



Predicting Effective Adaptation to Breast Cancer to Help Women to BOUNCE Back

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Goal in early breast cancer



- **Predictive model of resilience, a decision-support tool to be used in routine clinical practice** to provide physicians and other health professionals with concrete, personalized recommendations regarding **optimal psychosocial support strategies at the correct time point.**
- Eventually **increase resilience** in breast cancer survivors and help them remain in the workforce and enjoy a **better quality of life.**
- To further develop the **operational model** and the **care path** for breast cancer patient

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Concept of resilience

Problems related to resilience are common among breast cancer patients -

- * Patient reported emotional changes (50%)
- * functional limity (50%)
- * changes in everyday life (48%)
- * sexual activity (40%)
- * fysical well-being (40%)
- * body image (30%)
- * social life (18%)

Travado 2013

- * Cancer is a traumatic stressor for many of the patients. In review of 13 studies regarding posttraumatic stress disorder (PTSD), mostly following breast cancer, reported that 5-19% of the cancer patients met full criteria for PTSD.

Kangas 2002

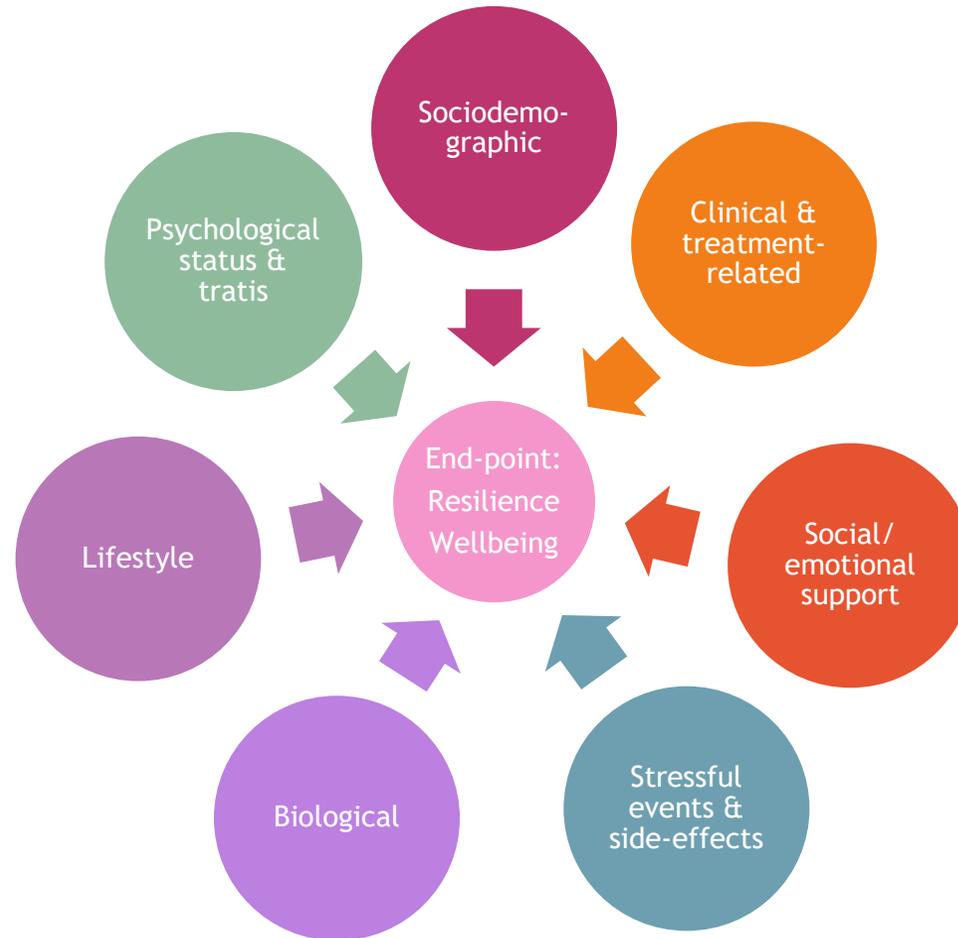


Wellbeing in early BC



- Usually QOL improves gradually over the first year after dg after active treatments are over and side-effects go over
- Many patients cope well with the help of treating professionals, family, friends and peer support
- However, it is very important to recognize patient who are at risk for impaired well being and resilience and who would need more support

