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Improvements in balance control, obstacle avoidance and step negotiation after cataract surgery.

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Plain English summary of protocol
Not provided at time of registration

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Scientific

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Protocol serial number
N0050114598

Study information

Scientific Title

Improvements in balance control, obstacle avoidance and step negotiation after cataract surgery.

Study objectives
Does early cataract surgery improve balance control and mobility performance?

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

Study type(s)
Treatment

Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied
Surgery: Cataract

Interventions
The study will be a randomised clinical trial with subjects being placed into a group obtaining early surgery or one obtaining surgery at the usual time. The early surgery group will be tested before and after the operation, while the other group will be tested twice before surgery with the same test-retest time interval.

Intervention Type
Procedure/Surgery

Phase
Not Specified

Primary outcome(s)
Power statistics have been used to determine subject numbers required. Between group comparisons of visual function, postural stability/control and mobility measures. An alpha level of $P < 0.05$ will be used to determine statistical significant differences.

Key secondary outcome(s))
Not provided at time of registration

Completion date
30/06/2003

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria

Patients attending the Eye Clinic at Bradford Royal Infirmary, who suffer with cataracts will be asked by their treating consultant if they wish to take part.

Participant type(s)
Patient

Healthy volunteers allowed
No

Age group
Adult

Sex
All

Key exclusion criteria
Does not meet inclusion criteria

Date of first enrolment
30/07/2002

Date of final enrolment
30/06/2003

Locations

Countries of recruitment
United Kingdom

England

Study participating centre
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Sponsor information

Organisation
Department of Health (UK)

Funder(s)

Funder type
Hospital/treatment centre

Funder Name
Bradford Hospitals NHS Trust (UK)

Results and Publications

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?
Participant information sheet	Participant information sheet	11/11/2025	11/11/2025	No	Yes