Mental Health Services in the Capital Region of Denmark

Implementing F-ACT - forever

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Denmark have 43.560 km² and 5,7 millioner inhabitans

The Nederlands have 41.543 km² and 17,2 millioner inhabitans

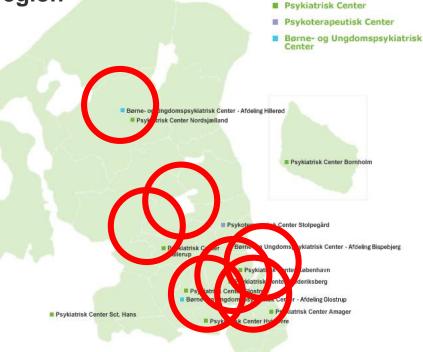
Organization of The Mental Health Services in our region – the capital region

9 Mental Health Centres located around the region

- Provides mental health treatment to approx. 30 % of all the patients with mental illness in Denmark: approx. 42,000 patients
- Budget 2018: 2,9 billion kr.
- About 5,000 staff

Two medical specialities:

- Psychiatry
- Child and Adolescent Psychiatry



Evaluation of the effectiveness and implementation of Flexible Assertive Community Treatment (F-ACT) in Denmark A two year follow-up quasi-experimental controlled study

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Effect evaluation:



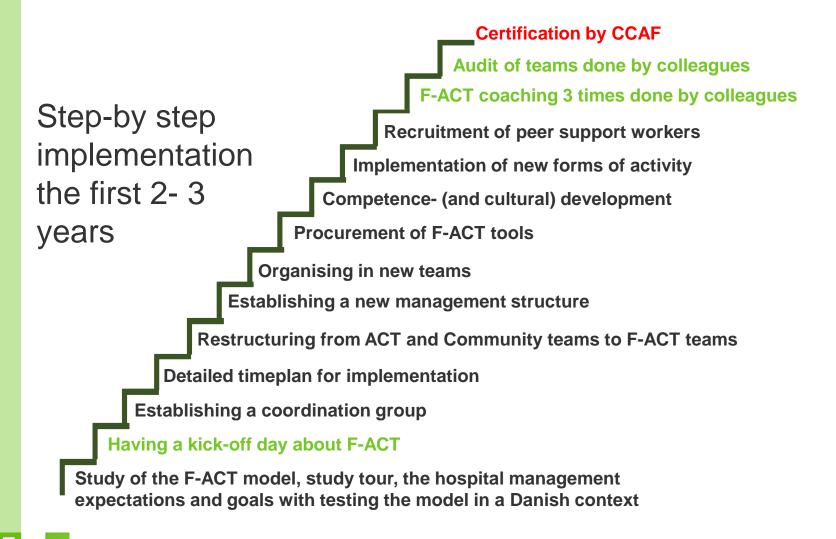
Design: Quasi-experimental controlled study evaluating the effectiveness of treatment in F-ACT teams compared with Assertive Community Treatment (ACT) and standard Community Mental Health Treatment

Objectives: To evaluate the effectiveness of F-ACT in regard to mental health care use, drop-outs, social and clinical outcomes.

Implementation evaluation:

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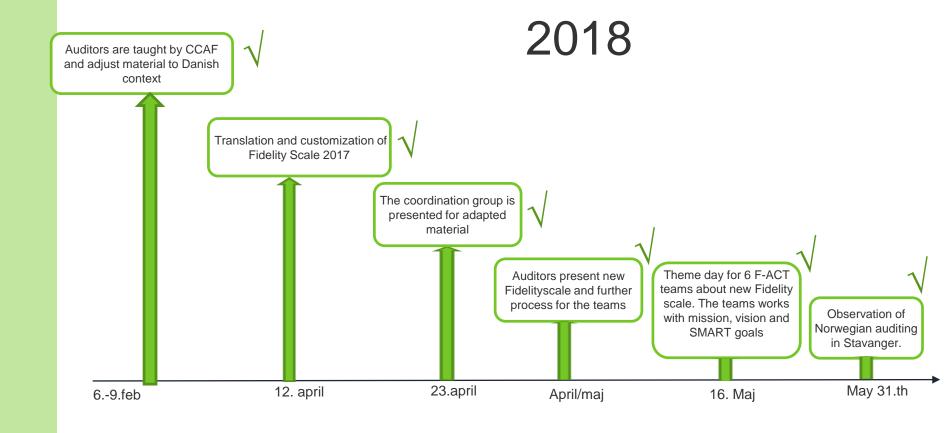
- To evaluate the use of the F-ACT board: The number of patients on the board, the duration of each F-ACT period and criteria for admission and discharge from the F-ACT board will be calculated.
- To explore enablers and barriers to implementation and adjustments of the F-ACT model in Denmark a qualitative study.
- To explore patient experience of treatment in F-ACT a qualitative study

