

Allocation

Recruitment

Baseline survey
(Aug. 2006)

1st follow-up
(Nov. 2006,
In detention)

2nd follow-up
(Jan. 2007 – Oct. 2008,
In community)

Analysis

Eligibility (9 drug rehabilitation centers)

Convenience sampling (2 centers)

Control group (1 center)
816 Screened for eligibility

396 Excluded
274 Not meeting inclusion criteria
122 Refused to participate

420 **Recruited**

Routine education

Assessment ($n=227$)
Knowledge only

Assessment ($n=24$)
Knowledge and behavior

1st follow-up ($n=227$)
2nd follow-up ($n=99$)

75 Included
Undergone the same experience

Intervention group (1 center)
353 Screened for eligibility

106 Excluded
39 Not meeting inclusion criteria
67 Refused to participate

247 **Recruited**

Peer-based education

Assessment ($n=208$)
Knowledge only

Assessment ($n=38$)
Knowledge and behavior

1st follow-up ($n=208$)
2nd follow-up ($n=38$)