

ANU's e-hub programs



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Up to date **information** about mental health

Self help **tools** (CBT and other therapies)

Online **peer support**

Free, accessible, based on best available evidence



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What works for depression (and what doesn't).

Some people prefer medical treatments, some prefer psychological therapy and others are most interested in alternative treatments and lifestyle changes.



Select the treatment that interests you and find out if it is likely to work for you.

Medical Treatments

- 😊😊😊 [Antidepressants](#)
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Psychological Treatments

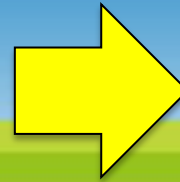
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- 😊 [Tryptophan](#)
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Beacon is your portal to online applications for mental and physical disorders.

A panel of health experts categorise, review and rate websites and mobile applications. These ratings are provided to you along with the site link and access information. Reviews of internet support groups are now also included.

Improve your health by undertaking programs that have been found to work!



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Generalised anxiety disorder Services

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This Way Up - Generalised Anxiety Disorder Course



This course is a clinician-assisted cognitive behavioural treatment (CBT) program for generalised anxiety disorder, incorporating best practice CBT principles including challenging meta-beliefs about worry, graded exposure, challenging core beliefs, and relapse prevention. (English)

The BRAVE Program



The BRAVE Program uses cognitive behavioural therapy (CBT) techniques to treat childhood anxiety. There are two available versions, one tailored to children aged between 8 and 12 years and a second for teenagers aged 13 to 17 years. (English)



The BRAVE Program

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Description:

The BRAVE Program uses cognitive behavioural therapy (CBT) techniques to treat childhood anxiety. There are two available versions, one tailored to children aged between 8 and 12 years and a second for teenagers aged 13 to 17 years. Each version contains weekly sessions for participants and their parents which take approximately one hour. BRAVE focuses on developing skills to manage anxiety. These skills encompass recognising physiological signs of anxiety, relaxation strategies, cognitive training including self-talk and restructuring, exposure, problem-solving, and empowerment. The parent sessions aim to help parents to better assist their children in managing their anxiety through psychoeducation and instruction on management techniques. Each session provides reading material and exercises that encourage children and their parents to practice these skills in the real world. Automated feedback is provided following exercises and each family is assigned a therapist who provides feedback by email each week. The therapist also calls the family in the middle of the program to assist with their exposure strategies.

Service URL: <http://www.brave.psy.uq.edu.au>

Agency Responsible: The University of Queensland and Griffith University.

Details

Format: Website.

Intervention Type: Psychological – CBT.

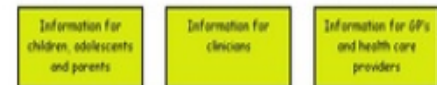
Course Length: Long (more than 5 modules). *10 sessions for children and 6 for parents in the BRAVE for Children-Online, and 10 for adolescents and 5 for parents in the BRAVE for Teenagers-Online. Both programs also incorporate 2 additional booster sessions for youth and parents.*

Smiley Rating



The BRAVE Program

A program for child and adolescent anxiety





Target Audience

Primary Category: Generalised anxiety disorder. *Also targets social anxiety, phobias, separation anxiety disorder*

Secondary Categories: Social anxiety and Phobias.

Target Audiences: Child and Adolescent.

Language: English.

Access

Fee: Free.

Access: Closed: Research participation. *Access is only available to participants in a research trial.*

Contact Details:

brave@psy.uq.edu.au

Research evidence

Research Trials: 3

Research RCTs: 3

Outcome Summary:

The efficacy of the BRAVE Program has been tested in three randomised controlled trials. With an adolescent sample, use of the BRAVE Program resulted in significantly greater reductions in anxiety diagnoses and anxiety symptoms compared to a wait list control condition. These improvements were evident at 12 weeks post-baseline and were maintained at 6- and 12-month follow-ups. The beneficial outcomes of the BRAVE Program were similar to those found for clinic-based therapy. An earlier study using a child sample compared the online BRAVE Program to a purely clinic-based BRAVE program, with the internet version containing half of its sessions in the clinic and half online. No difference was identified between the two types of BRAVE intervention and they both corresponded to significant reductions in anxiety at post-test, which was maintained at 6 and 12 months. The complete online version of the BRAVE Program for children has also been tested. Compared to a wait-list control, the program resulted in significantly greater improvements in clinical ratings of severity and global assessments of functioning at post-test. Further, the percentage of children not meeting DSM-IV criteria for anxiety disorders had increased from 30% post-test to 75% at 6 months. This constitutes good evidence that the BRAVE Program is effective in reducing symptoms of anxiety disorders in children and adolescents.



