# Chocolate trial

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13/12/2007	No longer recruiting	☐ Protocol
Registration date 21/12/2007	Overall study status Completed	Statistical analysis plan
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<b>Last Edited</b> 02/10/2008	Condition category  Musculoskeletal Diseases	[] Individual participant data

## Plain English summary of protocol

Not provided at time of registration

## Contact information

## Type(s)

Scientific

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# Additional identifiers

EudraCT/CTIS number

**IRAS** number

ClinicalTrials.gov number

Secondary identifying numbers

N/A

# Study information

Scientific Title

Does chocolate increase response rate in a survey of physiotherapy performance?

### **Study objectives**

The aim of this study was to assess the effect of a small incentive, a bar of dark chocolate, on response rate of a questionnaire for physiotherapists in a study of physiotherapy performance in patients with knee osteoarthritis.

The Chocolate trial was performed as part of a survey entitled "Physiotherapy performance in patients with knee osteoarthritis; a prospective study."

### Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

### Ethics approval(s)

The Regional Committee for Medical Research Ethics in Norway, approved on the 27th February 2006 (ref: nbs-06055)

## Study design

Randomised controlled trial

### Primary study design

Interventional

### Secondary study design

Randomised controlled trial

## Study setting(s)

Not specified

## Study type(s)

**Not Specified** 

## Participant information sheet

## Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied

Physiotherapy performance for knee osteoarthritis

#### **Interventions**

Bar of chocolate added to questionnaire vs questionnaire only

## Intervention Type

Drug

#### Phase

Not Specified

### Drug/device/biological/vaccine name(s)

Chocolate

### Primary outcome measure

Response rate to survey of practice

## Secondary outcome measures

No secondary outcome measures

## Overall study start date

07/07/2006

### Completion date

07/07/2007

# **Eligibility**

## Key inclusion criteria

Physiotherapists working in private practice and members of Norwegian Physiotherapy Association

### Participant type(s)

**Patient** 

### Age group

Adult

### Sex

Both

### Target number of participants

2,056 physiotherapists

### Key exclusion criteria

Not working in clinical practice

#### Date of first enrolment

07/07/2006

### Date of final enrolment

07/07/2007

# Locations

## Countries of recruitment

Norway

## Study participating centre Norwegian Knowledge Centre for Health Services

Oslo Norway 0130

# **Sponsor information**

### Organisation

Norwegian Knowledge Centre for Health Services (Norway)

### Sponsor details

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### Sponsor type

Research organisation

#### **ROR**

https://ror.org/01thff661

# Funder(s)

## Funder type

Research organisation

#### **Funder Name**

The Norwegian Fund for Post-Graduate Training in Physiotherapy (Norway)

# **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 typeDetailsDate createdDate addedPeer reviewed?Patient-facing?Results articleresults24/06/2008YesNo