.53) | | n.a. |
| Zhang et al., 2022 | Risk of Cardiovascular Disease (young and middle-aged adults) | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC, IP) | n = 858998, k = 7 RR = 1.04 CI (.43 – 2.48) | | n.a. |
| | Risk of Cardiovascular Disease (older adults) | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IP) | n = 267105, k = 6 RR = 1.59 CI (.62 – 4.05) | | n.a. |
| | Risk of Cardiovascular Disease (all age groups), Stimulants vs. control | Very low ⊕○○○ (R, IC) | n = n.a., k = 15 RR = 1.25 CI (.84 – 1.83) | No information regarding publication bias. Exact n for this outcome not reported; total included population | n.a. |

across all
outcomes =
3.9 million.

**Risk of
Cardiovascular
Disease
(all age groups),
Non-stimulants vs.
control**

Very low
⊕○○○
(R, IC)

$n = n.a., k = 3$
 $RR = 1.22$
 $CI (.25 - 5.97)$

U

No information
regarding
publication bias.
Exact n for this
outcome not
reported; total
included
population
across all
outcomes =
3.9 million.

n.a.

Liang et al., 2018

Population:
Children,
adolescents, adults
with ADHD
Intervention: MPH
Comparison:
Placebo or ATX

**Cardiac Adverse
Events,
Children/adolescents,
MPH vs. placebo**

Very low
⊕○○○
(R, IP)

$n = 43884, k = 5$
 $OR = .88$
 $CI (.51 - 1.51)$

U

No information
regarding
heterogeneity
and publication
bias. 4 of 5
studies
($n=43724$) are
cross-over
studies.

n.a.

**Cardiac Adverse
Events,
Adults,
MPH vs. placebo**

Moderate
⊕⊕⊕○
(IP)

$n = 775, k = 3$
 $OR = 2.33$
 $CI (.68 - 7.91)$

U

No information
regarding
heterogeneity
and publication
bias.

n.a.

Risiko für Herzstillstand oder Tachyarrhythmien

Zhang et al., 2022

Population:
children,
adolescents, adults
with ADHD
Intervention: any
kind of ADHD
medication
Comparison:
multiple different
control designs

**Risk of cardiac arrest
/ tachyarrhythmias,
All age groups**

Very low
⊕○○○
(R, IC)

$n = n.a., k = 9$
 $RR = 1.60$
 $CI (.94 - 2.72)$

U

No information
regarding
publication bias.
Exact n for this
outcome not
reported; total
included
population
across all
outcomes =
3.9 million.

n.a.

Risiko für zerebrovaskuläre Erkrankungen

Zhang et al., 2022

Population:
children,
adolescents, adults
with ADHD
Intervention: any
kind of ADHD
medication
Comparison:
multiple different
control designs

**Risk of
Cerebrovascular
diseases,
All age groups**

Low
⊕⊕○○
(R)

$n = n.a., k = 10$
 $RR = .91$
 $CI (.72 - 1.15)$

U

No information
regarding
publication bias.
Exact n for this
outcome not
reported; total
included
population
across all
outcomes =
3.9 million.

n.a.

Risiko für Myokardinfarkt

Zhang et al., 2022

Population:
children,
adolescents, adults
with ADHD
Intervention: any
kind of ADHD
medication
Comparison:
multiple different
control designs

**Risk of Myocardial
infarction,
All age groups)**

Very low
⊕○○○
(R, IC)

$n = n.a., k = 8$
 $RR = 1.06$
 $CI (.68 - 1.65)$

U

No information
regarding
publication bias.
Exact n for this
outcome not
reported; total
included
population
across all
outcomes =
3.9 million.

n.a.

Erhöhte Herzfrequenz

**Increased Heart Rate,
Children/
adolescents,
MPH vs. placebo**

Moderate
⊕⊕⊕○
(IC)

$n = 693, k = 7$
 $SMD = 1.56$
 $CI (.71 - 2.41)$

C

n.a.

