Opioid-dependent individual

Screening on eligibility

Inclusion criteria:
- Over 18 and under 70 years old,
- Opioid-dependent (DSM-IV criteria),
- Having an indication for methadone treatment (being methadone naive from the last 30 days or being in treatment failure with buprenorphine).

Exclusion criteria:
- Contraindications to methadone treatment,
- Triple dependence (opioids, benzodiazepines, alcohol),
- Being a prison inmate,
- Pregnancy,
- Not contactable by phone.

Written informed consent to participate in ANRS-Methaville trial

Randomization

Primary care physician: Experimental group
CSAPA physician: Control group

2-week initiation phase (either primary care or CSAPA)

Participant follow-up choice (either primary care or CSAPA)

Exp patient in primary care
Exp patient in CSAPA
Control patient in primary care
Control patient in CSAPA

Follow-up assessments at Months 3, 6 and 12