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Determination of the Quality of Life Instrument that is most preferred by patients with thyroid cancer

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Plain English summary of protocol
http://cancerhelp.cancerresearchuk.org/trials/a-trial-to-see-which-qol-questionnaire-people-with-thyroid-cancer-find-most-helpful-deteqt

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Scientific

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10323

Study information

Scientific Title
Determination of which Health Related Quality of Life (HRQoL) instrument is most preferred by patients with early and advanced thyroid cancer

Acronym
DeteQT

Study objectives
To determine which Health Related Quality of Life (HRQoL) instruments patients with early and advanced thyroid cancer find most helpful in facilitating communication of their health problems to their clinicians.

Ethics approval required
Old ethics approval format

Ethics approval(s)
The Black Country Research Ethics Committee, 18th March 2011, ref: 11/WM/0051

Study design
Phase III, randomised, observational, qualitative trial

Primary study design
Observational

Secondary study design
Randomised controlled trial

Study setting(s)
GP practice

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
Head and neck cancer

Interventions
Patients are randomised to receive study instruments in varying order of presentation.
There are no treatment arms or drugs used as it is a quality of life questionnaire study. The patients will be approached in the clinic where the trial will be explained to them and if they are interested, they will sign the consent form and take the questionnaire to complete and send back to us.

Intervention Type

Other

Phase
Phase III

Primary outcome measure
Patient preference: identification of preferred quality of life instrument
The study only comprises of one questionnaire pack (as explained above). This includes four different quality of life questionnaires that the patient will complete and then answer a set of evaluation questions at the end. Once we receive them back, they are entered on a spreadsheet and then sent to a statistician

Secondary outcome measures
No secondary outcome measures

Overall study start date
28/07/2011

Completion date
12/07/2013

Eligibility

Key inclusion criteria
1. Patients 18 years old or over
2. Patients attending the thyroid or head neck cancer clinic who are:
2.1. Being treated or undergoing follow-up for differentiated (papillary or follicular) thyroid cancer or
2.2. Being investigated or treated for differentiated (papillary or follicular) thyroid cancer recurrence
Note: patients with high grade variants such as insular carcinoma or poorly differentiated carcinoma are eligible
3. Male or female

Participant type(s)
Patient

Age group
Adult

Lower age limit
18 Years

Sex
Both

Target number of participants
Planned Sample Size: 466; UK Sample Size: 466

Key exclusion criteria

1. Patients who do not sufficiently understand the English language and those with learning disabilities as these are standardized and validated questionnaires which are in English
2. Patients who have medullary thyroid cancer or anaplastic thyroid cancer or lymphoma of the thyroid
3. Patients having a diagnostic hemithyroidectomy for possible thyroid cancer

Date of first enrolment
28/07/2011

Date of final enrolment
12/07/2013

Locations

Countries of recruitment
England

United Kingdom

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Sponsor type
Hospital/treatment centre

Website
http://www.uhcw.nhs.uk/

ROR
https://ror.org/025n38288

Funder(s)

Funder type
Charity

Funder Name
Macmillan Cancer Support (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