

# EDMOND - Elemental diet in bowel obstruction

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## Plain English summary of protocol

<https://www.cancerresearchuk.org/about-cancer/find-a-clinical-trial/a-study-of-a-new-diet-for-women-with-a-blockage-in-the-bowel-edmond>

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**EudraCT/CTIS number**

**IRAS number**

**ClinicalTrials.gov number**  
NCT03150992

**Secondary identifying numbers**  
32895

**Study information****Scientific Title**

EDMONd – A feasibility study of Elemental Diet as an alternative to parenteral nutrition for patients with inoperable Malignant bowel Obstruction

**Acronym**

EDMONd

**Study objectives**

The aim of the study is to provide 'proof of concept' of Elemental Diet (ED) as an acceptable /useful feeding option for patients with inoperable bowel obstruction (IBO) and to examine the impact of ED on quality of life.

**Ethics approval required**

Old ethics approval format

**Ethics approval(s)**

South East Coast – Surrey Research Ethics Committee, 20/12/2016, ref: 16/LO/2079

**Study design**

Non-randomised; Interventional; Design type: Treatment, Dietary

**Primary study design**

Interventional

## **Secondary study design**

Non randomised study

## **Study setting(s)**

Not specified

## **Study type(s)**

Treatment

## **Participant information sheet**

See additional files

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

Specialty: Cancer, Primary sub-specialty: Gynaecological Cancers; UKCRC code/ Disease: Cancer/ Malignant neoplasms of female genital organs

## **Interventions**

All participants receive the Elemental Diet (ED). The ED will be provided in the form of Elemental 028 Extra Liquid. Patients will be assessed by a clinician and specialist oncology dietician and given an individual plan of ED introduction. ED requires phased introduction to achieve tolerance of the course of 3-5 days, under the supervision of the study dietician. Following introduction of ED, patients will be discharged from the hospital (as per normal clinic practise) and followed up for 2 weeks. They will have a telephone follow up assessment once a week for two weeks. All other assessments will follow the standard of care. During the follow up assessment, patients will be assessed using the Memorial Symptom Assessment Scale and asked to complete a nutritional diary and Quality of Life questionnaires.

## **Intervention Type**

Other

## **Primary outcome measure**

1. Taste acceptability of ED is measured on 1-5 grading in nutritional diary once per week for two weeks
2. Incidence of vomiting is measured on MSAS scale at day 1 of ED induction, discharge and once per week for two weeks
3. Incidence of pain is measured on MSAS scale at day 1 of ED induction, discharge and once per week for two weeks

## **Secondary outcome measures**

1. The number (proportion) of patient who can tolerate ED following presentation with IBO and can subsequently be treated with palliative chemotherapy is measured by reviewing hospital case notes at patient completion of study
2. The number of patients alive at the end of the study is measured by reviewing hospital case notes at patient completion of study
3. Health Related Quality of Life is measured on EORTC-QLQ-C30 at day 1 of ED induction, discharge and once per week for two weeks
4. Nutritional Intake is measured by the number of ED cartons taken in 24 hours
5. Incidence of vomiting is measured on MSAS scale at day 1 of ED induction, discharge and once per week for two weeks

**Overall study start date**

01/12/2015

**Completion date**

31/12/2019

## Eligibility

**Key inclusion criteria**

1. Age 18 years and over
2. Confirmed inoperable bowel obstruction due to disseminated malignancy
3. Ability to tolerate 500 ml of liquid
4. Capacity to give informed consent

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Age group**

Adult

**Lower age limit**

18 Years

**Sex**

Both

**Target number of participants**

Planned Sample Size: 34; UK Sample Size: 34

**Key exclusion criteria**

1. Bowel obstruction that can be managed with surgical intervention
2. Complete bowel obstruction and inability to tolerate small amount of liquid

**Date of first enrolment**

01/03/2017

**Date of final enrolment**

28/02/2019

## Locations

**Countries of recruitment**

England

United Kingdom

**Study participating centre**

**Royal Surrey County Hospital**  
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**Sponsor type**  
Hospital/treatment centre

**ROR**  
<https://ror.org/050bd8661>

## **Funder(s)**

**Funder type**

Charity

**Funder Name**

Target Ovarian Cancer

**Alternative Name(s)****Funding Body Type**

Private sector organisation

**Funding Body Subtype**

Other non-profit organizations

**Location**

United Kingdom

## Results and Publications

**Publication and dissemination plan**

Planned publication in a peer reviewed scientific journal, conference presentation and publication online.

**Intention to publish date**

28/10/2021

**Individual participant data (IPD) sharing plan**

The current data sharing plans for the current study are unknown and will be made available at a later date.

**IPD sharing plan summary**

Data sharing statement to be made available at a later date

**Study outputs**

Output type	Details	Date created	Date added	Peer reviewed?	Patient-facing?
<a href="#">Participant information sheet</a>	version V2	04/01/2017	20/02/2017	No	Yes
<a href="#">Poster results</a>	results presented in poster at the European Society for Gynaecological Oncology in (ESGO)	14/12/2020	13/08/2021	No	No
<a href="#">HRA research summary</a>			28/06/2023	No	No