

Priorización de necesidades de investigación en salud mental

Preguntas de investigación 2015

	Question	Source	Category	Score
1	What are the determining factors of the variability in the comprehensive mental health care program, between primary care centers?	NHS	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	83.3
2	What are the determining factors of the unchanging and unequal geographic distribution of specialized mental health human resources?	Users	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	75.0
3	What is the prevalence of mental disorders in minority populations (ethnic groups, immigrants, homeless individuals)?	NHS	Natural History of Disease/Epidemiology/Risk Factors/Social Determinants	70.0
4	What is the degree of integration (development) of the community model in mental health care facilities?	NCPMD	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	70.0
5	What is the degree of adherence to the CPG recommendations for patients in the GES (universal, guaranteed treatment access) program for the management of schizophrenia, depression, and harmful alcohol and drug use?	NHS	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	70.0
6	What are the transgenerational factors associated with intrafamilial child sexual abuse?	Directors of Clinical Services	Natural History of Disease/Epidemiology/Risk Factors/Social Determinants	66.7
7	What is the incremental cost-effectiveness ratio of evidence-based interventions to prevent adolescent suicide?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of Interventions	66.7
8	Is there bioequivalence between original and generic drugs used to manage depression?	Key Informant	Evaluation of Interventions	66.7
9	What factors determine the performance of mental health facilities in the different levels of care?	Key Informant	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	66.7
10	What are the determining factors of compliance to the Clinical Practice Guidelines (CPG) of schizophrenia, depression, and harmful alcohol and drug use?	NHS	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	66.7
11	What is the cost-effectiveness ratio of the psychosocial activities in municipal, educational, and work settings in the general population?	Key Informant	Evaluation of Interventions	66.7
12	What is the coverage of screening interventions and case management for suicide attempts in the general population?	Key Informant	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	66.7
13	What factors influence the performance of the community model in different mental health care facilities?	NHS	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	66.7
14	What are the financial, administrative, and regulatory opportunities involved in scaling up effective interventions to improve the mental health of individuals using the country's various health facilities?	Key Informant	Evaluation of Intersectoral Public Policies	60.0
15	What mental health competencies must primary care health professionals have to ensure the effective functioning of the mental health care model?	Key Informant	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	60.0
16	What is the validity and reliability of instruments used to evaluate the capacity to consent of individuals with a mental disorder?	NCPMD	Evaluation of Interventions	60.0

17	What proportion of mental health care facilities comply with the mental health Clinical Practice Guidelines?	Key Informant	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	60.0
18	What is the reliability of mental health information that is routinely collected by the DEIS [Department of Health Statistics and Information] (for example, data from the monthly statistical updates on hospital discharges)?	Key Informant	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	60.0
19	What is the level of user satisfaction in the general population, with respect to mental health interventions and policies?	NCPPMD	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	60.0
20	What is the additional cost for each unit increase in the effective coverage of mental health care?	Key Informant	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	60.0
21	What is the additional cost for each unit increase in the mental health care coverage?	Key Informant	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	60.0
22	What is the incidence of child sexual abuse?	Directors of Clinical Services	Natural History of Disease/Epidemiology/Risk Factors/Social Determinants	60.0
23	What is the burden and cost of caring for individuals with a mental disorder who should receive health care coverage through their job, in a separate network for workers, but are treated in the public system?	Directors of Clinical Services	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	60.0
24	What factors determine the remission of major depressive episodes in patients treated in secondary level health services through the GES program, at 6 months, 1 year, and 2 years?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	58.3
25	For women who are positively screened for postpartum depression with the EPDS during their postnatal care, what factors are associated with a decrease in symptomatology?	Online Consultation	Natural History of Disease/Epidemiology/Risk Factors/Social Determinants	58.3
26	What factors determine whether or not an interventions will decrease the disability of individuals with a mental disorder who are treated in mental health care facilities?	NCPPMD	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	58.3
27	What are effective interventions that focus on psychosocial determinants in the promotion of child and adolescent mental health?	Directors of Clinical Services	Evaluation of Interventions	58.3
28	What are the most effective interventions to reduce disability in individuals with a mental disorder?	NCPPMD	Evaluation of Interventions	58.3
29	What is the cost-benefit ratio of having general practitioners treat individuals with a mental disorder compared with treatment by a specialized mental health physician?	Department of Mental Health	Evaluation of Interventions	58.3
30	For adolescent law infractions, what is the fraction attributable to the health sector?	Online Consultation	Natural History of Disease/Epidemiology/Risk Factors/Social Determinants	58.3
31	What is the effectiveness of Open Social Networks (use of networks and thematic groups) in the presentation, promotion, and prevention of mental health problems in the general population?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of Intersectoral Public Policies	58.3
32	What is the effectiveness of intersectoral policies in the resolution of mental health problems and social inclusion, for children and adolescents?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of Intersectoral Public Policies	58.3

