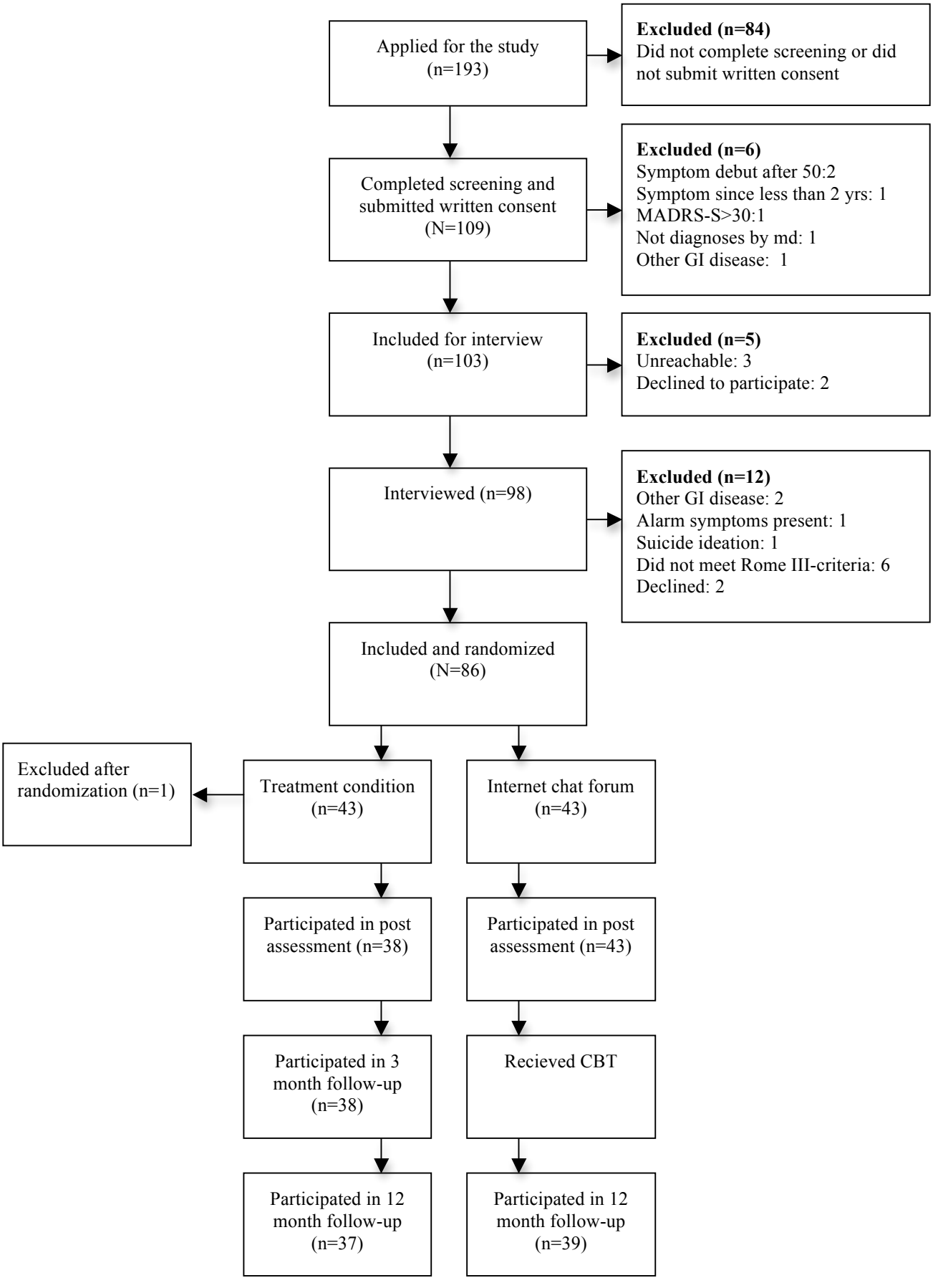
Applied for the study (n=193)
Excluded (n=84)
Did not complete screening or did not submit written consent
Completed screening and submitted written consent (N=109)
Excluded (n=6)
Symptom debut after 50:2
Symptom since less than 2 yrs: 1
MADRS-S>30:1
Not diagnoses by md: 1
Other GI disease: 1
Included for interview (n=103)
Excluded (n=5)
Unreachable: 3
Declined to participate: 2
Interviewed (n=98)
Excluded (n=12)
Other GI disease: 2
Alarm symptoms present: 1
Suicide ideation: 1
Did not meet Rome III-criteria: 6
Declined: 2
Included and randomized (N=86)
Excluded after randomization (n=1)
Treatment condition (n=43)
Internet chat forum (n=43)
Participated in post assessment (n=38)
Participated in post assessment (n=43)
Participated in 3 month follow-up (n=38)
Recieved CBT
Participated in 12 month follow-up (n=37)
Participated in 12 month follow-up (n=39)