# A prospective randomised trial of the use of tourniquet in total knee replacements

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28/09/2007	No longer recruiting	Protocol
Registration date	Overall study status	Statistical analysis plan
28/09/2007	Completed	Results
Last Edited	Condition category	[] Individual participant data
21/11/2019	Surgery	Record updated in last year

### 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

N0244192302

### Study information

### Scientific Title

A prospective randomised trial of the use of tourniquet in total knee replacements

### **Study objectives**

To investigate the short-term outcomes of inflating the tourniquet only during the cementation process.

### 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

Not available in web format, please use contact details to request a participant information sheet

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

Surgery: Total knee replacement (TKR)

#### **Interventions**

Intervention: Tourniquet only inflated during cementation of the replacement. Control: Tourniquet inflated throughout procedure as in routine practice.

### **Intervention Type**

Procedure/Surgery

#### Phase

**Not Specified** 

### Primary outcome measure

Blood loss and change in haemoglobin level day 2 post-operatively

### Secondary outcome measures

- 1. Range of movement six weeks post-op
- 2. Post-operative wound problems
- 3. Operative time
- 4. Blood transfusion
- 5. Complication rate

### Overall study start date

01/11/2006

### Completion date

01/11/2007

## **Eligibility**

### Key inclusion criteria

All patients undergoing total knee replacement at Stepping Hill Hospital under two named consultant surgeons

### Participant type(s)

**Patient** 

### Age group

Adult

#### Sex

Both

### Target number of participants

252

### Key exclusion criteria

- 1. History of peripheral vascular disease with absent popliteal or distal pulses
- 2. Calcification of artery on x-ray of knee
- 3. Previous vascular surgery on side of operation

### Date of first enrolment

01/11/2006

### Date of final enrolment

01/11/2007

### Locations

### Countries of recruitment

England

**United Kingdom** 

### Study participating centre Stepping Hill Hospital Stockport United Kingdom SK2 7JE

### Sponsor information

### Organisation

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### Sponsor details

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### Sponsor type

Government

### Website

http://www.dh.gov.uk/Home/fs/en

### Funder(s)

### Funder type

Government

### **Funder Name**

Stockport NHS Foundation Trust

### **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