33	What is the effectiveness of interventions focused on reducing the stigmatization of individuals with a mental disorder by the general population?	Users	Evaluation of Intersectoral Public Policies	58.3
34	What is the effectiveness of interventions to prevent mental disorders in children and adolescents?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of Interventions	58.3
35	What is the validity and reliability of clinical screening instruments that are applied to individuals treated in the GES program for depression, schizophrenia, and harmful alcohol and drug use?	NHS	Evaluation of Interventions	58.3
36	What is the effectiveness and cost-effectiveness ratio of educational interventions, which aim to promote mental health in students?	NHS	Evaluation of Intersectoral Public Policies	58.3
37	What is the effectiveness and cost-effectiveness ratio of interventions in the workplace, which aim to promote mental health in the workforce?	NHS	Evaluation of Intersectoral Public Policies	58.3
38	What is the effectiveness and cost-effectiveness ratio of interventions in areas of public transportation, which aim to promote mental health in the general population?	NHS	Evaluation of Intersectoral Public Policies	58.3
39	What is the effectiveness of maternal communication with a history of child sexual abuse to her child in the prevention of transgenerational Child Sexual Abuse?	Directors of Clinical Services	Evaluation of Interventions	58.3
40	What is the coverage of interventions for family members of people who commit suicide?	Key Informant	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	58.3
41	What are the mechanisms that affect the association between mental disorders and physical comorbidity in the general population (in terms of prevention)?	NHS	Natural History of Disease/Epidemiology/Risk Factors/Social Determinants	50.0
42	What factors present in the mental health network hinder the social inclusion of individuals with mental disabilities?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of Intersectoral Public Policies	50.0
43	What factors facilitate the adequate implementation of new mental health care programs in primary care center?	Key Informant	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	50.0
44	What factors are associated with the successful incorporation of the mental health care program in primary care?	Department of Mental Health	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	50.0
45	What is the validity and reliability of instruments used to measure the treatment evolution of adolescents between 10 and 14 years of age with depression?	Development of CPG	Evaluation of Interventions	50.0
46	What is the validity and reliability of instruments used to give a comprehensive evaluation of drug use in adolescents?	Development of CPG	Evaluation of Interventions	50.0
47	What is the validity and reliability of instruments used to screen for depression in adolescents between 10 and 14 years of age?	Development of CPG	Evaluation of Interventions	50.0
48	What is the cost-effectiveness ratio of the current treatment programs for harmful alcohol and drug use?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	50.0
49	What is the cost-effectiveness ratio of interventions that aim to improve treatment adherence of individuals with a mental disorder?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of Interventions	50.0

50	What is the prevalence of mental disorders and their psychiatric comorbidity in children and adolescents?	NHS	Natural History of Disease/Epidemiology/Risk Factors/Social Determinants	50.0
51	What percentage of individuals with a mental disorder, that are treated in the public system, participate in a scheduled activity (work, schooling, clubs/groups, etc.)?	Key Informant	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	50.0
52	What is the effectiveness of interventions that aim to prevent depression in the general population?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of Interventions	50.0
53	What is the effectiveness of the mental health network's strategies to promote labor inclusion for individuals with a mental disability?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of Intersectoral Public Policies	50.0
54	What is the effectiveness of social and work inclusion strategies in mental health rehabilitation programs?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of Intersectoral Public Policies	50.0
55	What impact do intersectoral mental health policies have on the social reinsertion of individuals with mental disorders?	Department of Mental Health	Evaluation of Intersectoral Public Policies	50.0
56	What is the effectiveness of training primary health care professionals to detect and manage mental disorders?	Key Informant	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	50.0
57	What is the effectiveness of interventions carried out in young populations to improve the mental health of those individuals as adults?	Key Informant	Evaluation of Interventions	50.0
58	What is the effectiveness of interventions for adolescents with risk behaviors, in terms of improving their short-term mental health?	Key Informant	Evaluation of Interventions	50.0
59	What is the countrywide effectiveness of pharmacological treatments for Attention Deficit Disorder in the population currently in treatment?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of Interventions	50.0
60	What is the difference in the performance of COSAM [community mental health centers] and other secondary level care facilities (CESAM), according to administrative unit (Health Service versus Municipality)?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	50.0
61	What is the gap in human and physical health resource allowance in the community mental health facilities?	NCPPMD	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	50.0
62	What is the knowledge gap in primary care health professionals about adequate management of mental disorders?	Key Informant	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	50.0
63	To what degree is inter-partner violence detected in patients that consult general practitioners for general morbidity?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	50.0
64	What is the degree of compliance to the standards of the human rights convention for the treatment of individuals with a mental health disability?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	50.0
65	What is the most effective model of financial incentive (clinical improvement, population in treatment) in the delivery of mental health care in the various types of facilities?	Key Informant	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	50.0