Resilience: "coping with the change"





Connor Davidsson Resilience Scale

Measures resilience at one time point as a trait

1. Able to adapt to change
 2. Can deal with whatever comes
 3. Tries to see humorous side of problems
 4. Coping with stress can strengthen me
 5. Tends to bounce back after illness or hardship
 6. Can achieve goals despite obstacles
 7. Can stay focused under pressure
 8. Not easily discouraged by failure
 9. Thinks of self as strong person
 10. Can handle unpleasant feelings
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Broader perspective for resilience in BOUNCE

Multifaceted concept: As defined in BOUNCE (2018) A *conglomerate* of dynamic *self-regulatory capacities* that allow to mobilize and use internal and external resources over time *in the face of adversity* in order to maintain or promote wellbeing.

- ...a personality characteristic or personal capacity (trait)
 - ★ Assessed in BOUNCE with CD-RISC at several time points
- ...an adaptive process or change over time
 - ★ E.g., as a specific trajectory over time
- ...or an “outcome”
 - ★ Less psychological symptoms, higher QOL



BOUNCE pilot 2019-2021

BOUNCE prospective pilot



- Age 40-70
- Stage I-III BC patients receiving some type of medical therapy
- Without any major early onset mental illness
- Without any major disease or operation during past year
- Baseline = after first visit with oncologist

Questionnaires included in the study, divided by psychological domain and number of items at each time-point WP6



| Domain | Abbreviation | Measure name | M0 | M3 | M6 | M9 | M12 | M15 | M18 |
|---|---|--|-----------------------------|----|----|----|-----|-----|-----|
| Personality | TIPI | Ten Item Personality Measure (brief "Big Five") | 10 | | | | | | |
| | LOT-R | Optimism/Pessimism | 10 | | | | | | |
| Meaning | SOC-13 | Sense of Coherence | 13 | | | | | | |
| Trauma and PTSD | PCL-5 | PTSD Check-List | | | 20 | | 20 | | 20 |
| | | Recent negative life events | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| | | Recent illness-related events | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Coping | PACT | The Perceived Ability to Cope With Trauma (Flexibility in coping) | 20 | | | 20 | | 20 | |
| | CERQ short | Cognitive Emotion Regulation Questionnaire | 18 | | | 18 | | 18 | |
| | | MAAS - Mindfulness | | 15 | | | 15 | | |
| Social Support | mMOS-SS | Spirituality coping - a visual bar | | 1 | | 1 | | 1 | |
| | | modified Medical Outcomes Study Social Support Survey | | 8 | | 8 | | 8 | |
| | | F.A.R.E. 1. Communication and cohesion; 2. Perceived family coping subscales | | 12 | | 12 | | 12 | |
| | | Instrumental/emotional perceived social support | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | |
| Resilience | CD-RISC | Connor-Davidson Resilience Scale | 10 | | | 10 | | 10 | |
| | | How much are you back to yourself? | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Illness Perception & b | IPQ | Illness Perception Questionnaire | | | 56 | | 56 | | 56 |
| | | B-IPQ | Items no 3 and 4 from B-IPQ | | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| | mini-MAC | Mental Adjustment to Cancer | | 29 | | 29 | | 29 | |
| | | Single item: what has done to cope (open question) | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| | CBI-B | Cancer Behavior Inventory (self-efficacy in coping with cancer) | 14 | | 14 | | 14 | | |
| | | A general self-efficacy item | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Adherence to medical advice: item 5 from the MOS Adherence to medical | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | 1 | |
| PTGI | The Posttraumatic Growth Inventory - short form | | 10 | | | 10 | | 10 | |
| Quality of life | QLQ-C30 | EORTC quality of life questionnaire | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 |
| | QLQ-BR23 | EORTC quality of life questionnaire breast cancer module | 23 | 23 | 23 | 23 | 23 | 23 | 23 |
| Distress | FCRI-SF | Fear of Recurrence - short form (severity scale of original FCRI) | 9 | | 9 | | 9 | | 9 |
| | HADS | Hospital Anxiety and Depression Scale | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| | DT | NCCN Distress Thermometer | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| | PANAS | Positive and Negative affectivity - short form | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 |
| Sociodemographics and lifestyle | | 22 | | | | | | 22 | |