Recommended rating, reviewer 1:



Recommended rating, reviewer 2:



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Research paper citations

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the MoodGYM

TRAINING PROGRAM / Mark III

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for preventing and coping with depression

- 5 modules: 20-40 mins
- Free clinician manuals
- Interactive workbook

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Local help lines for other parts of the world are listed at [befrienders.org](#).



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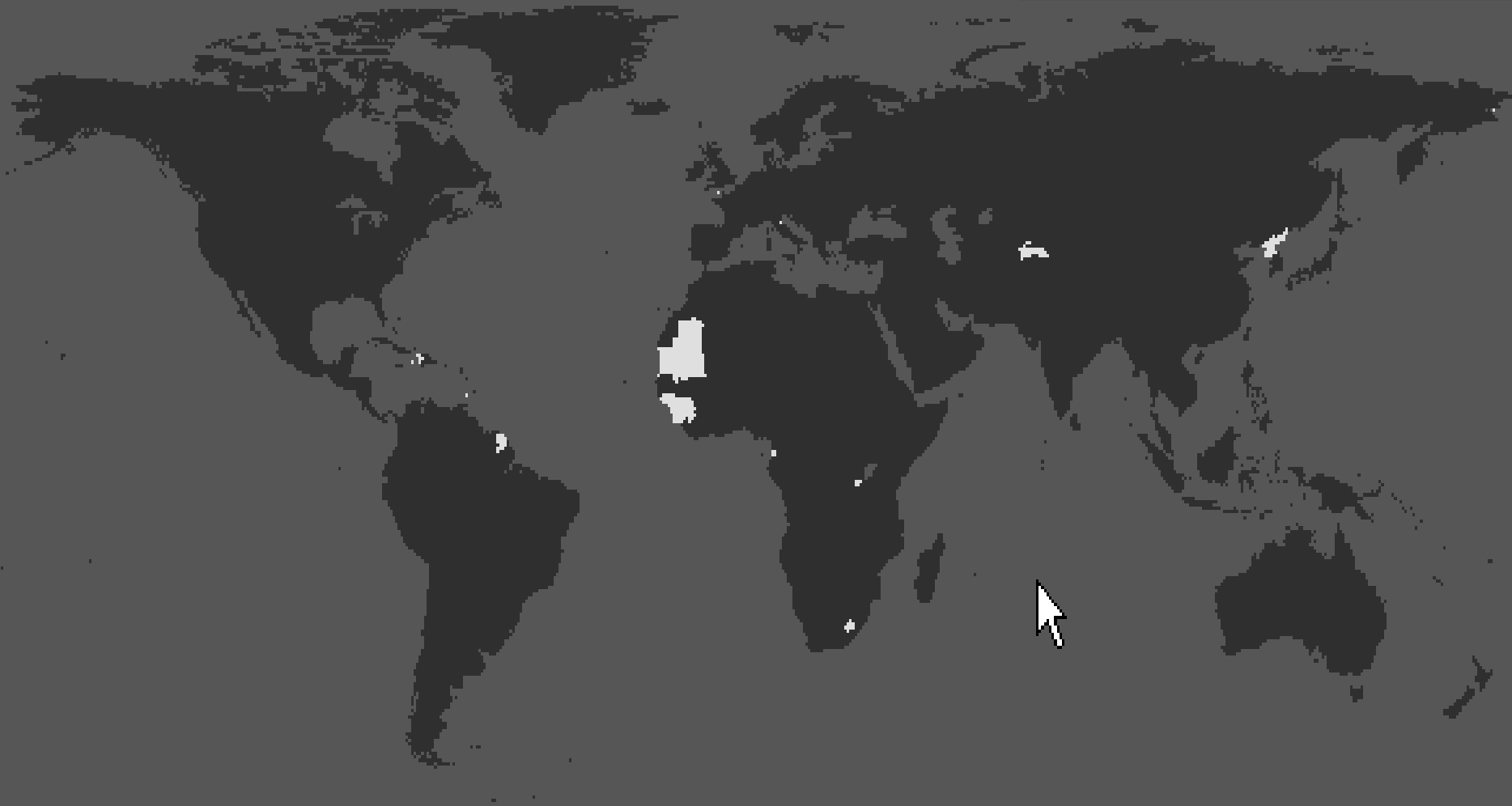
Simplified Chinese