66	What is the impact of mental disorders and their psychiatric comorbidity in the general population (for example, economic)?	NHS	Natural History of Disease/Epidemiology/Risk Factors/Social Determinants	50.0
67	What is the impact of the different work styles used by mental health human resources?	Directors of Clinical Services	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	50.0
68	What is the cost of different mental health service offerings?	Key Informant	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	50.0
69	How does the deficit and high turnover of primary care physicians affect the effectiveness of the mental health care model?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	50.0
70	What are the resources, competencies, and performance of mental health intervention teams, at the various levels of the network?	Directors of Clinical Services	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	50.0
71	What factors are associated with the involuntary hospitalizations of individuals with a mental disorder?	Directors of Clinical Services	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	50.0
72	What are the gaps in child-adolescent mental health promotion activities, focused on psychosocial determinants?	Directors of Clinical Services	Evaluation of Intersectoral Public Policies	50.0
73	Is the enrollment of individuals into GES programs for a mental health pathology in line with the established criteria?	Directors of Clinical Services	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	50.0
74	What is the magnitude and type of disability of individuals in treatment for schizophrenia in the health care network?	Directors of Clinical Services	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	50.0
75	What infrastructure (capacity/beds in sheltered homes, day hospitals, short-stay hospitals) is available for mental health treatment?	NHS	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	50.0
76	What is the adherence of individuals with mental disorders to the various types of therapeutic interventions?	NHS	Evaluation of Interventions	50.0
77	For individuals with first-episode schizophrenia, what is the effectiveness of early interventions and secondary prevention?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	41.7
78	What variables determine the effectiveness of rehabilitation programs for individuals with severe mental disorders?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	41.7
79	Are there better payment mechanisms than the DRG (diagnostic-related group) system or the PAD (payment related to a diagnostic) method of the AUGÉ program for mental illnesses, according to the international literature and experiences?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	41.7
80	What are the predictors of work-related mental health problems (in the workforce)?	Key Informant	Natural History of Disease/Epidemiology/Risk Factors/Social Determinants	41.7
81	What are the determinants of violent behavior in individuals with a mental disorder, attributable or not to their condition?	Directors of Clinical Services	Natural History of Disease/Epidemiology/Risk Factors/Social Determinants	41.7
82	What are the (modifiable) risk factors of suicidality in adolescents 15 to 19 years of age?	Online Consultation	Natural History of Disease/Epidemiology/Risk Factors/Social Determinants	41.7

83	What are the mental health human resource competencies related to the respectful treatment of individuals with mental disorders and their families?	Users	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	41.7
84	What is the validity, reliability, and applicability of instruments that evaluate disability associated with a mental disorder in population surveys?	NHS	Evaluation of Interventions	41.7
85	What is the validity and reliability of instruments that detect bipolar disorder in the individuals attending health services?	Development of CPG	Evaluation of Interventions	41.7
86	What is the cost-effectiveness ratio of interventions (??) designed to prevent neurocognitive deficits of patients with bipolar disorder?	Development of CPG	Evaluation of Interventions	41.7
87	What is the effectiveness and cost-effectiveness ratio of sectoral mental health policies focused on the social reinsertion of individuals with a mental disorder, in terms of relapses and recurrences?	Department of Mental Health	Evaluation of Interventions	41.7
88	What is the effectiveness of standard rehabilitation programs versus community-based psychosocial rehabilitation programs for individuals with a mental illness-related disability?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of Interventions	41.7
89	What is the effectiveness of population-level populations aimed at socially integrating individuals with a severe mental disorder?	Users	Evaluation of Interventions	41.7
90	What is the effectiveness of ECT as a treatment for individuals with a bipolar disorder?	Development of CPG	Evaluation of Interventions	41.7
91	What is the effectiveness of interventions that aim to facilitate the use of public transportation by individuals with a severe mental illness, in terms of their overall functioning?	Users	Evaluation of Intersectoral Public Policies	41.7
92	What is the variability of treatment offered by different mental health professionals for individuals with a mental disorder, and what are the health consequences of this?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	41.7
93	What is the effectiveness and cost-effectiveness ratio of housing and urban planning interventions designed to promote mental health in the general population?	NHS	Evaluation of Intersectoral Public Policies	41.7
94	What competencies do mental health professionals need to have in order to improve detection of bipolar disorder?	Development of CPG	Evaluation of Interventions	40.0
95	What rehabilitations services are offered for individuals with a mental disorder in the public and private health networks?	Key Informant	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	40.0
96	What is the level of disability associated with specific mental disorders in the general population?	NHS	Natural History of Disease/Epidemiology/Risk Factors/Social Determinants	40.0