HADS alarm if score 13 or higher indicating severe anxiety

- 23 Sociodemographic questions for the patient
- MO 268 questions

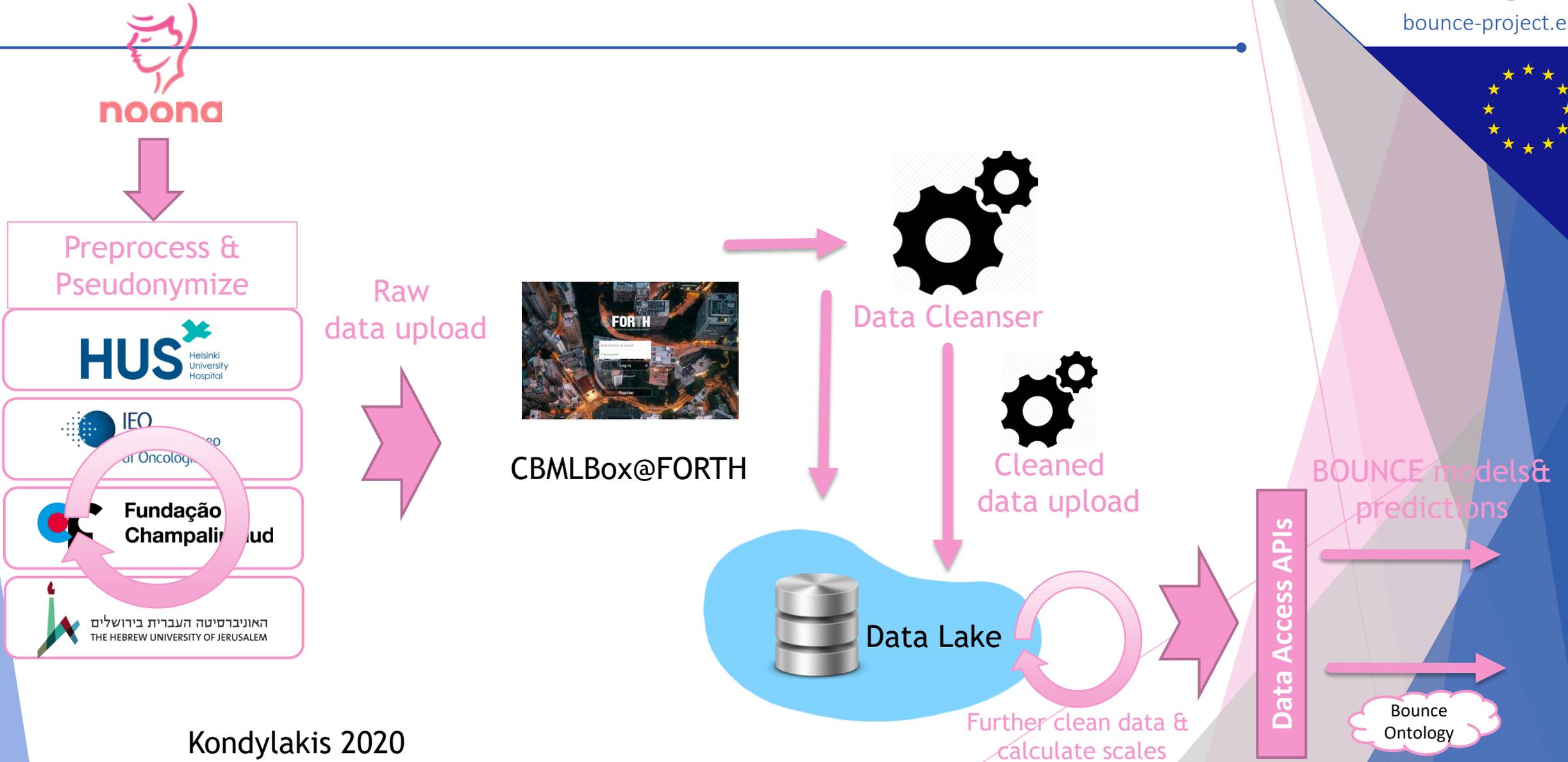
Medical and treatment information M0-18

Collected by the trial assistant



- Tumour characteristics
- Treatment information
- Chronic illnesses
- Psychotropic medications
- ECOG performance status every 3 months
- Severe side-effects
- Biomarkers- hsCRP, blood cellcount (M0, M12)
- DFS, OS (M18)