Dutch



www.moodgym.anu.edu.au



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> 20 studies



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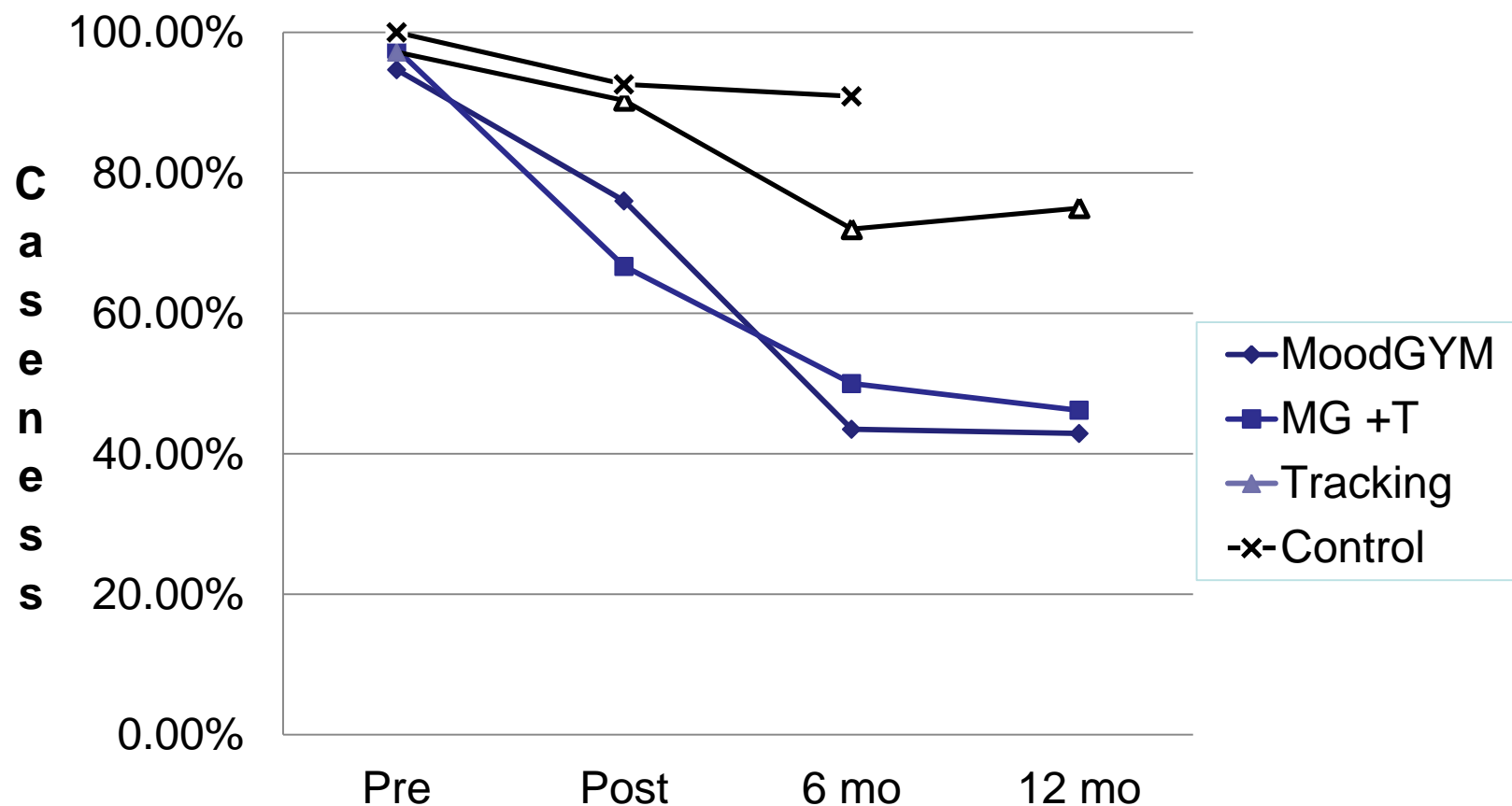
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Meet ELLE, who is gorgeous looking, talented, good at work, attractive to men but feels like a fraud. Feels one day, people are going to find out that she really is stupid, untalented unintelligent, emotionally void, ugly etc. It is only a matter of time. Maybe we are all a bit like ELLE sometimes.