Liang et al., 2018

Population:
Children,
adolescents, adults
with ADHD
Intervention: MPH
Comparison:
Placebo or ATX

**Increased Heart Rate,
Adults,
MPH vs. placebo**

Moderate
⊕⊕⊕○
(IC)

$n = 590, k = 4$
 $SMD = 2.04$
 $CI (.92 - 3.15)$

C

n.a.

**Increased Heart Rate,
Children/
adolescents,
MPH vs. ATX**

Very low
⊕○○○
(R, IC)

$n = 590, k = 4$
 $SMD = 2.04$
 $CI (.92 - 3.15)$

I

1 of 4 studies ($n = 631$) is a
cohort-study

n.a.

Systolischer Blutdruck

Liang et al., 2018

**Systolic Blood
Pressure,**

Low
⊕⊕○○
(IC, P)

$n = 575, k = 5$
 $SMD = 1.61$

n.a.

| | | | | | |
|---|--|------------------------|---|--|------|
| Population: Children, adolescents, adults with ADHD Intervention: MPH Comparison: Placebo or ATX | Children/ adolescents, MPH vs. placebo | | CI (.81 – 2.41) | | |
| | Systolic Blood Pressure, Adults, MPH vs. placebo | Low ⊕⊕○○ (IC, P) | n = 800, k = 5 SMD = 1.40 CI (.62 – 2.18) | | n.a. |
| | Systolic Blood Pressure, Children/ adolescents, MPH vs. ATX | Low ⊕⊕○○ (R) | n = 876, k = 3 SMD = .36 CI (.23 – .51) | 1 of 3 studies (n=631) is a cohort-study | n.a. |

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen, k = Anzahl der inkludierten Primärstudien. R = risk of bias, IC = inconsistency, ID = indirectness, IP = imprecision, P = publication bias.

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1.5.7. Was ist im Hinblick auf Medikamenten-Adhärenz zu beachten?

1.5.7. C

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: RCTs

| Endpunktkategorien | RCTs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|----------------------------|------|---|-------------------------------------|
| Medikamenten-Adhärenz (E) | 1 | 3 | Schwach/ sehr schwach |
| Medikamenten-Adhärenz (KL) | 2 | 2 | |
| Medikamenten-Adhärenz (A) | 1 | 2 | |

Anmerkung. RCTs = Anzahl der randomisierten kontrollierten Studien, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil, A = App-Urteil.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: RCTs

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Risk of Bias | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Mess-instrument |
|--|--|---|---|---|--|
| Medikamenten-Adhärenz. Elternurteil | | | | | |
| Weisman et al., 2018 | Pill counts, Study group vs. control, At week 4 | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | n = 17 ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) U | Clinical implication based on p-value of post-hoc comparison with Mann-Whitney U test. | Pill count |
| | Pill counts, Study group vs. control, At week 8 | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | n = 24 ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value of post-hoc comparison with Mann-Whitney U test. | Pill count |
| | Group main effect for pill counts | Very high risk ● (BP, BA) | n = 34 eta ² = .12 CI (n.a.) I | Clinical implication based on p-value. | Pill count |
| Medikamenten-Adhärenz. Kliniker*innenurteil | | | | | |
| Fried et al., 2020 | Timely prescription refills, Intervention group (reference CG; model 1) | Very high risk ● (SG, CC, BP, BA) | n = 333 OR = 3.79 CI (1.84 - 7.79) I | Little info on sequence generation and concealment; model with interaction term; clinical implication | Timely prescription refills (prescriptions documented in electronic medical records) |

| | | | | | |
|---|--|--|---|--|---|
| <p>Intervention: parents received text messages for medication adherence, treatment initiation, and digital patient support (from Sunday to Friday)</p> <p>Comparison: treatment as usual</p> | <p>interaction term)</p> | <p>based on p-value.</p> | | | |
| | <p>Timely prescription refills, Intervention group (reference non-psychiatric clinic; model 1 interaction term)</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (SG, CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 333$ $OR = 0.90$ $CI (0.39 - 2.10)$ U</p> | <p>Little info on sequence generation and concealment; model with interaction term; clinical implication based on p-value.</p> | <p>Timely prescription refills (prescriptions documented in electronic medical records)</p> |
| | <p>Timely prescription refills, Intervention group (reference CG; model 2 without interaction term)</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (SG, CC, BP, BA)</p> | <p>$n = 333$ $OR = 3.46$ $CI (1.82 - 6.58)$ I</p> | <p>Little info on sequence generation and concealment; model without interaction term and prescribing clinic; clinical implication based on p-value.</p> | <p>Timely prescription refills (prescriptions documented in electronic medical records)</p> |

