

Fallgruppierung in der Psychiatrie im Kanton Zürich

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Switzerland...

- about 7.2 million inhabitants (migrants 20%)
- richest country of the world
- federal organizations (cantons)
- direct democracy
- expensive health care

Costs of (Mental) Health Care in Switzerland

- Switzerland provides the 2nd (GNP) most expensive respectively the 3rd or 4th most expensive (per capita) health care system worldwide
- Brain disorders consume 4% of the gross national product and cost each Swiss citizen an estimated €1200 per year
- The disorders that are traditionally regarded as mental disorders account for approximately 2/3 of the total costs
- The total direct expenditure for healthcare in Switzerland amounted to €29 billion in 2003
- the total costs of mental disorders amount to €5.6 billion thereof direct healthcare costs €2.1 billion, direct non-medical costs €0.2 billion and indirect costs €3.3 billion

Jaeger, Sobocki & Rössler (2008)

Structure of health care

- Mixed financing (state and sickness insurances (KVG))
- strict sectoral separation (inpatient/outpatient/rehabilitation)
- strict cantonal separation

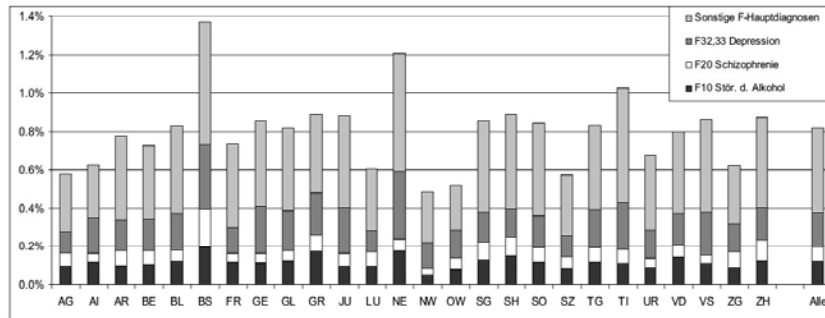
Bed ratio

- 1970: 2,9 beds per 1000 inhabitants
- 1993: 1,4 beds per 1000 inhabitants
- 42 hospitals with an average of 233 beds

Case - based Lump Sum

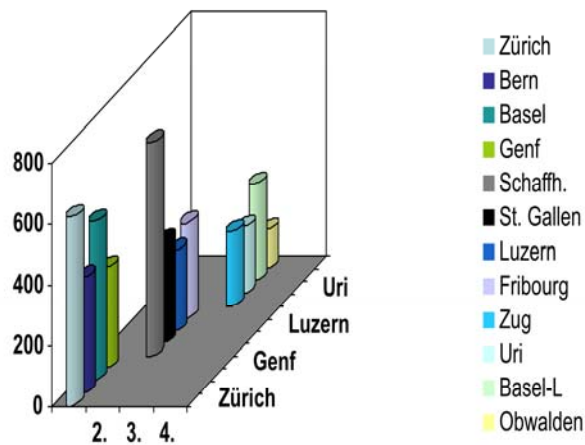
- Worldwide there are about 15 DRG systems
- economic risks are split up between provider and payer
- The more variance in length of stay, the more risks for the provider
- Risks of „Upcoding“ for payer

Prevalence Rates of inpatient treatment

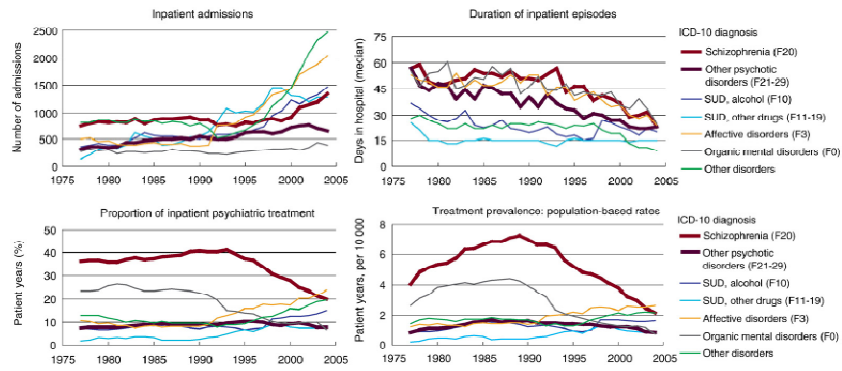


Kuhl & Herdt 2007

Inpatient days/1000 population



Trends in psychiatric hospitalisation



Lay, B., Nordt, C., Rössler, W., 2007



Can We predict the length of stay by main diagnosis or by psychiatric syndromes?



