

# Does continuous epidural infusion as post-operative analgesia alter outcomes in patients undergoing joint arthroplasty?

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**Plain English summary of protocol**  
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# Study information

## Scientific Title

Does continuous epidural infusion as post-operative analgesia alter outcomes in patients undergoing joint arthroplasty?

## 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

Signs and Symptoms: Pain

## Interventions

Group 1 - epidural

Group 2 - patient-controlled analgesia

## Intervention Type

Procedure/Surgery

## Primary outcome measure

Pain score, side effects, patient satisfaction, demographics, time to discharge, blood loss, deviance from the integrated care pathway, loss of movement, time to mobilisation.

## Secondary outcome measures

Not provided at time of registration

## Overall study start date

01/11/2002

**Completion date**

31/12/2003

## Eligibility

**Key inclusion criteria**

Adult elective primary artheroplasty patients

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Age group**

Adult

**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**

01/11/2002

**Date of final enrolment**

31/12/2003

## Locations

**Countries of recruitment**

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Not provided at time of registration

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