Carvalho et al., 2023

Population: 18-45 year old adults with ADHD according to DSM-5, own a smartphone, clinical ASRS score of ≥ 24 , at least high school diploma, accept use of pharmacological treatment

Intervention: App Group: TAU + App
App + Discount Group: TAU + App + commercial discount on purchase of medication prescribed for ADHD treatment
Comparison: TAU: pharmacological treatment as usual

Adherence to pharmacological treatment, Across all groups

High risk
●
(BP)

$n = 68$
 $MD = .0176$
 $CI (n.a.)$
U

Clinical implication based on p-value; time of assessment unclear; assessor blinding unclear.

Medication possession rate (MPR)

Medikamenten-Adhärenz. App-Urteil

Carvalho et al., 2023

Population: 18-45 year old adults with ADHD according to DSM-5, own a smartphone, clinical ASRS score of ≥ 24 , at least high school diploma, accept use of pharmacological treatment

Intervention:

App Group: TAU + App
App + Discount Group: TAU + App + commercial discount on purchase of medication prescribed for ADHD treatment

Comparison: TAU: pharmacological treatment as usual

Engagement, App + Discount vs. App

High risk
●
(BP)

$n = 45$
 $MD = .123$
CI (n.a.)



Clinical implication based on p-value; time of assessment unclear.

Number of times (%) users registered their medication intake into App

Engagement time x group interaction, App + Discount vs. App

High risk
●
(BP)

$n = 45$
 $MD = .013$
CI (n.a.)



Clinical implication based on p-value.

Number of times (%) users registered their medication intake into App

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen. SG = sequence generation, CC = concealment, BP = blinding participants, BA = blinding assessors, ID = incomplete data, OR = outcome reporting, CE = carry over effects, SX = stopped early, UM = unvalidated measures, OI = other issue.

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1.5.7. D

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: RCTs

| Endpunktkategorien | RCTs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|----------------------------|------|----|-------------------------------------|
| Medikamenten-Adhärenz (KU) | 1 | 1 | Schwach/ sehr schwach |
| Medikamenten-Adhärenz (S) | 1 | 1 | |
| Medikamenten-Adhärenz (E) | 1 | 10 | |
| Medikamenten-Adhärenz (KL) | 1 | 2 | |

Anmerkung. RCTs = Anzahl der randomisierten kontrollierten Studien, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: RCTs

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Risk of Bias | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Messinstrument |
|---|----------|--------------|--------------|------------|----------------|
| Medikamenten-Adhärenz. Kombiniertes Urteil | | | | | |

Zheng et al., 2020

Population: children (6-11 years) with ADHD

Intervention:

psychoeducation by pediatricians: systematic training for parents and teachers about ADHD and behavioral interventions as well as classroom management techniques for just the teachers

Comparison:

treatment as usual

Medication adherence, 6 months

Very high risk

●
(BP, BA, UM)

n = 116
ES = n.a.
CI (n.a.)

I

Allocation concealment not reported. Clinical implication based on p-value.

Parents and medical records

Medikamenten-Adhärenz. Selbsturteil

Zheng et al., 2020

Population: children (6-11 years) with ADHD

Intervention:

psychoeducation by

Medication adherence, 6 months

Very high risk

●
(BP, BA, UM)

n = 116
ES = n.a.
CI (n.a.)

I

Allocation concealment not reported. Clinical implication based on p-value.

