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A randomised double-blind placebo-controlled trial of the efficacy of amitryptiline in post-thoracotomy chronic pain

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Registration date 12/09/2003	**Overall study status** Completed	
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Plain English summary of protocol
Not provided at time of registration

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N0263115157

Study information

Scientific Title
A randomised double-blind placebo-controlled trial of the efficacy of amitryptiline in post-thoracotomy chronic pain

Study objectives
Is amitriptyline useful as prophylaxis against post-thoracotomy pain?

Ethics approval required
Old ethics approval format

Ethics approval(s)
Not provided at time of registration

Study design
Randomised double-blind placebo-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
1. Amitriptyline
2. Placebo

Intervention Type
Drug

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

Primary outcome measure
1. Numerical verbal pain score
2. Patient pain index
3. Short McGill questionnaire

Secondary outcome measures
Not provided at time of registration

Overall study start date
24/07/2002

Completion date
01/10/2005

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria
Not provided at time of registration

Participant type(s)
Patient

Age group
Not Specified

Sex
Not Specified

Target number of participants
60 patients from the Anaesthetics Department

Key exclusion criteria
Not provided at time of registration

Date of first enrolment
24/07/2002

Date of final enrolment
01/10/2005

Locations

Countries of recruitment
England

United Kingdom

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The Middlesex Hospital
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Sponsor information

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Department of Health (UK)

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Government

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Funder(s)

Funder type
Government

Funder Name
University College London Hospitals NHS Trust (UK)

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