

# A Randomised Controlled Trial: Investigation of Radiotherapy Dose Inhomogeneity and Cosmetic Outcome in Patients with Early Breast Cancer

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## Plain English summary of protocol

<http://cancerhelp.cancerresearchuk.org/trials/a-study-to-see-if-intensity-modulated-radiotherapy-improves-cosmetic-appearance-for-breast-cancer-patients>

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## Additional identifiers

EudraCT/CTIS number

IRAS number

ClinicalTrials.gov number

## Secondary identifying numbers

N/A

# Study information

## Scientific Title

## Acronym

Cambridge IMRT

## Study objectives

Does correction of dose homogeneity improve the cosmetic outcome following radiotherapy in patients with early breast cancer?

## Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

## Ethics approval(s)

Approved by the Cambridge Research Ethics Committee on 04/02/03, reference number 03/017

## Study design

Interventional, phase III, randomised controlled trial

## Primary study design

Interventional

## Secondary study design

Randomised controlled trial

## Study setting(s)

Hospital

## Study type(s)

Quality of life

## 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

Breast Cancer

## Interventions

Patients are randomised to receive Intensity Modulated Radiation therapy (IMRT). Control group will receive standard 2-dimensional radiation therapy.

## Intervention Type

Other

**Phase**

Phase III

**Primary outcome measure**

Breast shrinkage following radiotherapy

**Secondary outcome measures**

1. Acute skin reactions
2. Clinical assessment of late cosmetic effect
3. Patients quality of life

**Overall study start date**

01/04/2003

**Completion date**

31/03/2006

**Eligibility****Key inclusion criteria**

1. Age 18 years and above
2. Operable unilateral breast cancer (T1-3, N0-1, M0 at presentation)
3. Histological confirmation of invasive carcinoma
4. Complete macroscopic excision of tumour by breast conserving surgery
5. No history of contralateral breast cancer
6. Demonstration of off-axis dose inhomogeneities outside -5% and +7% of the prescribed dose using conventional 2-dimensional radiotherapy treatment plan
7. Patients consents to be part of the trial and availability for follow-up

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Age group**

Adult

**Lower age limit**

18 Years

**Sex**

Female

**Target number of participants**

375

**Key exclusion criteria**

1. Patients with advance or metastatic breast cancer
2. Patients who have had a mastectomy
3. Patients with bilateral breast cancer

4. Concomitant invasive malignancy (apart from Cervical Intra-epithelial Neoplasia [CIN] III uterine cervix and basal carcinoma of the skin), if other previous malignancies, must be disease-free for five years

**Date of first enrolment**

01/04/2003

**Date of final enrolment**

31/03/2006

## **Locations**

**Countries of recruitment**

England

United Kingdom

**Study participating centre**

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## **Sponsor information**

**Organisation**

Cambridge University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust (UK)

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**Sponsor type**

Hospital/treatment centre

**ROR**

<https://ror.org/04v54gj93>

# Funder(s)

## Funder type

Charity

## Funder Name

Breast Cancer Campaign (London), grant reference number 2001:263 (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

## Study outputs

Output type	Details	Date created	Date added	Peer reviewed?	Patient-facing?
<a href="#">Results article</a>	baseline characteristics and dosimetry results	01/07/2009		Yes	No
<a href="#">Other publications</a>	prospective analysis study	01/01/2012		Yes	No