MARS (Medication Adherence Report Scale), not child specific

pediatricians:
 systematic
 training for parents
 and teachers about
 ADHD and behavioral
 interventions as well
 as classroom
 management
 techniques for just the
 teachers
Comparison:
 treatment as usual

| Medikamenten-Adhärenz. Elternurteil | | | | |
|--|--|---------------------|--|---|
| | Still taking medication (%), 1 month follow-up | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 89$ ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) I | Unclear blinding assessors, clinical implication based on p-value of t-tests. n.a. |
| Bai et al., 2015 | Medication possession ratio (MPR), 1 month follow-up | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 89$ ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) I | Unclear blinding assessors, clinical implication based on p-value of t-tests. MPR (defined as percent of days patient complied with prescription in specific period); adherence defined as MPR ≥ 0.70 |
| Population: children 6–16 years with ADHD Intervention: psychoeducation on the parents, Intervention focused on Theory of Planned Behavior (TPB) Comparison: treatment as usual | Adherence rate (%) 1 month follow-up | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 89$ ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) U | Unclear blinding assessors, clinical implication based on p-value of t-tests. n.a. |
| | Average number of days of discontinuation, 1 month follow-up | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 89$ ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) I | Unclear blinding assessors, clinical implication based on p-value of t-tests. n.a. |
| | Took medication | High risk ● (BP) | $n = 89$ ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) | Unclear blinding assessors, clinical implication n.a. |

| | | | | | |
|--|---------------------|----------------------------------|---|---|------|
| during last weekend (%), 1 month follow-up | | | I | based on p-value of t-tests. | |
| Average number of days of discontinuation during last week, 1 month follow-up | High risk ● (BP) | n = 89 ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) | I | Unclear blinding assessors, clinical implication based on p-value of t-tests. | n.a. |
| Still taking medication (%), 3 months follow-up | High risk ● (BP) | n = 89 ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) | I | Unclear blinding assessors, clinical implication based on p-value of t-tests. | n.a. |
| Average number of days of discontinuation, 3 months follow-up | High risk ● (BP) | n = 89 ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) | I | Unclear blinding assessors, clinical implication based on p-value of t-tests. | n.a. |
| Took medication during last weekend (%), 3 months follow-up | High risk ● (BP) | n = 89 ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) | I | Unclear blinding assessors, clinical implication based on p-value of t-tests. | n.a. |
| Average number of days of discontinuation during last week, 3 months follow-up | High risk ● (BP) | n = 89 ES = n.a. CI (n.a.) | I | Unclear blinding assessors, clinical implication based on p-value of t-tests. | n.a. |

Medikamenten-Adhärenz. Kliniker*innenurteil

| Montoya et al., 2014 | | | | | |
|--|--|-------------------------------------|--|---|------|
| Population: children with newly diagnosed ADHD (6-12 years) Intervention: parental psychoeducation program administered to small groups of parents (standardized, manual-based program) in five weekly 90-minute sessions + medication Comparison: medication alone | Time to discontinuation, n, At 12 month | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, SX) | $n = 208$ Hazard Ratio = 0.72 CI (0.36 - 1.43) U | Underpowered, very low non-adherence to medication in both groups. | n.a. |
| | Time to discontinuation n, Controlled by comorbidity, At 12 month | Very high risk ● (BP, BA, SX) | $n = 208$ Hazard Ratio = 0.96 CI (0.43 - 2.12) I | Underpowered, very low non-adherence to medication in both groups. Learning disorders is significant. | n.a. |

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen. SG = sequence generation, CC = concealment, BP = blinding participants, BA = blinding assessors, ID = incomplete data, OR = outcome reporting, CE = carry over effects, SX = stopped early, UM = unvalidated measures, OI = other issue.

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1.6 Diagnostik und Behandlung von ADHS und koexistierenden substanzbezogenen Störungen

1.6.2. Was ist bei der Behandlung von ADHS und koexistierenden substanzbezogenen Störungen zu beachten?

1.6.2 B

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: Meta-Analysen

| Endpunktkategorien | MAs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|------------------------------|-----|---|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (KL) | 1 | 1 | Moderat |
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (KU) | 1 | 1 | |
| Substanzkonsum Symptome (KU) | 1 | 4 | |