Issue

- Long inpatient stays of patients with mental disorder in Switzerland
- Requirement to optimize treatment
- Call for alternative remuneration systems

OECD, 2008; Rössler et al., 1999; Schuhmacher et al., 1986; Lauber et al., 2006; Blais et al., 2003, Horn et al., 1989, Creed et al., 1997

Predicting LOS by psychiatric diagnosis or syndromes



Research Questions

1. How does LOS vary within and between diagnostic groups?
2. Do
 - (1) ICD-based diagnostic groups or
 - (2) psychiatric syndromesexplain LOS?
3. What are the implications for the development of a new remuneration system?

Predicting LOS by psychiatric diagnosis or syndromes



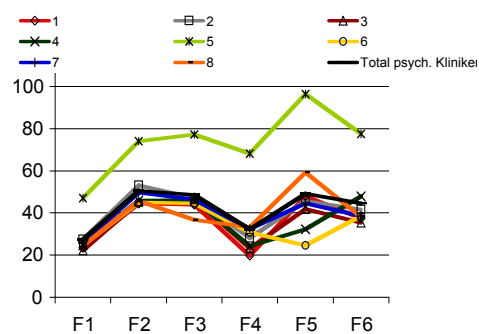
Method (1)

- **Sample:**
 - Psychiatric admission between 1997 and 2003
 - LOS between 3 and 365 days
 - N=37788 vs. N=30616 cases
 - 52% females, 48% males
 - age=44 yrs. (SD=18 yrs.)
- **ICD-based diagnostic Groups:** 21 (F00-F69)
- **Statistical analyses:** Analysis of covariance

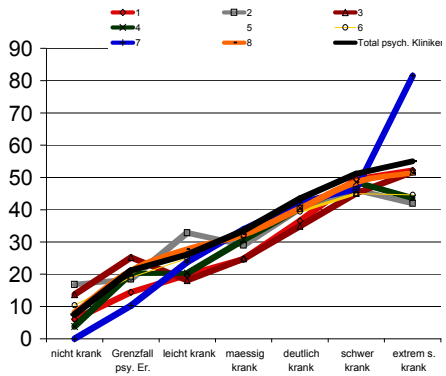
Predicting LOS by psychiatric diagnosis or syndromes – study 1