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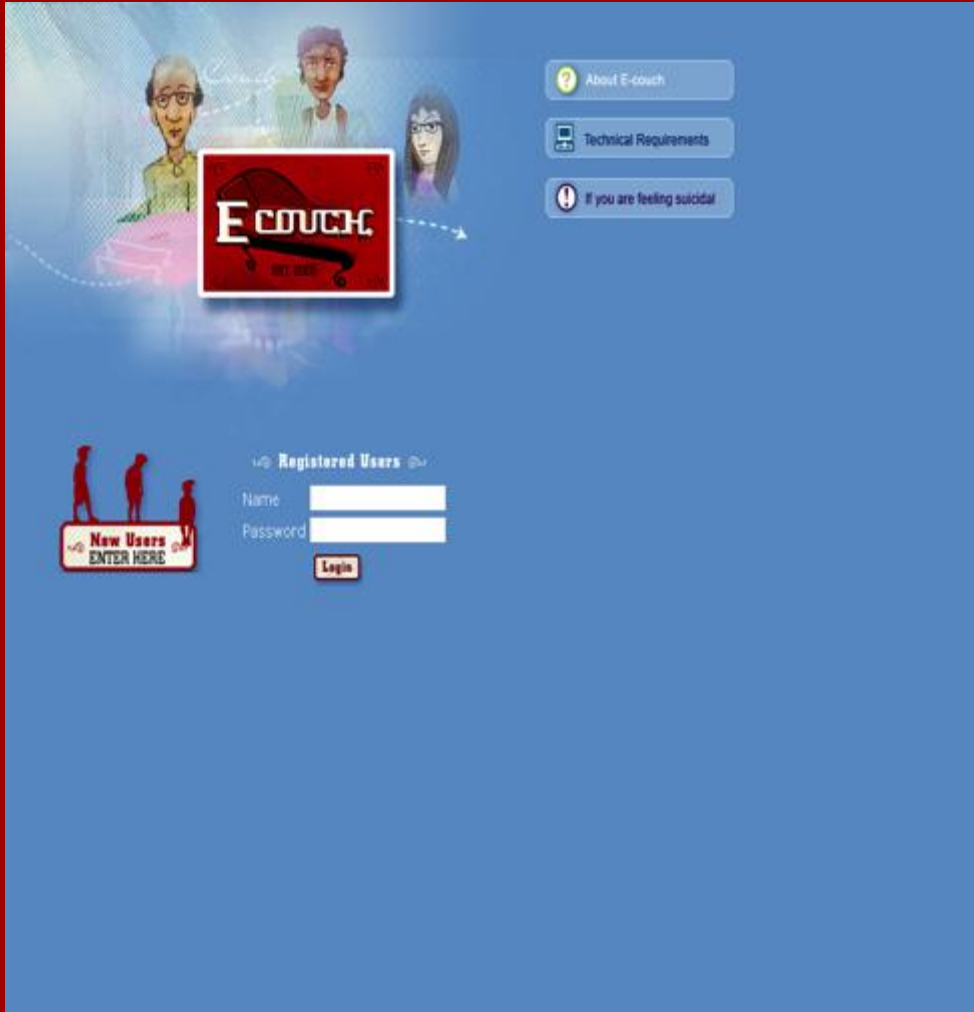
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Panic
Disorder

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Separation

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& Loss

Toolkits:

- CBT
- IPT
- Relaxation therapy
- Physical Activity
- (Problem solving)

Toolkits:

- CBT
- Exposure therapy
- Attention practice
- Social skills training
- Relaxation therapy

Toolkits:

- CBT (worry)
- Relaxation therapy
- Physical activity

Toolkits:

