Patients randomised (n=60)

Assertive Intervention (n=34)
All signed informed consent

Control Group (standard care) (n=26)
All signed informed consent

Did not complete study (n=5)
• Died (n=1)
• Long term ward (n=4)

Did not complete study (n=5)
• Received > standard care (n=1)
• Long term ward (n=2)
• Could not be found at 12 month follow-up. (n=2)

Interviewed at 12 months (n=29)

Interviewed at 12 months (n=21)

• PANSS
• ESRS
• CDSS
• CGI
• WHO-QOL
• Illness information
• Medication

• PANSS
• ESRS
• CDSS
• CGI
• WHO-QOL
• Readmissions
• Medication