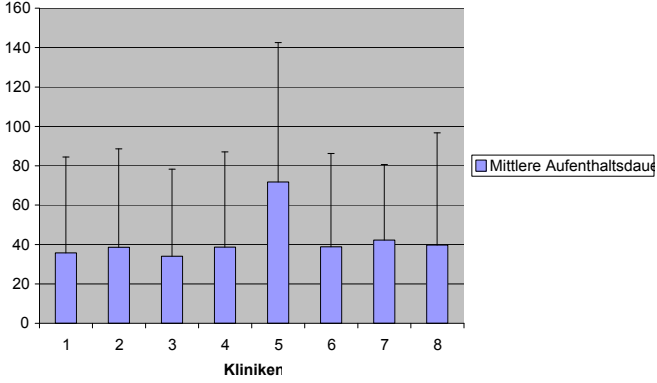
Length of Stay by Diagnoses



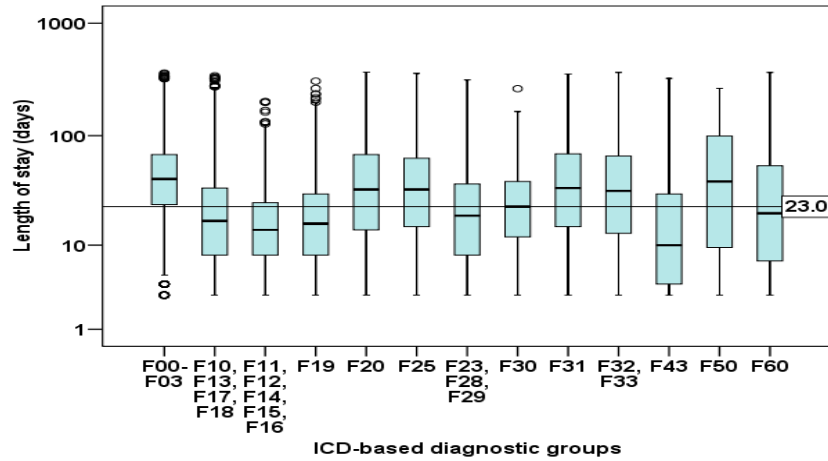
Length of Stay by Severity of illness



Means and standard deviation in „days“ (Hospital)



Results: LOS across ICD-based groups (1)



Predicting LOS by psychiatric diagnosis or syndromes – study 1



Results: Prediction of LOS by diagnosis (1)

Model 1: ICD-based groups

Explanation of variance

(EOV) = 9%



Model 2: ICD-based groups + sample characteristics (main effects)

EOV = 18%



Model 3: ICD-based groups + sample characteristics (interaction effects)

EOV = 20%

Predicting LOS by psychiatric diagnosis or syndromes – study 1



Method (2)

- **Sample:**
 - Psychiatric admission in 1-12/08
 - LOS between 3 and 120 days
 - N= 613 cases
 - 56.6% females, 43.4% males
 - age= 43 yrs. (SD=16 yrs.)
- **9 syndrom scores and a total score** (Association for Methodology and Documentation in Psychiatry – AMDP, 1981)
- **Statistical analyses:** Hierarchical multiple linear regression analysis

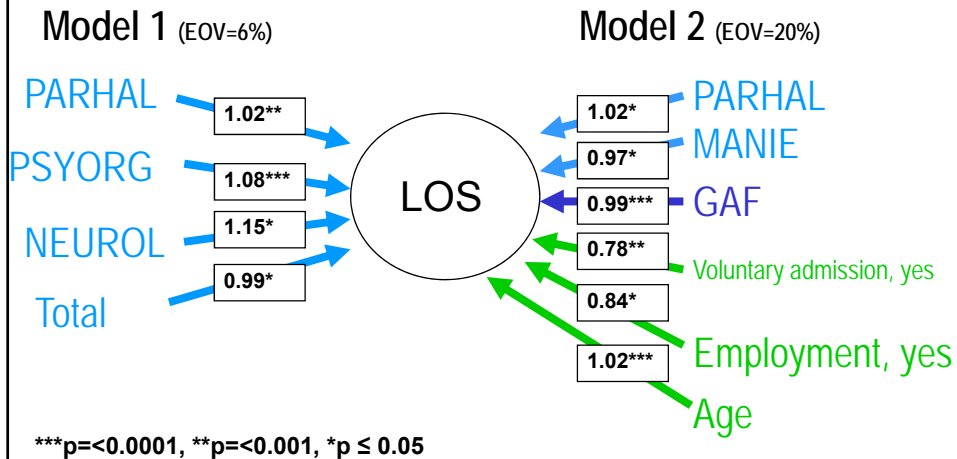
Predicting LOS by psychiatric diagnosis or syndromes – study 2



Building Case Groups by Psychopathology

Cut off	1 point	2 points
Paranoid-hallucinatory syndrome	≥ T 50	≥ T 70
Depressive syndrome	≥ T 50	≥ T 70
Psychoorganic syndrome	≥ T 50	≥ T 70
Manic syndrome	≥ T 50	≥ T 70
Hostility syndrome	≥ T 50	≥ T 70
Vegetative syndrome	≥ T 50	≥ T 70
Apathy syndrome	≥ T 50	≥ T 70

Results: Prediction of LOS by syndromes (2)