Anmerkung. MAs = Anzahl der Meta-Analysen, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Berücksichtigte Endpunktkategorien: RCTs

| Endpunktkategorien | RCTs | m | Gesamtaussagesicherheit der Evidenz |
|-------------------------------------|------|---|-------------------------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt (S) | 1 | 2 | Moderat |
| Behandlungadhärenz (KL) | 2 | 2 | |
| Substanzkonsum Symptome gesamt (KU) | 2 | 5 | |

Anmerkung. RCTs = Anzahl der randomisierten kontrollierten Studien, m = Anzahl der Endpunkte innerhalb dieser Endpunktkategorie. E = Elternurteil, KL = Kliniker*innenurteil, KU = Kombiniertes Urteil, L = Lehrer*innenurteil, S = Selbsturteil, T = kognitive Tests, U = Unbekanntes Urteil.

Summary of Findings Tabelle: Meta-Analysen

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Aussagesicherheit (GRADE) | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Messinstrument |
|--|----------|---------------------------|--------------|------------|----------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Kliniker*innenurteil | | | | | |

Fluyau et al., 2021

Population: Adults with ADHD and SUD (15 and 65 years)

Intervention:

Pharmacological agent (methyl-phenidate, amphetamine salts, atomoxetine) was used to treat SUD in ADHD patients + combined behavioral therapies (13 out of 17 included studies)

Comparison: Placebo + combined behavioral

Decrease in the severity of ADHD symptoms

Moderate
⊕⊕⊕○
(R)

n = n.a.
SMD = .53
CI (.39 - .67)

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Clinical Global Impression-Improvement (CGI) scale and the Adult ADHD Investigator Symptom Rating Scale (AISRS)

therapies (13 out of 17 included studies)

ADHS Symptome gesamt. Kombiniertes Urteil

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Comparison: Placebo + combined behavioral therapies (13 out of 17 included studies)

Reduction in the Frequency of ADHD symptoms

Moderate
⊕⊕⊕○
(R)

n = n.a.
SMD = .42
CI (.26 - .58)



Swanson, Nolan, and Pelham Teacher and Parent Rating Scale

Substanzkonsum Symptome. Kombiniertes Urteil

Fluyau et al., 2021

Population: Adults with ADHD and SUD (15 and 65 years)

Intervention:

Pharmacological agent (methyl-phenidate, amphetamine salts, atomoxetine) was used to treat SUD in ADHD patients + combined behavioral therapies (13 out of 17 included studies)

Comparison: Placebo + combined behavioral therapies (13 out of 17 included studies)

Reduction in substance use

Moderate
⊕⊕⊕○
(R)

n = 1246
SMD = .41
CI (.25 - .56)



continuous measures, representing mainly self-reported quantity of use and urine drug screening

Management of withdrawal symptoms

Moderate
⊕⊕⊕○
(R)

n = 458
SMD = .56
CI (.39 - .76)



Focused only on tobacco

n.a.

Progression toward abstinence

Moderate
⊕⊕⊕○
(R)

n = n.a.
SMD = .33
CI (.15 - .51)



n.a.

Reduction of craving

Moderate
⊕⊕⊕○
(R)

n = 530
SMD = .27
CI (-.54 - .05)



n.a.

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen, k = Anzahl der inkludierten Primärstudien. R = risk of bias, IC = inconsistency, ID = indirectness, IP = imprecision, P = publication bias.

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Summary of Findings Tabelle: RCTs