97	What is the incidence of violent acts toward third parties in the general population?	Key Informant	Natural History of Disease/Epidemiology/Risk Factors/Social Determinants	40.0
98	What is the frequency of different work styles among mental health teams?	Directors of Clinical Services	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	40.0
99	What is the burden attributable to mental disorders among individuals with a chronic, non-communicable disease?	NHS	Natural History of Disease/Epidemiology/Risk Factors/Social Determinants	40.0
100	What is the level of knowledge and competencies of psychiatrists who complete residencies financed by the public health system, in terms of the programs and practices recommended by the National Mental Health Plan, the Explicit Health Guarantees Program (GES), the Law of Rights and Responsibilities of Patients, the International Conference on the Rights of People with Disability, the Hospital Admission Regulation, the Containment Standards, and other similarly important instruments?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	40.0
101	How much does the Model of Comprehensive Care, with a family and community focus, complement the Model of Mental Health in primary health care service delivery?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	40.0
102	What are the financial management models of the various mental health facilities?	Key Informant	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	40.0
103	What is the degree of inclusion of individuals with a severe mental disorder in the various primary care programs (not only the mental health programs)?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	40.0
104	How do different social groups, that are important to the country's development (businessmen, workers, politicians, etc.), value child-adolescent mental health, and how is this interest converted into concrete actions?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	40.0
105	What is the prevalence of different types of mental illness in the population with a neurological disorder from childhood?	Directors of Clinical Services	Natural History of Disease/Epidemiology/Risk Factors/Social Determinants	40.0
106	What is the incidence of suicide attempts in the general population of the country?	Key Informant	Natural History of Disease/Epidemiology/Risk Factors/Social Determinants	40.0
107	What is the health burden associated with psychosocial determinants of child-adolescent mental health?	Directors of Clinical Services	Natural History of Disease/Epidemiology/Risk Factors/Social Determinants	40.0
108	What are the psychosocial, socio-demographic, and familial factors that most determine the incidence of mental disorders in the general population?	Department of Mental Health	Natural History of Disease/Epidemiology/Risk Factors/Social Determinants	33.3
109	What work conditions are related to the respectful treatment of individuals with mental disorders and their families, by mental health professionals?	Users	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	33.3

110	What is the cost-effectiveness ratio of interventions that aim to improve the quality of life of patients with an organic disease (e.g. mental retardation, developmental disorder with behavioral alterations)?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of Interventions	33.3
111	What is the effectiveness of the community mental health care model in the rehabilitation of individuals with dual diagnosis?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	33.3
112	What is the effectiveness of complementary interventions (e.g. mediation) in the prevention of mental health problems in the general population?	Key Informant	Evaluation of Interventions	33.3
113	What is the impact of each additional appointment with a mental health specialist on the overall functioning of individuals with a severe mental disorder?	Users	Evaluation of Interventions	33.3
114	What factors are associated with the rehospitalization of individuals discharged from short-stay psychiatric hospitalizations?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	33.3
115	What are the psychosocial determinants of child-adolescent mental health?	Directors of Clinical Services	Natural History of Disease/Epidemiology/Risk Factors/Social Determinants	33.3
116	What is the cost-effectiveness ratio of the application of traditional psychopathology criteria versus the criteria of the DSM-V/ICD-10 in the diagnosis and management of mental disorders?	Directors of Clinical Services	Evaluation of Interventions	33.3
117	What is the prevalence of mental disorders among mental health human resources, and what are the determinants?	Directors of Clinical Services	Natural History of Disease/Epidemiology/Risk Factors/Social Determinants	33.3
118	What is the impact of interventions that mental health professionals teach family members of individuals with mental disorders, on the patients' overall functioning?	Users	Evaluation of Interventions	33.3
119	What impact do the mental health and personal issues of mental health center teams have on the outcomes of service users?	Directors of Clinical Services	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	33.3
120	What percentage of the mental health investment budget is consistent with the current mental health policy?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	30.0
121	What are the most frequent comorbidities affecting patients enrolled in the GES program for depression in primary care?	Online Consultation	Natural History of Disease/Epidemiology/Risk Factors/Social Determinants	30.0
122	What are the immediate causes of the functional dependence and cognitive deterioration of older adults?	Online Consultation	Natural History of Disease/Epidemiology/Risk Factors/Social Determinants	30.0
123	What should be the content of laws specifically related to mental health, throughout the world?	Key Informant	Evaluation of Intersectoral Public Policies	30.0
124	What is the prevalence of burnout among health human resources?	Key Informant	Natural History of Disease/Epidemiology/Risk Factors/Social Determinants	30.0
125	What is the availability of jobs for individuals with a psychic disability?	Key Informant	Evaluation of Intersectoral Public Policies	30.0