Predicting LOS by psychiatric diagnosis or syndromes – study 2



Conclusions

1. LOS varied within diagnostic categories
2. ICD-based groups or AMDP syndromes cannot sufficiently explain LOS
3. New remuneration systems should consider alternative groupings, measures, methods

Predicting LOS by psychiatric diagnosis or syndromes



Introduction

- Increase of (re-) admission rates to psychiatric hospitals
- Individual and economic consequences
- Knowledge about predictors of readmission insufficient

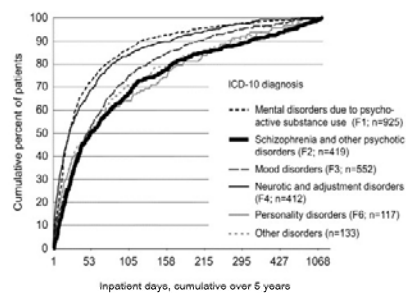
Klinkenberg & Calsyn, 1996; Kent & Yellowless, 1994; Lay et al., 2006; Montgomery & Kirpatrick, 2002; Rössler, 2003; Roick et al., 2004; Salize et al., 2007

Risk factors for psychiatric readmission



Who are the difficult patients?

- Psychotic patients
- 60% experience only one inpatient episode
- 10% of the heavy user consume 50 % of inpatient treatment



Lay, Lauber, Rössler (2006)

Research Questions

1. What are the predictors of readmission to psychiatric hospital?
2. How to prevent readmission to psychiatric hospital?

Risk factors for psychiatric readmission Warnke, Nordt, Ajdacic-Gross, Haug, Salize & Rössler



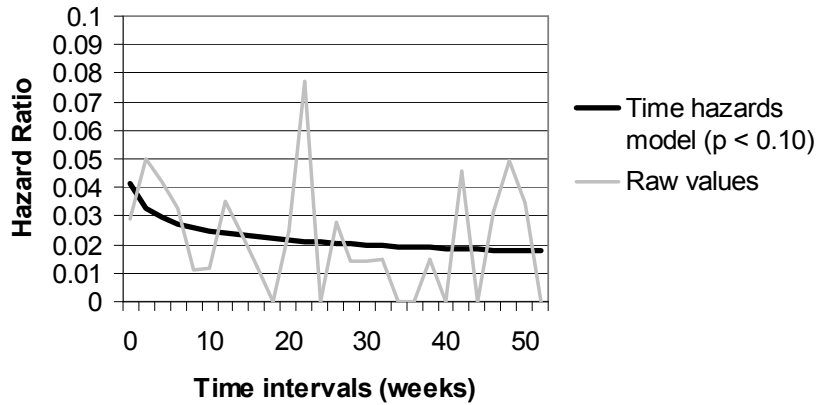
Method

- **Catchment area:** City of Mannheim (Germany)
- **Data collection:** 1992-1996
- **Sample:**
 - N=103 vulnerable patients with schizophrenia (F20.0)
 - 61.2% ♂
 - Ø-age=35 yrs. (SD=10.1)
- **Statistical analyses:** Methods of Survival Analysis

Risk factors for psychiatric readmission



Results: Risk of readmission over time



Risk factors for psychiatric readmission



Results: Multivariate longitudinal models

Predictors	Model 1			Model 2			
	OR	95% CI	p	OR	95% CI	p	
Intercept	0.04	0.02-0.07	< 0.0001	0.05	0.03-0.11	< 0.0001	
Medication							
	Neuroleptic, yes	0.13	0.06-0.27	< 0.0001	0.17	0.08-0.34	< 0.0001
Global needs							
	Clinical met needs	1.85	1.47-2.34	< 0.0001	-	-	-
Single needs							
	Underactivity, yes	-	-	-	2.77	1.46-5.48	< 0.01
	Violence to self and others	-	-	-	2.81	1.02-6.59	< 0.05
	Management of household affairs	-	-	-	2.31	1.16-4.47	< 0.05
Social support							
	≥12 (median); main effect				1.67	0.54-4.42	Ns
	≥12 (median); interaction effect	-	-	-	0.43	0.19-1.02	< 0.05

