




Effectiveness of Transdiagnostic Child Therapy Combined with Maternal Acceptance and Commitment Intervention on Anxiety and Depression in Anxious Children and Obsessive Thoughts Related to COVID-19 in Mothers with Corona Anxiety

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1. Round 1

1.1. Reviewer 1

Reviewer:

The research question is relevant but could be refined to specify the aspects of "anxious children" and "mothers with corona anxiety" that are being targeted. Clarity on whether the study focuses on clinical anxiety levels or general anxious tendencies would be beneficial.

The argument's flow from literature review to conclusions can be enhanced. A more detailed explanation of how previous findings directly relate to the current study's hypothesis would strengthen the argument.

The literature review should be expanded to include a wider range of studies on the impact of parental mental health interventions on child outcomes. This could offer a more comprehensive background for the study's rationale.

The methodology section would benefit from a more detailed description of the statistical methods used for data analysis. This includes a clearer explanation of the choice of repeated measures ANOVA and any model assumptions checked.

The manuscript contains several sections where the language could be made more concise and direct. Reducing the use of passive voice and unnecessary jargon would enhance clarity.

Authors revised and uploaded the document.

1.2. Reviewer 2

Reviewer:

While the results indicate significant findings, more specific insights into the magnitude of changes observed in both children and mothers across the different interventions would be helpful.

The limitations section is addressed but could be expanded to discuss potential biases or confounding variables not controlled for in the study's design.

Suggestions for future research could be more detailed, particularly in exploring longitudinal impacts of the interventions and their applicability in diverse populations.

Ensure all references are up to date and consider including more recent studies that have been published on related topics since the manuscript's writing.

The manuscript mentions adherence to ethical standards but could benefit from more details on the consent process and how participants' confidentiality was maintained.

A clearer articulation of how the findings can be applied in practical settings, such as clinical practices or community programs, would be valuable.

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2. Revised

Editor's decision after revisions: Accepted.

Editor in Chief's decision: Accepted.