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# Does telephone peer support and/or a midwife home visit in the early postnatal period increase breastfeeding duration?

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**Recruitment status**
No longer recruiting

**Registration date**
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**Overall study status**
Completed

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**Condition category**
Pregnancy and Childbirth

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**Plain English summary of protocol**
Not provided at time of registration

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## Additional identifiers

**EudraCT/CTIS number**

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**Secondary identifying numbers**
N/A

# Study information

### Scientific Title

### 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)
Not specified

### Study type(s)
Other

### Participant information sheet
Not available in web format, please use the contact details below to request a patient information sheet

### Health condition(s) or problem(s) studied
Although breastfeeding initiation is high in our community, less than 50% are still breastfeeding at 6 months. We aim to increase this proportion.

### Interventions
1. Proactive peer telephone support in the postnatal period, with a focus on encouragement with breastfeeding, social support, and referral as necessary
2. A single midwife home visit at day 7-10 postpartum, focusing on breastfeeding matters
3. This group will receive both interventions
4. The control group will receive neither intervention

### Intervention Type
Other

### Phase
Not Applicable

### Primary outcome measure
Not provided at time of registration

### Secondary outcome measures
Not provided at time of registration

### Overall study start date
01/07/2004

### Completion date
31/12/2005

## Eligibility

### Key inclusion criteria
Primiparous, English-speaking women from two tertiary women's hospitals in metropolitan Melbourne, Australia

### Participant type(s)
Patient

### Age group
Adult

### Sex
Female

### Target number of participants
Not provided at time of registration

### Key exclusion criteria
Not provided at time of registration

### Date of first enrolment
01/07/2004

### Date of final enrolment
31/12/2005

## Locations

### Countries of recruitment
Australia

### Study participating centre

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University/education

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# Funder(s)

**Funder type**
Not defined

**Funder Name**
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# 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