- CBT
- Exposure therapy
- Relaxation therapy
- Physical activity

Toolkits:

- CBT
- Problem solving
- Practical advice

Toolkits:

- Techniques for dealing with grief
- CBT

ANXIETY & WORRY PROGRAM



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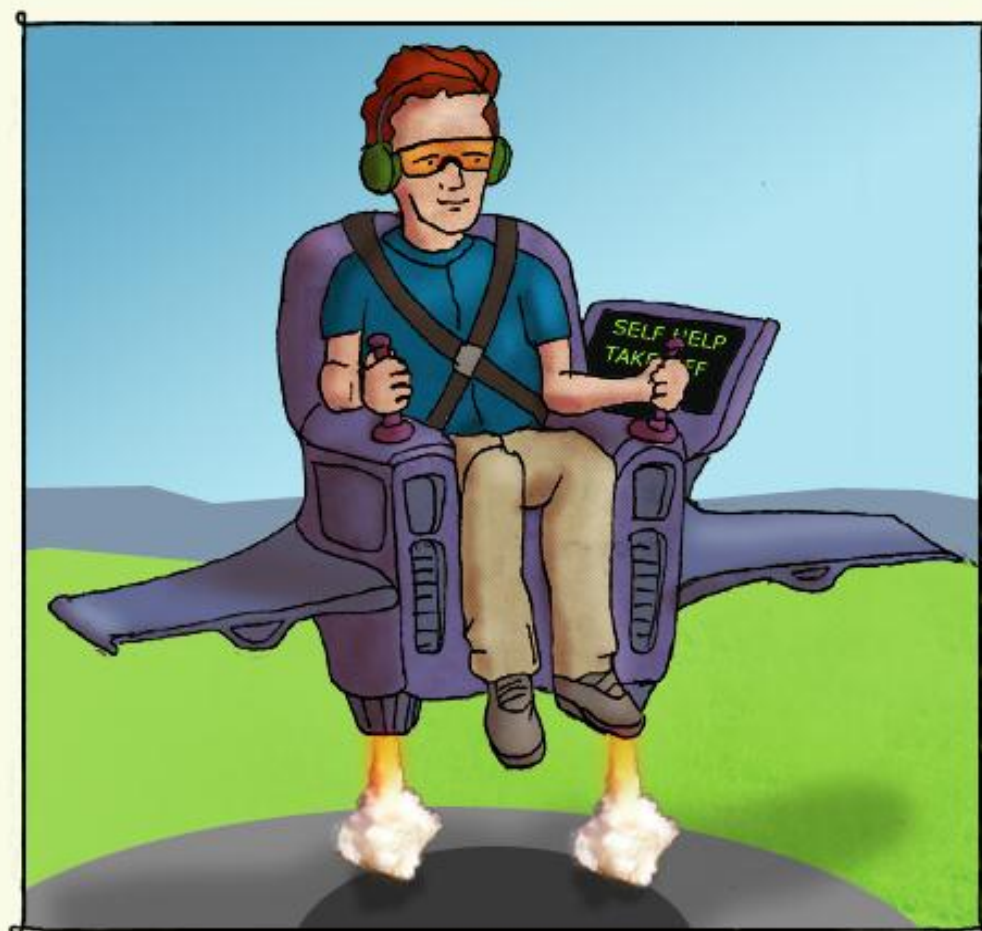


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Making your life better: e-couch self-help

GAD and other anxiety disorders can really interfere with your life over a long period. For this reason it's important you seek out the right treatment for you. You also need to keep working on your anxiety to reduce its effects – you begin to feel better.

e-couch helps you take steps to **help yourself** through its **anxiety and worry toolkits**.



So, get ready to take the e-couch self-help controls and learn what you can do about your anxiety...