BOUNCE platform





BOUNCE trajectories & models

Predicting Resilience of Women with Early Breast Cancer via Machine Learning Models

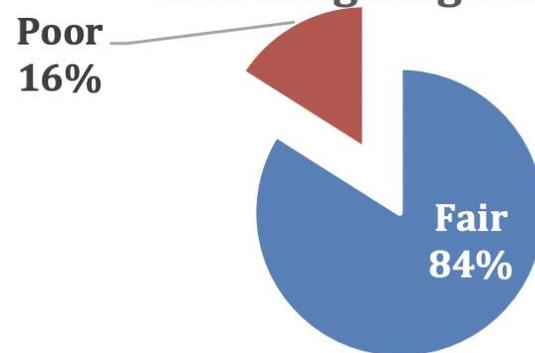


Psychological status at the time of diagnosis



As time goes by, most women demonstrate successful adaptation, as indicated by the fact that fewer reported significant symptoms of anxiety or depression when queried again 18 months later.

Psychological status 18 months following diagnosis



Recruited patients (706)

Psychological status

Followed to 18 months post-diagnosis (495)

"Stable fair" (71%)

Improved (12%)

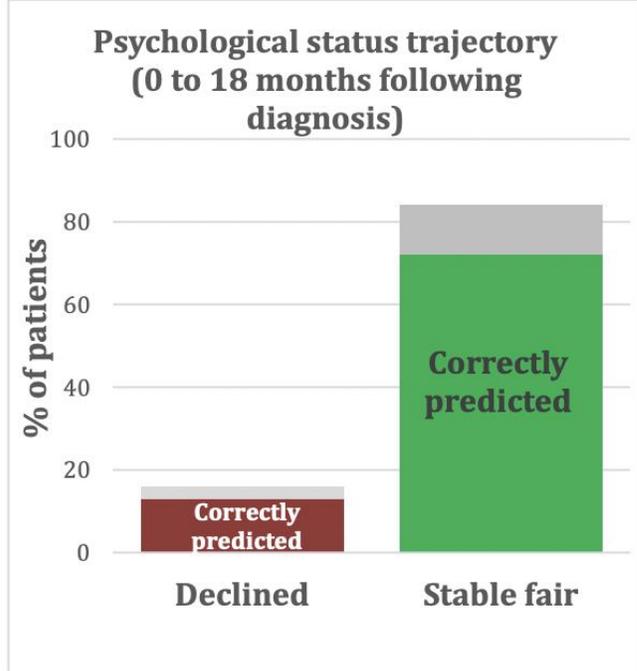
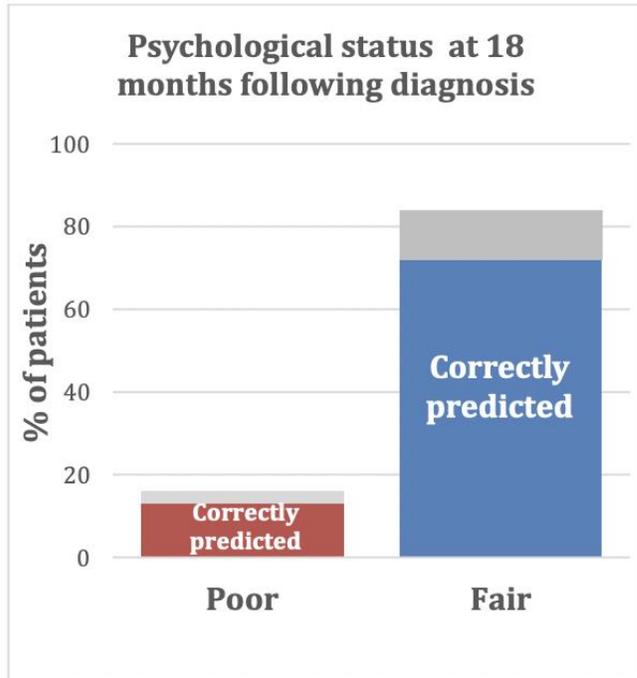
Declined (8%)

"stable poor" (9%)





Machine learning models correctly predicted one-year mental health deterioration for **71 & 76%** of patients.



ML-models identified the patients who had stable good mental health status at M12 with **76-77%** certainty.

