# The CHANGE! (Children's Health, Activity and Nutrition: Get Educated!) Project

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#### Plain English summary of protocol

Not provided at time of registration

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#### Type(s)

Scientific

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## Additional identifiers

**EudraCT/CTIS** number

**IRAS** number

ClinicalTrials.gov number

Secondary identifying numbers

CHANGE! Protocol V.1.0

## Study information

#### Scientific Title

The CHANGE! (Children's Health, Activity and Nutrition: Get Educated!) Project: a clustered randomised controlled trial

#### Acronym

**CHANGE!** 

#### **Study objectives**

Participants in the CHANGE! intervention group will accrue more moderate to vigorous physical activity post intervention than the control group.

#### Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

#### Ethics approval(s)

Liverpool John Moores Research Ethics Committee approved on 22nd September 2010, reference number 10/ECL/039

#### Study design

Clustered randomised controlled trial

#### Primary study design

Interventional

#### Secondary study design

Randomised controlled trial

#### Study setting(s)

Hospital

#### Study type(s)

Quality of life

#### Participant information sheet

Not available in web format, please use the contact details below to request a patient information sheet

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

Paediatric health, physical activity, exercise science and nutrition disciplines

#### **Interventions**

The CHANGE! pilot study is a clustered randomised controlled trial (RCT) investigating the efficacy of a twenty lesson school-based physical activity and healthy eating intervention. CHANGE! is delivered through the Personal and Social Health Education strand of schools curricula and the curriculum resource is supplemented by homework tasks that target family involvement.

Twelve schools from the Wigan Borough in North-West England were recruited to the study, Six randomly assigned using a random number generator to the intervention condition. Randomisation occurred prior to baseline measures. Class teachers from the intervention schools received training in the curriculum resource over two twilight training sessions, and were fully familiarised with the CHANGE! curriculum prior to implementation. CHANGE! consists of 20 lesson plans, including worksheets and other resources. This curriculum resource is supplemented by homework tasks that target family involvement. Control schools will receive the curriculum and training in the following academic year once the study has been completed. Measures were completed for intervention and control groups at baseline and will be repeated post-intervention (20 weeks) and at 30-32 weeks follow up, prior to the school summer holidays.

#### Intervention Type

Other

#### Phase

Not Applicable

#### Primary outcome measure

Levels of habitual physical activity, moderate to vigorous physical activity (MVPA)-outcome measured at baseline and will be repeated post-intervention (20 weeks) and at 30-32 weeks follow up, prior to the school summer holidays.

#### Secondary outcome measures

- 1. Anthropometrics and body composition
- 2. Cardiorespiratory fitness
- 3. Food intake
- 4. Eating behaviour and knowledge
- 5. Physical self-perceptions
- 6. Family nutrition and physical activity
- 7. Behaviour change
- 8. Quality of life
- 9. Cardiometabolic disease risk markers
- 10. Fundamental movement skills

Outcomes were measured at baseline and will be repeated post-intervention (20 weeks) and at 30-32 weeks follow up, prior to the school summer holidays.

To reduce ionising radiation dosage, DEXA body composition scans will be conducted at baseline and follow-up only.

#### Overall study start date

01/10/2010

#### Completion date

31/07/2011

## Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria

Within the twelve participating schools:

- 1. All year 6 children were invited to take part
- 2. All children with informed parental consent, participant assent and medical screening were eligible to take part

#### Participant type(s)

**Patient** 

#### Age group

Child

#### Sex

Both

#### Target number of participants

Three-hundred 10-11.9yr old children

#### Key exclusion criteria

Children without parental consent, participant assent or those with a medical condition that precluded them from taking part in the programme

#### Date of first enrolment

01/10/2010

#### Date of final enrolment

31/07/2011

#### Locations

#### Countries of recruitment

England

**United Kingdom** 

## Study participating centre Faculty of Education, Community and Leisure,

Liverpool United Kingdom L17 6BD

## **Sponsor information**

#### Organisation

Liverpool John Moores University (UK)

#### Sponsor details

Research Support Office, Liverpool John Moores University, c/o Dr. Sue Spiers Kingsway House, Hatton Garden, Liverpool England United Kingdom L3 2AJ

#### Sponsor type

University/education

#### **ROR**

https://ror.org/04zfme737

## Funder(s)

#### Funder type

University/education

#### **Funder Name**

Liverpool John Moores University (UK)

#### Alternative Name(s)

LJMU

#### **Funding Body Type**

Private sector organisation

#### **Funding Body Subtype**

Universities (academic only)

#### Location

United Kingdom

## **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	29/08/2012		Yes	No
Results article	results	02/07/2013		Yes	No
Results article	results	24/07/2018		Yes	No