Risk factors for psychiatric readmission



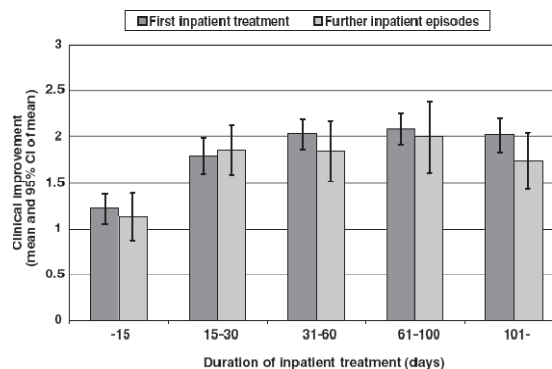
Conclusions

1. Clinical and social factors contributed to readmission
2. Prevention of readmission should focus on
 - a) needs
 - b) compliance
 - c) time after discharge/social support

Risk factors for psychiatric readmission



Length of first admission and treatment outcome



Lauber, C., Lay, B., Rössler, W., 2006



Length of first admission and treatment outcome

Duration of first inpatient treatment: association with short-term and long-term outcome

Duration of first inpatient treatment (days)	Improvement of clinical symptoms during first inpatient treatment		Cumulative length of further inpatient treatment		Number of further inpatient episodes	
	N	Mean (SD)	Mean (SD)	Mean (SD)	Mean (SD)	Mean (SD)
<15	115	1.22 (.85)	25.44 (84.08)	.42	(.98)	
15-30	77	1.79 (.83)	5.13 (22.79)	.16	(.49)	
31-60	92	2.03 (.82)	21.54 (60.22)	.37	(1.06)	
61-100	78	2.09 (.75)	24.83 (82.13)	.44	(1.09)	
>100	96	2.02 (.93)	47.66 (138.58)	.45	(1.02)	
ANOVA statistics		$F=18.98$; $df=4449$; $p<.001$	$F=2.59$; $df=4453$; $p=.04$	$F=1.27$; $df=4453$; $p=.28$		

SD: standard deviation.

Lauber, C., Lay, B., Rössler, W., 2006



Mental Health care is value-based



Severity of Illness



Intensity and complexity of Treatment



Institutions and Services

Alternatives to Inpatient Care

- Crisis House (+/-)
- Home Treatment (+)
- ACT (+++)
- Acute Day Hospital (1/4 - 1/3 ++)

Little supply



High supply

*What are the arguments for community-based mental health care?
WHO Regional Office for Europe's Health Evidence Network (HEN)
August 2003*

Focus on Institutions

- Legal regulations → priority of outpatient over inpatient care
- Choice of institutions → least restrictive alternative