Simos FORTH 2022

Significant predictors of changes in mental health change over one year



- M0/M3 anxiety, depression, QOL
- negative affect
- coping with cancer, self-efficacy to cope with cancer, adjustment to cancer
- a sense of control/positive expectations (i.e., sense of coherence; optimism)
- social and family support
- lifestyle factors (i.e., exercise)
- symptoms (e.g., arm symptoms)

BOUNCE decision support tool



- 1. Questionnaires in Noona for patients
- 2. Pseudomized data export from Noona to the BOUNCE platform with the prediction models
- 3. Platform provides predictions for individual patients
- 4. Platform provides clinical recommendations for interventions



Clinical recommendations

Clinical recommendations include

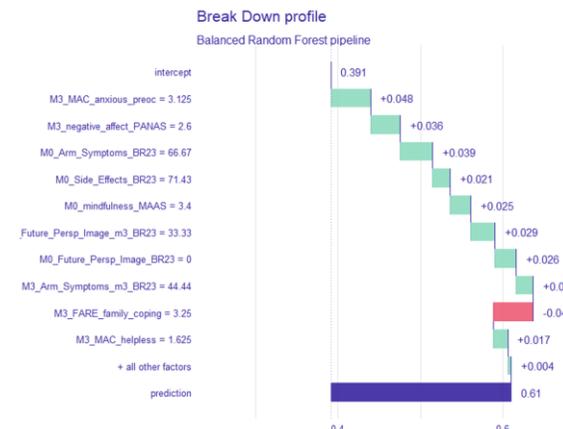


- Grouping predictors of resilience into intervention targets
- Suggestion for interventions based on the targets
- Interventions are planned locally according to local resources and practise

Grouping Psychological Predictors into General Concepts/Intervention Targets, evidence based



| At baseline | | |
|--|---|--|
| Predictors | Matching concept/ Intervention Target | Validation / evidence for the grouping (example references) |
| Negative affect Positive affect Overall positive emotion regulation Overall negative emotion regulation | <i>Emotion and emotion regulation</i> | https://doi.org/10.1177/1754073910380974 https://doi.org/10.1080/02699931.2010.544160 https://doi.org/10.1027/1015-5759/a000599 |
| Self-efficacy to cope Ability to cope with trauma | <i>Perception of coping abilities</i> | https://doi.org/10.1080/08870446.2022.2038157 https://doi.org/10.4324/9781315800820 https://doi.org/10.1017/CBO9780511994791.005 |
| Fear of recurrence Future perspective | <i>Representations of illness timeline</i> | https://doi.org/10.1007/s10865-016-9782-2 https://doi.org/10.1037/bul0000118 https://doi.org/10.1080/17437199.2019.1644189 |
| Arm symptoms Breast symptoms Side effects | <i>Representations of illness symptoms / consequences</i> | https://doi.org/10.1002/pon.4213 https://doi.org/10.1007/978-1-4939-3486-7_7 |
| Sense of coherence Optimism Resilience as trait Mindfulness | <i>Sense of control, resilience – as traits</i> | https://doi.org/10.1016/j.paid.2016.04.001 https://doi.org/10.1080/08870446.2010.484064 https://doi.org/10.1017/CBO9780511499784.020 https://doi.org/10.1046/j.1365-2648.1993.18111772.x |



Evidence based suggestion for interventions based on the targets



| | | |
|--|---|--|
| <p><i>Emotion and emotion regulation</i></p> | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Explore patients' emotions. Encourage them to say more, if they wish. 2. Explore how they are dealing with these emotions. Do they find their methods helpful? If not, go to points 4 and 5. 3. Discuss what was helpful to them in previous distressing situations. Ask them to elaborate on that. Could these strategies be helpful in this occasion as well? If not, go to points 4 and 5. 4. Discuss/propose adaptive strategies – tailor to patient's needs and preferences. For example, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Expressive writing (write down your emotions, thoughts, images, reactions, etc.) • Physical exercise • Enjoy company/ talk to other persons (emphasize the role of social/family support) • Make plans for enjoyable and meaningful activities • Engage in pleasurable activities • Emphasize and discuss the role of sleep • <i>Participate in a support/patient group, if available</i> | <p>https://www.cancer.gov/about-cancer/coping/feelings (emotions in cancer)</p> <p>https://www.cancercouncil.com.au/cancer-information/when-you-are-first-diagnosed/emotions-and-cancer/dealing-with-the-diagnosis/ (emotions in cancer, grief)</p> <p>https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/9789240003927?gclid (WHO for stress management)</p> <p>https://positivepsychology.com/stress-management-techniques-tips-burn-out/ (stress management)</p> <p>https://www.cdc.gov/mentalhealth/tools-resources/index.htm (stress management)</p> <p>https://positivepsychology.com/emotion-regulation/ (strategies for emotion regulation)</p> <p>https://doi.org/10.1007/s12671-020-01561-w (mindfulness, review)</p> <p>https://www.nhs.uk/mental-health/self-help/tips-and-support/mindfulness/ (social support tips)</p> |
|--|---|--|