| Referenz | Endpunkt | Risk of Bias | Effektstärke | Kommentare | Mess-instrument |
|--|---|--|---|--|-----------------------|
| ADHS Symptome gesamt. Selbsturteil | | | | | |
| Levin et al., 2024 | Reduction on ADHD symptoms | No Risk ○ | $n = 28$ $OR = n.a.$ $CI = n.a.$ | Clinical implication based on p value of Fisher exact test | AISRS |
| Population: Adults (18 to 65 years) with ADHD and SUD (cannabis) Intervention: mixed amphetamine salts (MAS-ER) 80mg 12-week trial + Medical Management Comparison: placebo + Medical Management | | | U | | |
| | Reduction on ADHD symptoms x time, Interaction | No Risk ○ | $n = 28$ $OR = n.a.$ $CI = n.a.$ | Clinical implication based on p value | AISRS |
| | | | U | | |
| Behandlungadhärenz. Kliniker*innenurteil | | | | | |
| Kast et al., 2021 | Treatment attrition, Within 90 days | Very high risk ● (SG,CC,BP,BA, OI) | $n = 116$ $OR = 4.92$ $CI = n.a.$ | Observational study: Certainty level automatically low, additionally: dissimilar group sizes. Clinical implication based on p-value. | n.a. |
| | | | I | | |
| Levin et al., 2024 | Medication adherence | No Risk ○ | $n = n.a.$ $ES = n.a.$ | Clinical implication based on p value of Fisher exact test | Dose discontinuations |
| | Population: Adults (18 to 65 years) with ADHD and SUD (cannabis) Intervention: mixed amphetamine salts (MAS-ER) 80mg 12-week | | U | | |

trial + Medical Management
 Comparison: placebo + Medical Management

Substanzkonsum Symptome. Kombiniertes Urteil

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|--|---|--|---|---|---|
| | <p>Cannabis abstinence</p> | <p>No Risk ○</p> | <p>$n = 28$ $OR = 4.7$ $CI = (.31 - 72.1)$ U</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p value of Fisher exact test</p> | <p>Timeline Followback method, during the last 2 weeks of participant's involvement in 8-week maintenance phase of trial.</p> |
| <p>Levin et al., 2024 Population: Adults (18 to 65 years) with ADHD and SUD (cannabis) Intervention: mixed amphetamine salts (MAS-ER) 80mg 12-week trial + Medical Management Comparison: placebo + Medical Management</p> | <p>Cannabis use x time, Interaction</p> | <p>No Risk ○</p> | <p>$n = 28$ $OR = n.a$ $CI = n.a$ I</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p value of Fisher exact test</p> | <p>Days of use</p> |
| | <p>Urine THC</p> | <p>No Risk ○</p> | <p>$n = 28$ $ES = n.a.$ $CI = n.a$ U</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p value of t-test</p> | <p>positive tests on creatine normalized THC</p> |
| | <p>Urine THC x time, Interaction</p> | <p>No Risk ○</p> | <p>$n = 28$ $ES = n.a.$ $CI = n.a.$ U</p> | <p>Clinical implication based on p value</p> | <p>mean weekly creatine normalized THC</p> |
| <p>Quinn et al., 2017 Population: Adults with ADHD and prior SUD diagnosis Intervention: months with ADHD medication Comparison: months with no ADHD medication</p> | <p>Substance related events, Male participants</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (SG,CC,BP,BA)</p> | <p>$n = 53765$ $OR = .85$ $CI = (.79 - .90)$ I</p> | <p>Observational study: Certainty level automatically low. Within Subject comparison, adjusted value.</p> | <p>at least one emergency department claim with any non-tobacco-related substance use disorder diagnosis (primary or otherwise)</p> |
| | <p>Substance related events, Female participants</p> | <p>Very high risk ● (SG,CC,BP,BA)</p> | <p>$n = 37985$ $RR = .74$ $CI = (.69 - .80)$ I</p> | <p>Observational study: Certainty level automatically low. Within Subject</p> | <p>at least one emergency department claim with any non-tobacco-</p> |

| | | | comparison, adjusted value. | related substance use disorder diagnosis (primary or otherwise) |
|--|-----------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--|
| Baweja et al., 2025 | | | | |
| Population: Participants with ADHD and SUD diagnosis 15 to 25 years old | Accidental overdoses | Very high risk ● (SG,CC,BP,BA) | $n = 9347$ $RR = .81$ $CI = (.78 - .84)$ | n.a. |
| Intervention: ADHD medication | | | U | |
| Comparison: No ADHD medication | | | | |

Anmerkung. n = Anzahl der Versuchspersonen. SG = sequence generation, CC = concealment, BP = blinding participants, BA = blinding assessors, ID = incomplete data, OR = outcome reporting, CE = carry over effects, SX = stopped early, UM = unvalidated measures, OI = other issue.

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