126	What is the social acceptance of, and degree of community participation in, psychosocial rehabilitation programs for individuals with a mental disorder?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	30.0
127	What is the satisfaction level of direct and indirect mental health service users, with respect to child-adolescent mental health treatment? (note: "indirect" users are family members, for example)	Online Consultation	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	30.0
128	What is the performance of psychosocial rehabilitation units in the public system mental health network?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	30.0
129	What is the validity of the DSM-V/ICD-10 criteria with respect to traditional psychopathology criteria?	Directors of Clinical Services	Evaluation of Interventions	30.0
130	For individuals treated in outpatient psychiatric services, what factors are associated with a favorable evolution (early discharge, post-discharge evolution, readmission)	Online Consultation	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	25.0
131	What factors determine the adherence of individuals with a mental disorder to psychiatric treatment plans?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	25.0
132	What are the long-term, adverse effects of psychotropic medication use?	Key Informant	Natural History of Disease/Epidemiology/Risk Factors/Social Determinants	25.0
133	What is the best way to finance community-based activities in mental health programs?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	25.0
134	What is the most cost-effective method to manage the effects of trauma in patients seeking treatment for depression?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of Interventions	25.0
135	What is the quality of life of individuals with schizophrenia who receive treatment in the comprehensive mental health program (psychotropic medications, psychosocial interventions, etc.) versus that of individuals who receive usual care?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of Interventions	25.0
136	What impact does the GES depression program have on the incidence and duration of sick leave in the working population?	Department of Mental Health	Evaluation of Interventions	25.0
137	What is the effectiveness of psychosocial interventions in individuals treated for schizophrenia?	Directors of Clinical Services	Evaluation of Interventions	25.0
138	What is the impact of treatment on the health-related quality of life (HRQoL) and subjective wellbeing of individuals with a mental disorder?	Directors of Clinical Services	Evaluation of Interventions	25.0
139	What elements of mental functioning predict the occurrence of violence between individuals, at the population level?	Key Informant	Natural History of Disease/Epidemiology/Risk Factors/Social Determinants	20.0
140	What sources of intersectoral information could be used to inform clinical decision-making?	Key Informant	Evaluation of Intersectoral Public Policies	20.0
141	What conception of human rights do professionals carrying out mental health interventions have, and how is this expressed in care?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	20.0
142	What is the frequency of inappropriate use of benzodiazepines and anti-depressants in the general population?	Key Informant	Natural History of Disease/Epidemiology/Risk Factors/Social Determinants	20.0

143	What is the comorbidity of individuals with severe mental disorders?	Online Consultation	Natural History of Disease/Epidemiology/Risk Factors/Social Determinants	20.0
144	What is the profile of the population treated in outpatient psychiatric services (polyclinics of psychiatric and general hospitals, diagnostic and treatment centers [CDT], rural health centers [CRS], COSAM, and CESAM)?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of System and/or Health Program	20.0
145	What is the cost-effectiveness ratio of GES program interventions for depression?	Online Consultation	Evaluation of Interventions	16.7
146	How large is the effect that stigma has on treatment adherence, among individuals with severe mental disorders?	Users	Evaluation of Interventions	16.7
147	What is the prevalence of pervasive developmental disorders in the adult population?	Directors of Clinical Services	Natural History of Disease/Epidemiology/Risk Factors/Social Determinants	10.0