| General concept/ Intervention Target | Corresponding "Explore – Discuss – Suggest" procedure / BCS | Indicative online material – "how to" / online resources |
|---|--|---|
| <i>Lifestyle factors</i> | <p>Present relevant guidelines.</p> <p>Help the patient: a) set relevant goals; b) anticipate potential obstacles, discuss ways to overcome these; c) track progress; d) discuss rewards; e) review and set new goals, if appropriate.</p> | <p>Physical exercise: https://doi.org/10.1249/MSS.0000000000002116 https://doi.org/10.1249/MSS.0b013e3181e0c112 https://www.cancer.org/treatment/survivorship-during-and-after-treatment/be-healthy-after-treatment/physical-activity-and-the-cancer-patient.html https://health.gov/our-work/nutrition-physical-activity/physical-activity-guidelines/previous-guidelines/2008-physical-activity-guidelines/advisory-report</p> <p>Alcohol consumption: https://www.cancer.gov/about-cancer/prevention/risk/alcohol/alcohol-fact-sheet https://www.mdanderson.org/cancerwise/does-alcohol-cause-cancer.h00-159383523.html https://www.health.harvard.edu/diseases-and-conditions/11-ways-to-curb-your-drinking https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/alcohol-misuse/</p> <p>Diet: https://doi.org/10.1111/obr.12591</p> |



Exploitation

Cost benefit analysis in BOUNCE



- Conclusion: It is cost-effective to utilize the in-silico predictor as a tool to aid the clinicians predict the patient's state of QoL and choose the intervention based on the prediction.
- The benefits depends on the intervencion type and strategy
- Main benefit to the society (sick leaves) and less to the service provider

Exploitation of the BOUNCE tool after the project



- Commercial exploitation
- Internal use in BOUNCE centers

Dissemination events



1. Helsinki 2019: Opening event, Digitality
2. Jerusalem 2019: Cross cultural perspective
3. Milan 2020: From resilience prediction to decision making
4. Lisbon 2021: Patient centered care, cognitive function, biomarkers



Sub studies in Helsinki University Hospital

Testing pilot in HUS



- 2021 recruited 101 participants with early breast cancer with BOUNCE inclusions/ exclusions
- Prediction of the mental well being during following moths (first models)
- Exersice calculator, does patient exersice according to recommendations (150 minutes of moderate exersice plus two times muscle work per week)
- Patients under 55 years of age are offered nutrition intervention, because of the risk for early menopause
- Based on prediction of mental health, age and amount of exersice patients are offered digital interventions in HUS Health Village platform

Intervention pilot



1. Empowerment path
2. Exercise path
3. Nutrition path

Paths include:

- ❖ Information, guidance
- ❖ detection
- ❖ self practices
- ❖ chat (paths 2, 3)
- ❖ walking in the forest (path 2)

Digital Interventions in The Health Village

My Path in HUS



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KOTI VIESTIT KALENTERI PÄIVÄKIRJA LUPAPYYNNÖT USEIN KYSYTYÄ

TERVETULOA OMAPOLULLE!

Omapolku on erikoissairaanhoidon digitaalinen palvelukanava, jossa saat hoitoa sinulle sopivana aikana. Omapolulta löydät omahoito-ohjelmat ja sähköhoitopolut. Omapolku mahdollistaa tietoturvallisen yhteydenpidon omaan hoitopaikkaan sekä ohjauksen ja valmistuksen hoitosi edistyessä.

MINUN HOITOPOLKUNI

Siirry hoitopolullesi painamalla kuvaa tai otsikkoa

BOUNCE2-tutkimus

Tämä polku sisältää BOUNCE-tutkimuksen esittelyn, tutkimussuostumuksen sekä liikkumisen tukiohjelmaa tarvitseville potilaille.

