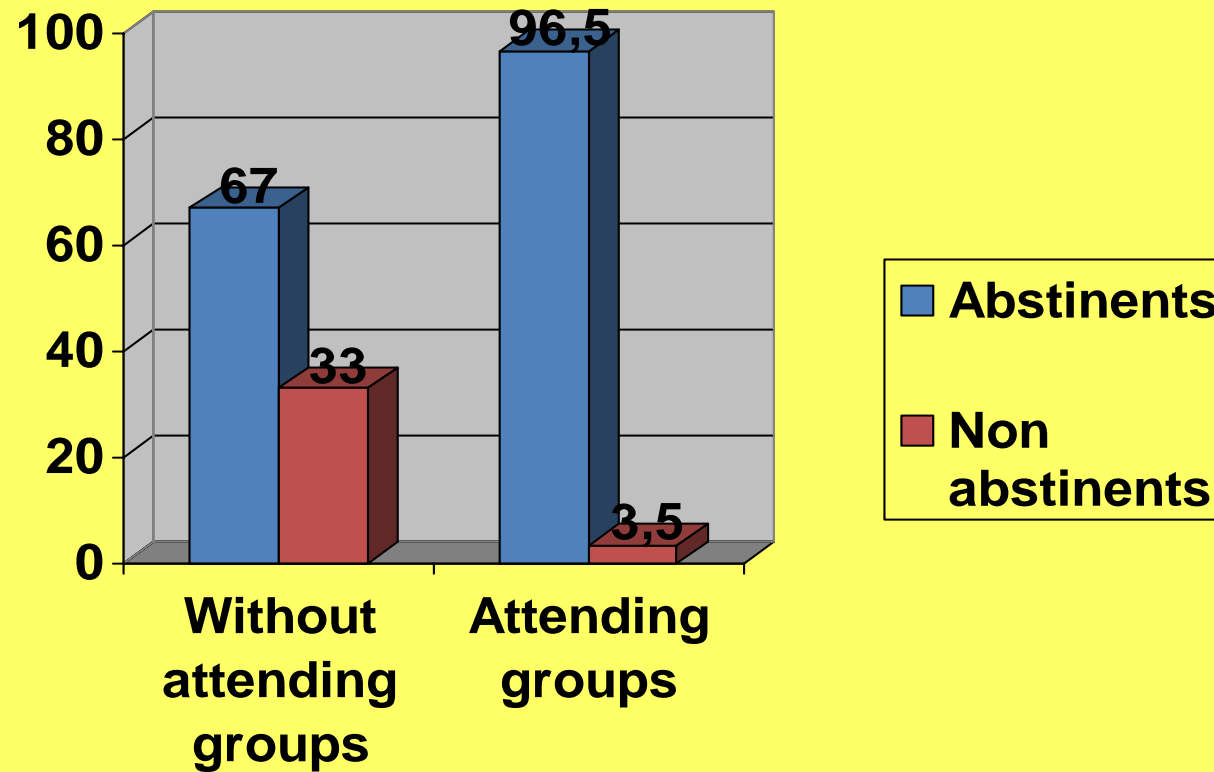
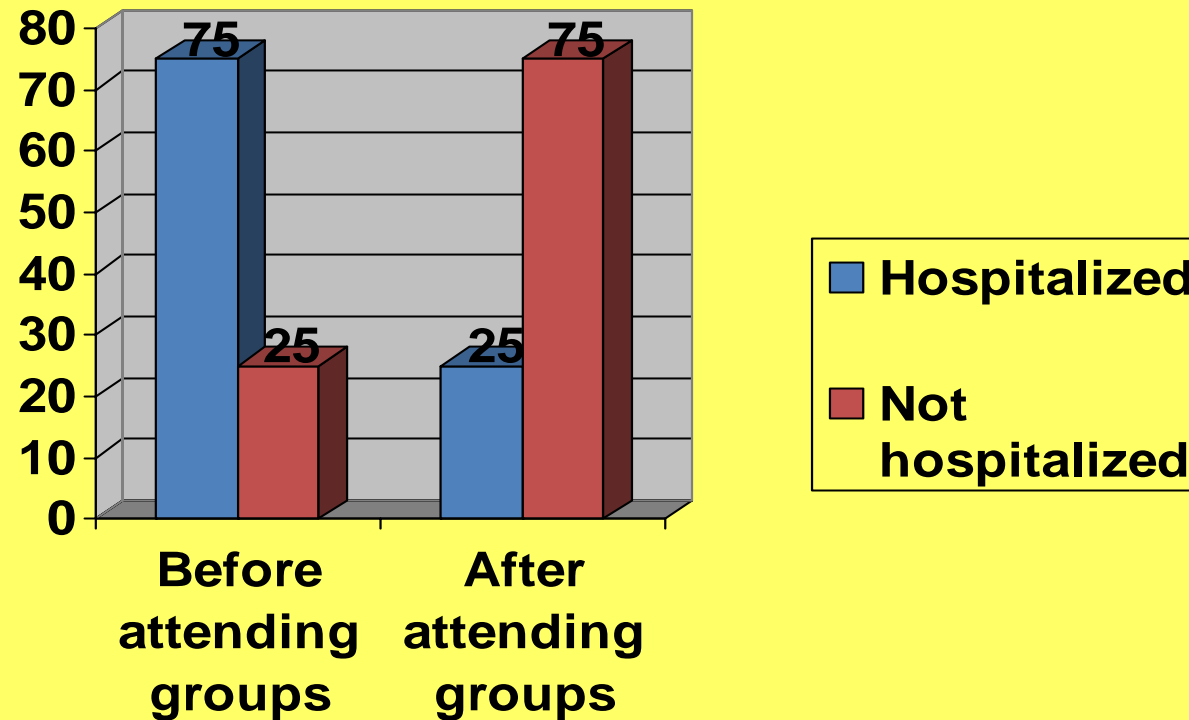


Research by Public Hospital, Verona, Italy on alcoholics' behaviour after having been discharged by hospital



Research by Public Hospital, Turin, Italy, about drop in hospitalization rate after attending groups





EMNA (European Mutual-help Network for Alcohol related problems, www.emna.org) encompasses 16 national associations from 9 different countries, all working with the mutual-help group approach, that offer recovery to 400 to 500,000 persons at any given time. Between 70 and 80% of these members maintain abstinence. This is a concrete and cost-effective way to reduce the social cost of alcohol and ensure social inclusion.

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