

# Helicobacter testing to rationalise use of endoscopy

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**Plain English summary of protocol**  
Not provided at time of registration

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## Additional identifiers

**Protocol serial number**  
PSI03-32

## Study information

**Scientific Title**

**Study objectives**

To determine whether the use of a *Helicobacter pylori* 'test and treat' strategy in general practice was associated with any improvement in clinical outcome or resource utilisation.

**Ethics approval required**

Old ethics approval format

**Ethics approval(s)**

Not provided at time of registration

**Study design**

Randomised controlled trial

**Primary study design**

Interventional

**Study type(s)**

Treatment

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

Peptic ulcer disease

**Interventions**

Randomised trial comparing a *Helicobacter pylori* test-and-treat strategy with referral to direct access endoscopy in the management of dyspepsia in general practice.

**Intervention Type**

Drug

**Phase**

Not Applicable

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

*Helicobacter pylori*

**Primary outcome(s)**

1. Health care utilisation
2. Consulting rates
3. Prescribing rates

**Key secondary outcome(s))**

No secondary outcome measures

**Completion date**

01/09/1998

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

A control group of practices in south east London pursuing 'usual' management of Helicobacter pylori, including endoscopy compared with a study group in which a near-patient test kit for Helicobacter pylori was provided for use on all patients under the age of 45 with persistent dyspepsia.

**Participant type(s)**

Patient

**Healthy volunteers allowed**

No

**Age group**

Adult

**Sex**

All

**Key exclusion criteria**

Does not meet with inclusion criteria

**Date of first enrolment**

01/05/1995

**Date of final enrolment**

01/09/1998

**Locations****Countries of recruitment**

United Kingdom

England

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**Sponsor information****Organisation**

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# Funder(s)

## Funder type

Government

## Funder Name

NHS Primary and Secondary Care Interface National Research and Development Programme (UK)

# Results and Publications

## 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	01/09/1999		Yes	No