

# Trial of Homocysteine Reduction In the prevention of Vascular Events and Dementia in the elderly

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## Plain English summary of protocol

Not provided at time of registration

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EudraCT/CTIS number

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ClinicalTrials.gov number

Secondary identifying numbers

# Study information

## Scientific Title

## Acronym

THRIVED

## Study objectives

1. What are the effects of vitamin combinations (comprising of folic acid plus B12, B6 and B2, each alone and in combination) on serum homocysteine (HCY) in elderly patients with vascular disease?
2. Is telephone follow-up of cognitive function and of disability practicable in this cohort 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)

Hospital

## Study type(s)

Treatment

## Participant information sheet

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

Ischaemic vascular disease

## Interventions

Patients will receive vitamin folic acid (2 mg) plus vitamin B12 (400 mg) or placebo, vitamin B6 (25 mg) or placebo, and B2 (25 mg), in a factorial 2 by 2 design.

## Intervention Type

Supplement

**Phase**

Not Specified

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

Folic acid, Vitamins B12, B6 and B2

**Primary outcome measure**

1. Serum HCY, plasma von Willebrand factor, vitamin levels (red cell folate, serum vitamin B12, B2 and B6)
2. Piloting of telephone follow-up of cognition (Telephone Interview for Cognitive Status [TICS<sub>m</sub>]) and of disability (Barthel Index and short Instrumental Activities for Daily Living [ADL] scale)

**Secondary outcome measures**

Not provided at time of registration

**Overall study start date**

01/12/2001

**Completion date**

30/11/2003

**Eligibility****Key inclusion criteria**

1. Age greater than 65 years
2. Ischaemic vascular disease (at least one of the following: history of angina pectoris, acute myocardial infarction, evidence of major ischaemia or previous infarction on 12-lead electrocardiogram, ischaemic stroke, transient ischaemic attack, intermittent claudication, previous surgery for ischaemic vascular disease)

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Age group**

Senior

**Sex**

Not Specified

**Target number of participants**

100 elderly patients from Glasgow Royal Infirmary

**Key exclusion criteria**

Not provided at time of registration

**Date of first enrolment**

01/12/2001

**Date of final enrolment**

30/11/2003

## Locations

### Countries of recruitment

Scotland

United Kingdom

### Study participating centre

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## Sponsor information

### Organisation

The Health Foundation (UK)

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### Sponsor type

Charity

### Website

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

### ROR

<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?
<a href="#">Results article</a>	results	01/12/2005		Yes	No