

Multicentre randomised controlled trial comparing uterine artery embolisation with surgical treatment for uterine fibroids

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Plain English summary of protocol

Background and study aims

Uterine fibroids are non-cancerous growths that form on the wall of a woman's womb (uterus). Several different procedures can be used to treat fibroids. Surgical treatments include myomectomy (removal of the fibroids from the wall of the womb) and hysterectomy (removal of the womb). Non-surgical procedures include uterine artery embolisation (UAE), which involves blocking the blood vessels that supply the fibroids, causing them to shrink. The aim of this study is to compare UAE with surgery (hysterectomy and myomectomy) in patients with fibroids who would ordinarily receive surgical treatment.

Who can participate?

Women with symptomatic fibroids who would normally undergo surgery for treatment.

What does the study involve?

Participants are randomly allocated to be treated with either UAE or surgery. Their quality of life is assessed 12 months later.

What are the possible benefits and risks of participating?

Not provided at time of registration

Where is the study run from?

Gartnavel General Hospital (UK)

When is the study starting and how long is it expected to run for?

November 2000 to September 2010

Who is funding the study?

Chief Scientist Office (UK)

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Scientific

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EudraCT/CTIS number

IRAS number

ClinicalTrials.gov number

Secondary identifying numbers
czh/4/1

Study information

Scientific Title
Multicentre randomised controlled trial comparing uterine artery embolisation with surgical treatment for uterine fibroids

Acronym
REST

Study objectives
Compare results of embolisation with surgery for uterine fibroids.

Ethics approval required
Old ethics approval format

Ethics approval(s)

Study design

Open randomised controlled trial allocation 2:1 in favour of new intervention

Primary study design

Interventional

Secondary study design

Randomised controlled trial

Study setting(s)

Hospital

Study type(s)

Treatment

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

Uterine fibroids

Interventions

Uterine artery embolisation versus surgical treatment

Intervention Type

Other

Phase

Not Specified

Primary outcome measure

The 36-item Short Form health survey (SF-36) quality of life questionnaire.

Secondary outcome measures

1. Symptom scores
2. Complications
3. Return to lifestyle events
4. Pain scores
5. Cost analysis

Overall study start date

01/11/2000

Completion date

01/09/2010

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria

Women with symptomatic fibroid who would normally undergo surgery for treatment.

Participant type(s)

Patient

Age group

Adult

Sex

Female

Target number of participants

200

Key exclusion criteria

1. Pregnancy
2. Unable to image with magnetic resonance imaging (MRI)
3. Fibroid size less than 2 cm
4. Subserosal fibroid on a stalk

Date of first enrolment

01/11/2000

Date of final enrolment

01/09/2010

Locations**Countries of recruitment**

United Kingdom

Study participating centre

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Sponsor information**Organisation**

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Sponsor type

Hospital/treatment centre

Website

<http://www.ngt.org>

ROR

<https://ror.org/05kdz4d87>

Funder(s)

Funder type

Government

Funder Name

Chief Scientist Office (UK) (ref: CZH/4/1)

Alternative Name(s)

CSO

Funding Body Type

Government organisation

Funding Body Subtype

Local government

Location

United Kingdom

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?
Results article	results	25/01/2007		Yes	No
Results article	results	01/07/2010		Yes	No
Results article	5-year results	01/07/2011		Yes	No