

# International Collaborative Ovarian Neoplasm studies (1): A trial of adjuvant chemotherapy for early-stage ovarian cancer

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<b>Registration date</b> 06/04/2000	<b>Overall study status</b> Completed	<input type="checkbox"/> Statistical analysis plan <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Results
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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  
NCT00002477

Secondary identifying numbers

ICON1

## Study information

### Scientific Title

International Collaborative Ovarian Neoplasm studies 1 (ICON1): A trial of adjuvant chemotherapy for early-stage ovarian cancer

### Acronym

ICON1

### Study objectives

Currently it is not known whether adjuvant chemotherapy is of any benefit in ovarian cancer, and all previous trials have been too small to give reliable evidence. The prognosis for early disease is much better than for advanced disease, which is known to respond to platinum-based chemotherapy, and a similar response in early disease would prolong the lives of many thousands of women each year. However, any benefit must be weighed against the toxicity associated with the treatment employed, and hence reliable evidence regarding the size of any benefit to adjuvant treatment is needed.

The aim of the study was to compare immediate with deferred chemotherapy in patients with early stage epithelial ovarian cancer

### 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)

Not specified

### Study type(s)

Not Specified

### Participant information sheet

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

Cancer

### Interventions

Immediate chemotherapy or chemotherapy deferred until indicated

**Intervention Type**

Other

**Phase**

Not Specified

**Primary outcome measure**

Survival time; recurrence-free survival.

**Secondary outcome measures**

Not provided at time of registration

**Overall study start date**

01/01/1991

**Completion date**

21/01/2000

**Eligibility**

**Key inclusion criteria**

1. Chemotherapy not clearly indicated
2. No previous malignancy
3. No prior radiotherapy or chemotherapy
4. No contraindication to chemotherapy

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Age group**

Not Specified

**Sex**

Female

**Target number of participants**

2000

**Total final enrolment**

477

**Key exclusion criteria**

Not provided at time of registration

**Date of first enrolment**

01/01/1991

**Date of final enrolment**

21/01/2000

## Locations

### Countries of recruitment

England

United Kingdom

### Study participating centre

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## Sponsor information

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### Sponsor type

Research council

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## Funder(s)

### Funder type

Research council

### Funder Name

Medical Research Council (UK)

**Alternative Name(s)**

Medical Research Council (United Kingdom), UK Medical Research Council, MRC

**Funding Body Type**

Government organisation

**Funding Body Subtype**

National government

**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**

Not provided at registration

**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="#">Other publications</a>		01/11/2001		Yes	No
<a href="#">Other publications</a>		15/01/2003		Yes	No
<a href="#">Other publications</a>		01/11/2003		Yes	No
<a href="#">Other publications</a>		01/11/2003		Yes	No
<a href="#">Abstract results</a>	Long-term follow-up	20/06/2007	31/12/2021	No	No