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***Improve your concentration***

***Improve your memory***

***Get organised***

If you *want to participant* or *have any questions* about the study at any time, feel free to contact

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**What does participation in the study involve?**

This clinical trial will randomise participants in a 1:1 design, which means there is an equal chance of being in either the Cogsmart or CIRcuiTS group.

**Step 1 Screening Process**

To determine Initial study eligibility you will partake in a screening interview which will take approximately 30 minutes.

**Step 2 Contact**

You will be asked to attend group sessions either once a week for 12 weeks, with each session lasting approximately 2 hours, or twice per week for 12 weeks, with each session lasting approximately 1 hour. You will also be asked to attend three sessions as an individual.

At each individual session a clinical trial research assistant/psychologist will conduct a series of clinical assessments. This will involve asking questions about your thinking and problem solving skills, thoughts, symptoms, and relationships.

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**Will participating in the study cost me anything?**

There are no additional costs associated with participating in this clinical trial.

**What is the purpose of this study?**

This clinical trial will look at which of the two therapies works best in improving thinking skills (e.g. memory and attention) which influence real world functioning.

The two therapies are Cognitive Symptom Management and Rehabilitation Therapy (Cogsmart) and Computerised Interactive Remediation of Cognition – Training for Schizophrenia (CIRCuiTS).

Cogmsart is a group therapy that aims to improve real world thinking skills for functioning. CIRCuiTS is a computerized program with modules including tasks of a wide range of cognitive functions. It also includes “bridging” were participants in the group reflect on how the program relates to thinking skills needed in real world functioning.

**What are the possible benefits of taking part?**

We cannot guarantee or promise that you will receive any benefits from this clinical trial; however your participation will help us better understand if Cogsmart and CIRCuiTS are effective in improves thinking skills that help in every day functioning for people who suffer from psychosis.