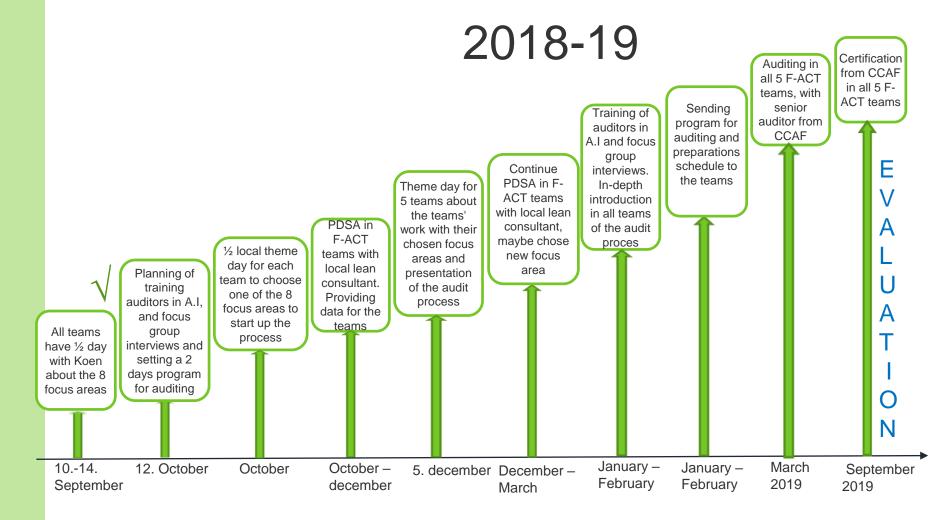


Schedule for upcoming auditing and certification for Danish F-ACT teams 2018-2019

Audits and certification by CCAF

- Translation of the fidelity scale, making it fit to a Danish context
- Training in auditing from the CCAF
- Exchange of methods, goals, workflows between the teams
- Using the first Fidelityscale in new F-ACT teams for the first 2-3 years to understand the model and to adjust the organization
- Then using Fidelityscale from 2017 to do audits ourselves and then certification by the CCAF
- Audit as a benchmark before certification





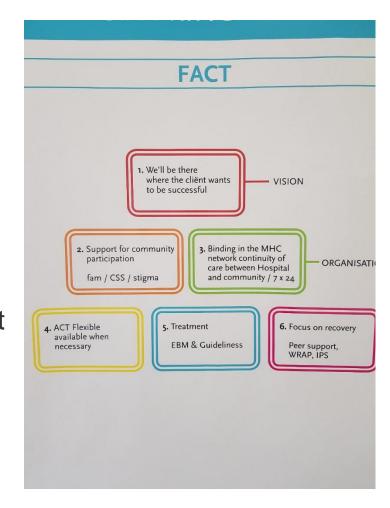
Ongoing audit every 2-3 years in all teams

- As a service for the teams to help them keep on working with improvement within the 8 focusareas
- Organized by staff functions
- Done by colleques from other F-ACT teams
- The score is for the teams to compair themselves and to see the development
- The feed back is to set new goals

After 2 ½ years with F-ACT:

F-ACT basic works in all teams

The teams are different:
One team has a lot of ACT cowboys
One team is really good at treatment
in stabil periods
One team just started with a
recoveryboard once a week



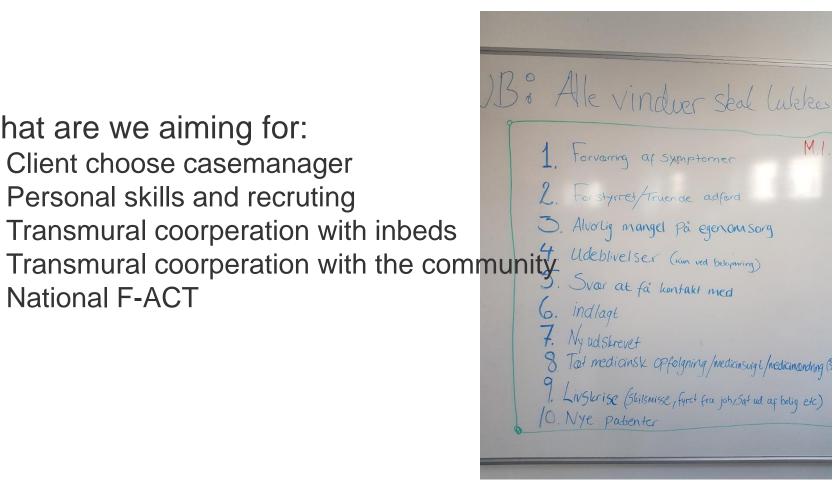
Alle skal ses af flere teammedlemmer når de på FACT Boardet Der skal skrives konferencenotat med årsag, formål og mål når patienter bliver placeret på boardet.

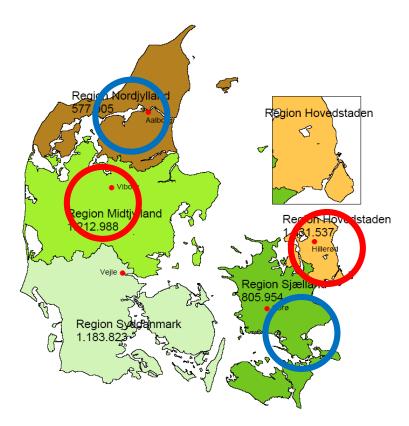
Focus on:

- Intervention
- Clients wiches and goals
- Shared caseload
- Quality of treatment
- Doing weird stuff

What are we aiming for:

- Client choose casemanager
- Personal skills and recruting
- Transmural coorperation with inbeds
- National F-ACT





F-ACT forever national?

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