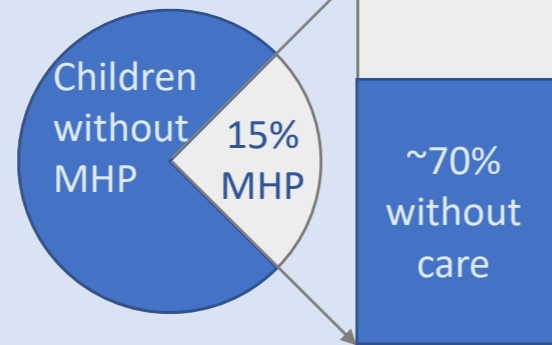


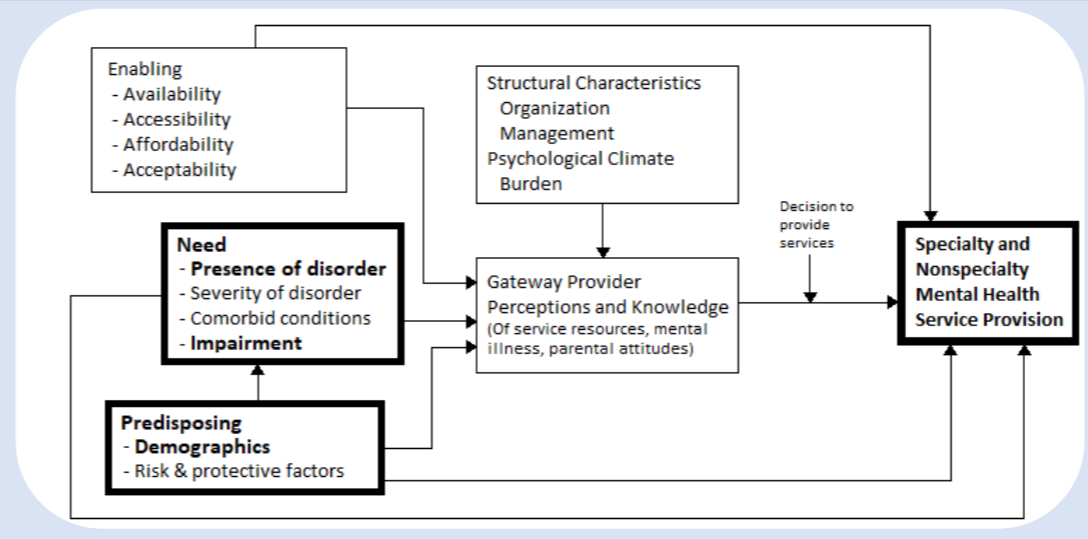


Child with mental health problems

INTRODUCTION



MHP=mental health problems



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Gender, ethnic background and quality of life associated with psychosocial care use in 9-year-old children

CONCLUSION

A better quality of life is associated with less psychosocial care use at 9 years old in all children.

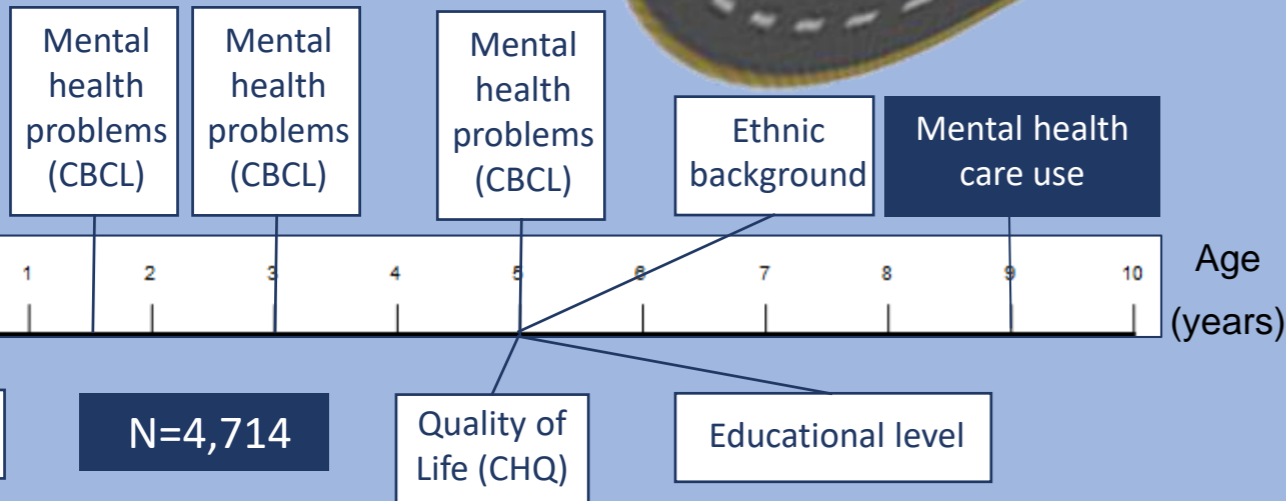
Determinants:

- Problems at 5 and 9 years old
- Gender (less care: girls)
- Ethnic background (less care: children with non- Western background)

Additional analyses show different determinants for gender and ethnic background groups.

Access to care for Western girls and children of non-Western background can be improved.

METHODS



	Presence of overall emotional/behavioural problems (yes)	
	Up to 5 years OR (95% CI)	Up to 9 years OR (95% CI)
1.5 years	n.s.	n.s.
3 years	n.s.	n.s.
5 years	2.71 (1.94-3.78)	1.91 (1.35-2.70)
9 years	-	4.86 (3.72-6.35)

Sociodemographic characteristics					
	Gender OR (95% CI)	Ethnic background OR (95% CI)		Educational level (mother) OR (95% CI)	
Boy (ref.)	1.00	Dutch (ref.)	1.00	High (ref.)	1.00
Girls	.62 (.50-.76)	Moroccan/Turkish	.47 (.30-.73)	Middle	n.s.
		Antillean/Surinamese	n.s.	Low	n.s.
		Other Western	n.s.		
		Other non-Western	.45 (.28-.72)		

Boys

Girls



Western

Non-Western

QoL was a determinant in all strata, having problems only in boys and Western



Psychosocial care use at 9 years old