

# A randomised controlled trial to assess the efficacy and acceptability of non-invasive testing sexually transmitted infections in asymptomatic patients within a GUM setting

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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

**Protocol serial number**  
N0233179831

## Study information

**Scientific Title**

**Study objectives**

The study will assess and compare the acceptability by patients of non-invasive screening for sexually transmitted infections with current procedures and standards of care. These will be asymptomatic low risk patients within a GUM clinic setting.

**Ethics approval required**

Old ethics approval format

**Ethics approval(s)**

Added 20/07/09: ethics approval granted by Solihull LREC date: 7th March 2006 REC ref: 05/Q2706/105.

**Study design**

Randomised controlled trial

**Primary study design**

Interventional

**Study type(s)**

Screening

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

Infections and Infestations: Sexually transmitted diseases

**Interventions**

Patients will book in the normal way, then a nurse will approach with the patient information sheet. A sexual history will be taken. The standard group will be tested in the standard way, the non-invasive will have urine samples. A patient questionnaire will assess satisfaction at treatment.

**Intervention Type**

Other

**Phase**

Not Specified

**Primary outcome(s)**

Acceptability of the non-invasive testing procedures as compared with the current standard of care.

**Key secondary outcome(s)**

Patient time spent in the clinic (consultation time and total visit time), detection of STI in both study and control group and consultation costs.

**Completion date**

31/03/2007

**Eligibility**

**Key inclusion criteria**

1. Asymptomatic heterosexual men
2. Asymptomatic heterosexual women who have not had receptive anal intercourse within the last 3 years
3. Asymptomatic homosexual/ bisexual men who have not had receptive anal intercourse within the last 3 years

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Healthy volunteers allowed**

No

**Age group**

Not Specified

**Sex**

All

**Key exclusion criteria**

1. Contacts of an sexually transmitted infection (STI)
2. Pregnancy
3. Symptomatic patient

**Date of first enrolment**

14/03/2006

**Date of final enrolment**

31/03/2007

**Locations****Countries of recruitment**

United Kingdom

England

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**Sponsor information**

## Organisation

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## Funder(s)

### Funder type

Hospital/treatment centre

### Funder Name

R&D for Birmingham and Solihull Consortium (UK)

### Funder Name

Heart of Birmingham Teaching Primary Care Trust (UK)

### Funder Name

NHS R&D Support Funding (UK)

## Results and Publications

### 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	01/12/2010		Yes	No