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General Anxiety self help toolkits

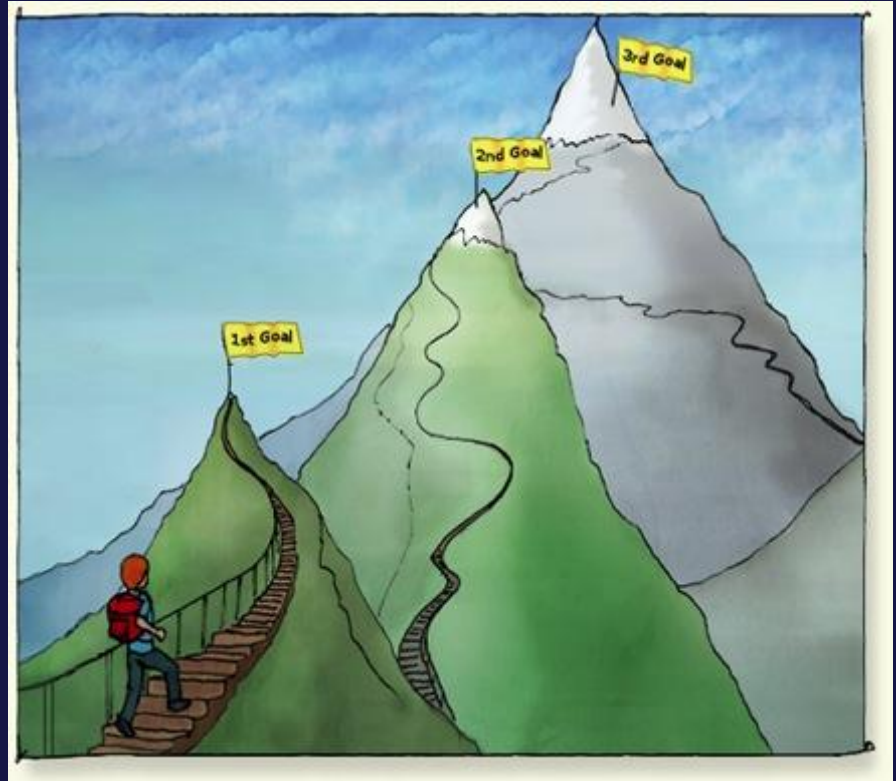
To help you worry less you will need tools for:

- Tackling mental habits
- Addressing feelings
- Practising different behaviours

Here are the e-couch self help toolkits. Each of these toolkits can help with **dealing with your anxiety** and we hope you'll keep coming back to use your toolkits, until your skills in managing your anxiety are improved and you are more confident in dealing with worry.


Click on the first toolkit, Cognitive Behaviour Therapy, and let's get started.







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Welcome to BlueBoard!

BlueBoard is an online community for people suffering from depression or anxiety, their friends and carers, and for those who are concerned that they may have depression or anxiety and want some support. We hope that this bulletin board will enable people to reach out and both offer and receive help. **The main thing we want you to know is that you are not alone!** In order to post messages you will first need to [register](#) with a made-up alias.

IMPORTANT Please don't use a real name as part of your username or for privacy reasons we will have to disable your account. We just hate having to do this but protecting members' privacy is a really important aspect of BlueBoard. :) [Click here](#) to read more about usernames.

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 BlueBoard Notices Sub-Forums: Rules and Consent , BlueBoard Notices , Emergency Help , * New members: What happened to Fred Smith? *	➤ Moderated
 Depression and Bipolar Disorder Sub-Forums: Living with depression , Living with bipolar disorder , Taking care of ourselves	
 Generalised Anxiety Sub-Forums: Living with generalised anxiety , Taking care of ourselves	➤ 18 yrs +
 Social Anxiety Sub-Forums: Living with social anxiety , Taking care of ourselves	
 Panic Disorder Sub-Forums: Living with panic disorder , Taking care of ourselves	➤ 24/7
 Obsessive Compulsive Disorder Sub-Forums: Living with OCD , Taking care of ourselves	
 Borderline Personality and Related Disorders Sub-Forums: Living with borderline personality disorder , Taking care of ourselves	➤ 7,400+ members
 Eating Disorders Sub-Forums: Living with an eating disorder , Taking care of ourselves	
 Caring for someone with a mental health problem Sub-Forums: General , Depression and Bipolar Disorder , Anxiety Disorders , Other disorders	➤ Current RCT
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e-hub Assist is a portal of resources for people who use e-hub services and e-facilitators who support others to use e-hub's online self-help programs.

It can be used by many people including mental health professionals, other health professionals, teachers, youth workers, carers and support workers.



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- Other health professionals
- I am a teacher or youth worker
- I am a carer or other support worker



- Promotion
- Training:
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