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A randomised controlled trial of the effectiveness of prism spectacles in reducing the disability of patients with age-related macular degeneration (ARMD)

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12/09/2002

Registration date
12/09/2002

Last Edited
08/06/2011

Recruitment status
No longer recruiting

Overall study status
Completed

Condition category
Eye Diseases

[_] Prospectively registered
[_] Protocol
[_] Statistical analysis plan
[X] Results
[_] Individual participant data

Plain English summary of protocol
Not provided at time of registration

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Scientific

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EudraCT/CTIS number

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ClinicalTrials.gov number

Secondary identifying numbers
1071/530

Study information

Scientific Title

Acronym
Prism Spectacles Study

Study objectives
To study prism spectacles in reducing the disability of patients

Ethics approval required
Old ethics approval format

Ethics approval(s)
Not provided at time of registration

Study design
Randomised controlled trial

Primary study design
Interventional

Secondary study design
Randomised controlled trial

Study setting(s)
Not specified

Study type(s)
Treatment

Participant information sheet

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied
Age-related macular degeneration

Interventions
1. Prism spectacles prescribed to established protocol
2. Prism spectacles with prism of standard value
3. Placebo spectacles made to appear like prism spectacles

Intervention Type
Other

Phase

Not Specified

Primary outcome measure
Not provided at time of registration

Secondary outcome measures
Not provided at time of registration

Overall study start date
01/02/2001

Completion date
01/02/2004

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria
1. Bilateral ARMD
2. Visual Acuity (VA) 6/18 to 1/60 binocularly
3. Clinically stable (by visual acuity) with bilateral central scotoma
4. Reporting difficulty with everyday tasks

Participant type(s)
Patient

Age group
Adult

Lower age limit
18 Years

Sex
Both

Target number of participants
225

Key exclusion criteria
Not provided at time of registration

Date of first enrolment
01/02/2001

Date of final enrolment
01/02/2004

Locations

Countries of recruitment

England

United Kingdom

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Sponsor type
Charity

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http://www.pppfoundation.org.uk/

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https://ror.org/02bzj4420

Funder(s)

Funder type
Charity

Funder Name
The Health Foundation (UK)

Results and Publications

Publication and dissemination plan
Not provided at time of registration

Intention to publish date

Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan

IPD sharing plan summary
Not provided at time of registration

Study outputs

Output type	Details	Date created	Date added	Peer reviewed?	Patient-facing?
Results article	results	01/08/2005		Yes	No