

# Interferon alpha in combination with thalidomide in the treatment of metastatic renal cell carcinoma - a randomised phase II study

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## 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

NCT00027664

## Secondary identifying numbers

COO.024

# Study information

## Scientific Title

Interferon alpha in combination with thalidomide in the treatment of metastatic renal cell carcinoma - a randomised phase II study

## Study objectives

Not provided at time of registration

## 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

Metastatic renal cell carcinoma

## Interventions

Two arms:

1. Interferon-alpha three times per week. The first three doses will be 4.5 miu, 4.5 miu, 9 mui, then 9 mui six times each fortnight, for 12 weeks initially, then for a further 12 weeks if stable disease or better. Then 12-weekly cycles until progression.
2. Interferon-alpha and thalidomide. Interferon as above. Thalidomide 200 mg per day orally to be taken at night at least 2 h after the evening meal.

## Intervention Type

Drug

## Phase

Phase II

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

Interferon alpha, thalidomide

**Primary outcome measure**

Not provided at time of registration

**Secondary outcome measures**

Not provided at time of registration

**Overall study start date**

01/02/2001

**Completion date**

01/01/2004

## Eligibility

**Key inclusion criteria**

1. Measurable progressive disease (greater than 1 cm non-irradiated marker lesions)
2. Calculated creatinine clearance greater than 60 ml/min or ethylene diamine tetra-acetic acid (EDTA) clearance greater than 40 ml/min
3. Normal bilirubin
4. Liver enzymes less than 5 x upper limit of normal range

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Age group**

Not Specified

**Sex**

Not Specified

**Target number of participants**

Not provided at time of registration

**Key exclusion criteria**

Not provided at time of registration

**Date of first enrolment**

01/02/2001

**Date of final enrolment**

01/01/2004

## Locations

**Countries of recruitment**

England

United Kingdom

**Study participating centre**

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## **Sponsor information**

**Organisation**

UK Co-ordinating Committee for Cancer Research (UKCCCR)

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**Sponsor type**

Government

**ROR**

<https://ror.org/054225q67>

## **Funder(s)**

**Funder type**

Not defined

**Funder Name**

Not provided at time of registration

## **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