Little supply

High supply

Low need

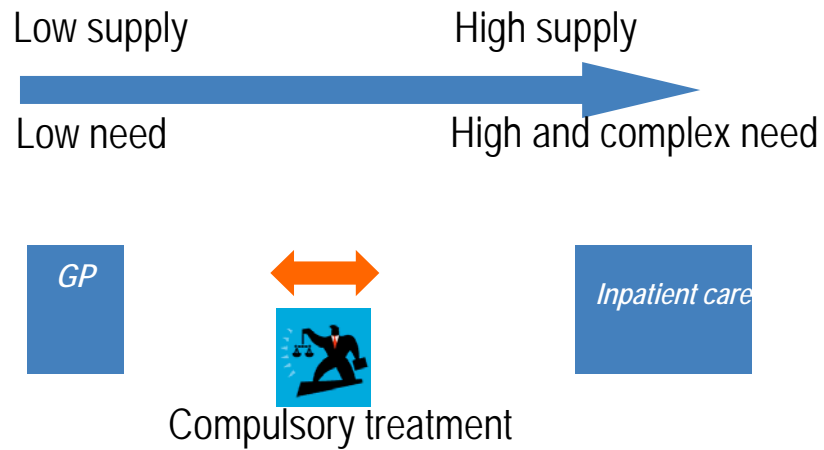
High need



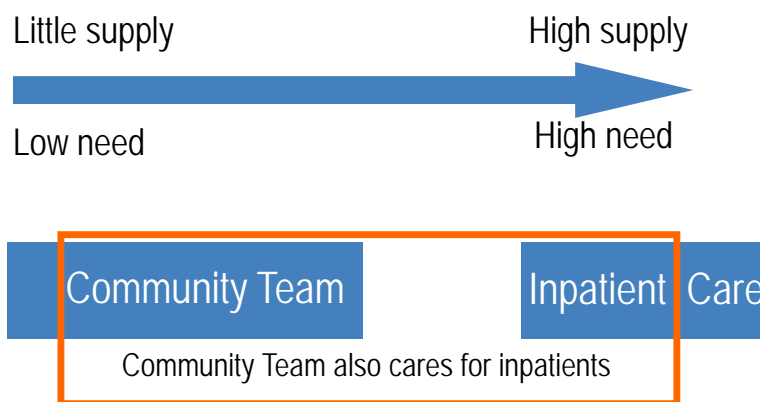
Institutional Modules (chain of modules)



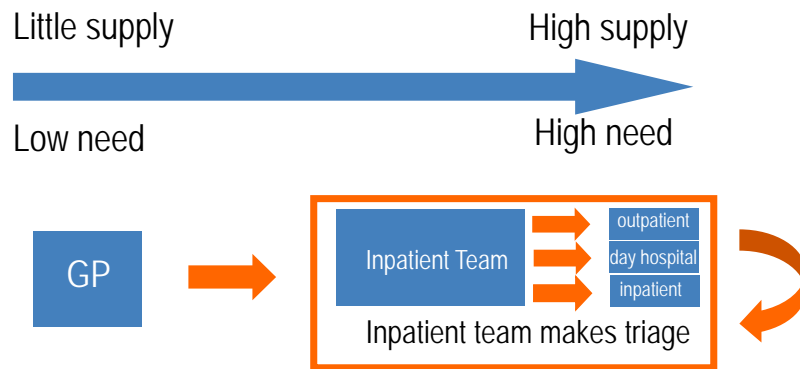
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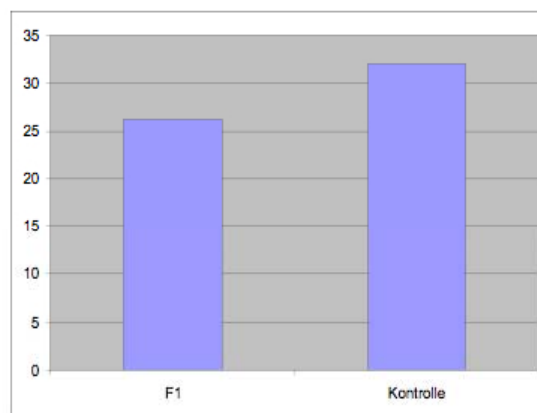
The English Model of Integrated Care



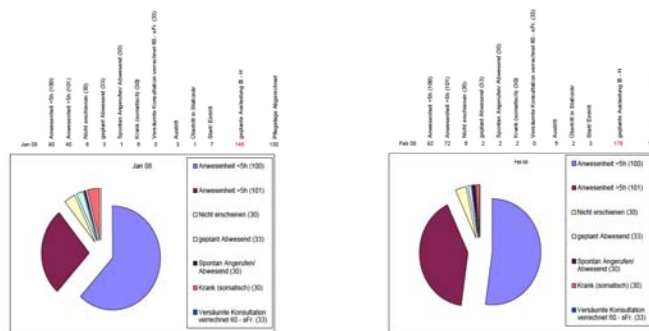
The Swiss Model of Integrated Care (1) A randomized controlled trial



Reduction of length of stay



Integrated Care Zurich use of acute day hospital



Integrated Care Zurich

- Reduced length of stay
- Enhanced patient satisfaction
- Reduced social problems

Participating partners

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- V. Ajdacic Gross
- U. Herwig
- HJ Haug
- HJ Salize

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Aufmerksamkeit

