Personal determinants (behavior):

- Knowledge of regulations and laws
- Knowledge of the availability occupational health services for support
- Positive attitude towards occupational physicians
- Beliefs of positive outcomes of disclosure and asking for adjustments/support
- No fear of stigma
- Acceptance of disease and awareness of symptoms
- Sufficient self-management skills
- Sufficient self-efficacy for the POs
- Positive value of self-image ('being normal')
- Positive attitude towards work

Personal determinants (environment):

- Knowledge of chronic conditions and work and policies with employer and coworkers.
- Managers' and HR personnel's skills in communicating and supporting employees with chronic conditions
- Employers' positive attitude towards employees with chronic conditions and preventive measures
- OPs' positive attitude toward collaborating with the work environment
- OPs' skills in communicating and collaborating with employers
- Health care providers' value on importance of work and discussion of work related

Performance objectives (behavior):

- Decide in which cases disclosure of the chronic condition could be of help for sustainable employability and follow-up on these decisions (designating when to disclose, to whom and what information)
- Ask for adjustments and support from employers, co-workers, the social environment, and health care providers
- Make decisions with the aim of fitting the job to personal capacities and to maintain balance in life and follow-up on these decisions
- Manage limitations and respond to symptoms at work

Behavioral outcome:

The employee with a chronic condition will exert self-control

Health & quality of life:

- Working healthy
- Prevention or early identification of work related problems
- Balancing work, health and personal life
- Sustainable employment

Performance objectives (environment):

2. Organizational:

- 2.1.1. OP creates awareness within the organization of the need for an organizational policy to facilitate employees with chronic conditions staying at work
- 2.1.2. OP guides the employer in exploring organizational barriers which inhibit employees with chronic conditions from exerting self-control
- 2.1.3. OP guides the employer in exploring possible solutions for these organizational barriers which inhibit employees with chronic conditions from exerting self-control
- 2.1.4. OP helps to create an organizational policy and a supportive work environment to facilitate the ability of employees with chronic conditions to exert self-control and stay at work

Environmental outcome:

1. Interpersonal:

1. Social environment supports employees with exerting self-control

2. Organizational:

- 1. Occupational physicians collaborate with the work environment in supporting employees with chronic conditions to exert self-control
- 2. The work environment supports employees with exerting self-control;
- 3. Medical specialists communicate about work related problems and refer to occupational health professionals
- 4. Providing training (skills) and information on managing the disease and work by health care provider.

3. Community:

- 1. Visibility of occupational health services for preventive support;
- 2. Dealing with prevention of work related problems in health care

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