

# Improving the effectiveness of community dental screening

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## Additional identifiers

**EudraCT/CTIS number**

**IRAS number**

**ClinicalTrials.gov number**

**Secondary identifying numbers**

# Study information

## Scientific Title

### Study objectives

Is a new model of school dental screening more cost effective and with proven benefits compared to existing dental screening practice and a health promotion programme designed to encourage dental visiting?

### Ethics approval required

Old ethics approval format

### Ethics approval(s)

Added as of 23/07/2007:

1. St Helens and Knowsley, Local Research Ethics Committee, approved on 19th April 2001
2. North Cheshire Ethics Committee, approved on 2nd March 2000

### Study design

Randomised controlled trial

### Primary study design

Interventional

### Secondary study design

Randomised controlled trial

### Study setting(s)

Not specified

### Study type(s)

Screening

### Participant information sheet

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

Oral health / stomatognathic diseases

### Interventions

New model of school dental screening vs existing dental screening and a health promotion programme designed to encourage dental visiting.

### Intervention Type

Other

### Phase

Not Specified

**Primary outcome measure**

Agreed clinical criteria for referral following school screening

**Secondary outcome measures**

No secondary outcome measures

**Overall study start date**

01/04/2001

**Completion date**

01/04/2004

## Eligibility

**Key inclusion criteria**

1000 children

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Age group**

Child

**Sex**

Both

**Target number of participants**

1000

**Key exclusion criteria**

None

**Date of first enrolment**

01/04/2001

**Date of final enrolment**

01/04/2004

## Locations

**Countries of recruitment**

England

United Kingdom

**Study participating centre**

Chester and Halton Community NHS Trust

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## Sponsor information

### Organisation

NHS R&D Regional Programme Register - Department of Health (UK)

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Government

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## Funder(s)

### Funder type

Government

### Funder Name

NHS Executive North West (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>	Results:	13/05/2006		Yes	No
<a href="#">Results article</a>	Results:	24/06/2006		Yes	No
<a href="#">Results article</a>	Results:	01/10/2006		Yes	No
<a href="#">Results article</a>	Results:	01/12/2006		Yes	No
<a href="#">Results article</a>	Results:	23/12/2006		Yes	No