

The lived experience of endometriosis and its impact on occupation

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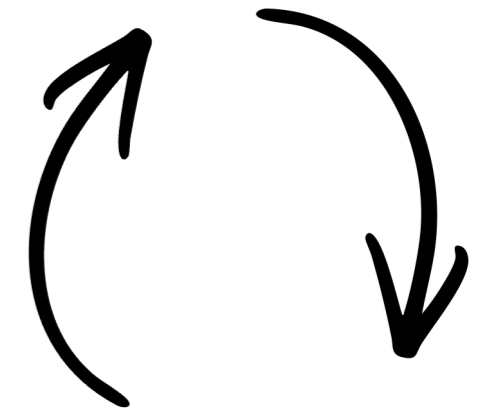
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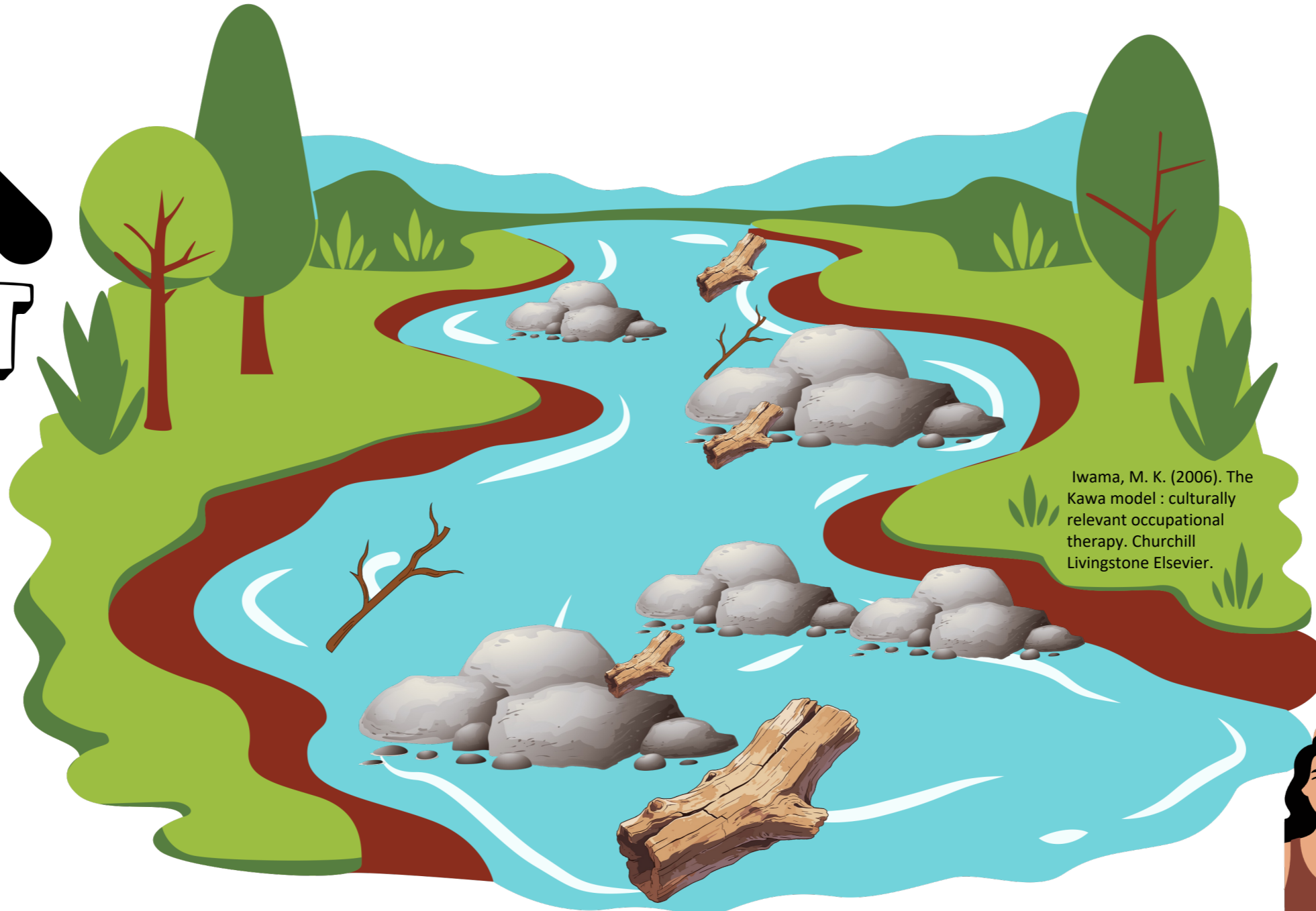
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Methodology and results



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Semi- Structured Interviews



Synthesis of Findings and Impact



What is the the lived experience of endometriosis and how does its impact occupation? ×

- Endometriosis disrupts all areas of daily occupation.
- People constantly manage limited energy and chronic pain withdrawing from valued roles and occupations.
- These losses affect identity and create occupational imbalance.
- Unpredictable symptoms, stigma, and gendered expectations intensify the impact.
- Further research is needed to examine the role of occupation therapy to support those living with endometriosis.