HOITOPOLKU GROUP CHAT PÄIVÄKIRJA

Need and type of digital interventions



79% exercise path
43 % nutrition path
32% empowerment path
13% no intervention

Same patients can take part to several paths



HUS retrospective BREX data

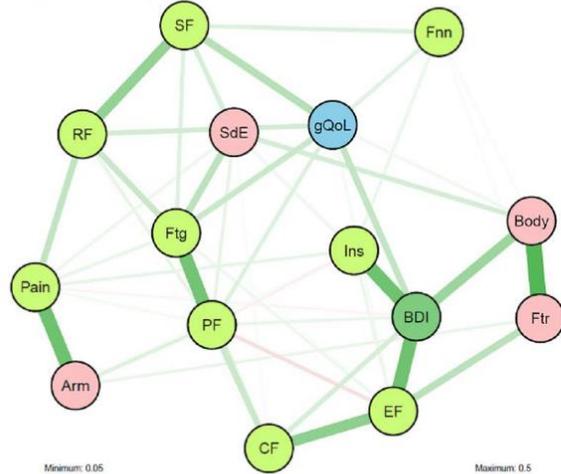
Trial was originally designed to test the value of exercise interventions. Results proved the benefit of physical activity in the whole population as the control group was also active.

In BOUNCE the data was analyzed with graphical LASSO method

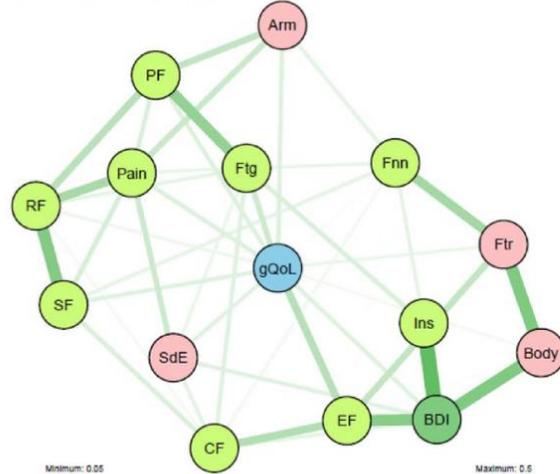
OPEN A graphical LASSO analysis of global quality of life, sub scales of the EORTC QLQ-C30 instrument and depression in early breast cancer

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Baseline: EBIC glasso



Month 12: EBIC glasso



EORTC-QLQ-C30
● gQoL: Global health/quality of life

EORTC-QLQ-C30
● PF: Physical functioning
● RF: Role functioning
● EF: Emotional functioning
● CF: Cognitive functioning
● SF: Social functioning
● Ftg: Fatigue
● Pain: Pain
● Ins: Insomnia
● Fnn: Financial difficulties

EORTC-QLQ-BR23
● Body: Body image
● Ftr: Future perspective
● SdE: Systemic therapy side effects
● Arm: Arm symptoms

Beck Depression Inventory
● BDI: Depression score

Figure 1. Networks constructed via graphical LASSO visualizing the regularized partial correlations between global health/QoL, symptoms, functioning and depression, measured by EORTC-QLQ C30, EORTC-QLQ B23 and BDI questionnaires, at baseline and 12-month follow up. Green edges represent positive partial correlations and red edges negative ones. Thicker and more saturated edges represent stronger partial correlations. Edges with absolute weight above 0.05 are displayed. The distance between two nodes reflects the absolute edge weight between them (Fruchterman–Reingold layout). All edge weights are reported in Supplement Table 3. The depression score and the symptom scores have been reversed to follow the functioning scales interpretation, i.e. higher score indicates a lower level of symptoms and a better state of the patient.



Summary



- Psychological factors are strongest predictors for resilience and most important targets for interventions in early BC
- BOUNCE models to predict mental health and QOL at M12-18 are ready
- BOUNCE decision support tool functionalities and structure are ready
- Digital support material from the testing pilot can be opened for all BC patients in Helsinki
- Bounce partners are working with exploitation plans of our tool
- BOUNCE increased understanding about resilience in breast cancer with 15 papers published/ submitted
- BOUNCE data is a rich and valuable data source for further studies.

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